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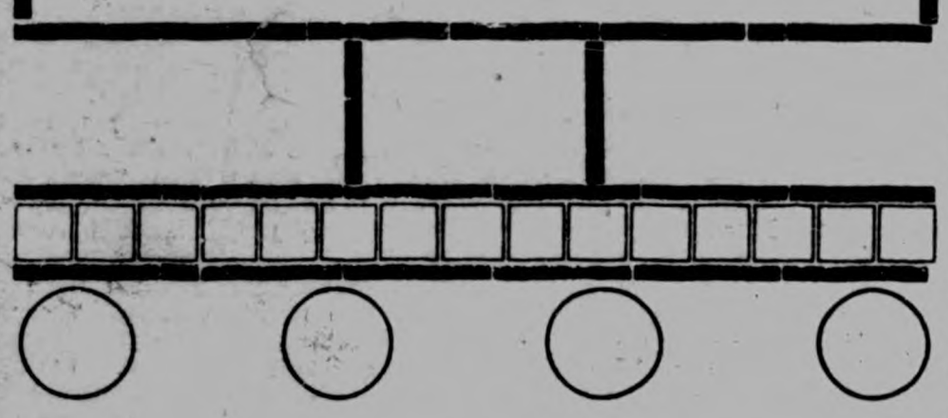

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Original Notice.

Lyman C. Mellen, Plaintiff vs. C. J. Simpson, et. al. Defendants	In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Hancock County, September Term, A. D. 1907.

To C. J. Simpson, Helen Simpson.

You are hereby notified that on or before the 5th day of September, A. D., 1907, the petition of the Plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Hancock County, claiming of you the sum of Two Hundred and Eighty-seven and 43-100 Dollars, money as justly due from you and interest thereon at eight per cent. from the Sixteenth day of September, A. D., 1907, for and on account of one certain promissory note signed by C. J. Simpson and Helen Simpson and payable to the order of the plaintiff, dated Nov. 15, 1901 for the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars and payable Nov. 15, 1906 with interest at seven per cent. per annum.

Also praying for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage securing the said note describing Lot No. 12 in Block No. 6 in the Original Town of Goodell Iowa.

No personal judgment is asked against any of the said defendants except C. J. Simpson and Helen Simpson.

And that unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the next term, being the September term of the said Court, which will commence at Garner, Iowa, on the Sixteenth day of September, 1907, default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon as provided by law.

Dated this 27th day of May, A. D., 1907.

RAMSAY & BLACKSTONE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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Mrs. L E. Avery went to Garner Tuesday to have dental work done.

Mardel and Winnie Avery attended the races at Forest City last week.

Avis Garten of Goodell, is visiting with relatives in Iowa City for a few weeks.

Mrs. Beaver of Algona, Iowa. is visiting with her sister Mrs. Fred Chase this week.

Miss Madigan of Belmond, spent a few days at the home of E. J. Bauman's last week.

Mrs. Bauman and daughter Hazel and Ruth went to Minneapolis Monday to visit with relatives.

John Griggs went to Iowa City on Monday night to accompany Mrs. Griggs home who has been at the hospital.

Mrs. Schmalle and daughter of Garner and Mrs. McGill of Minnesota, visited at the home of L. G. Avery on Saturday.

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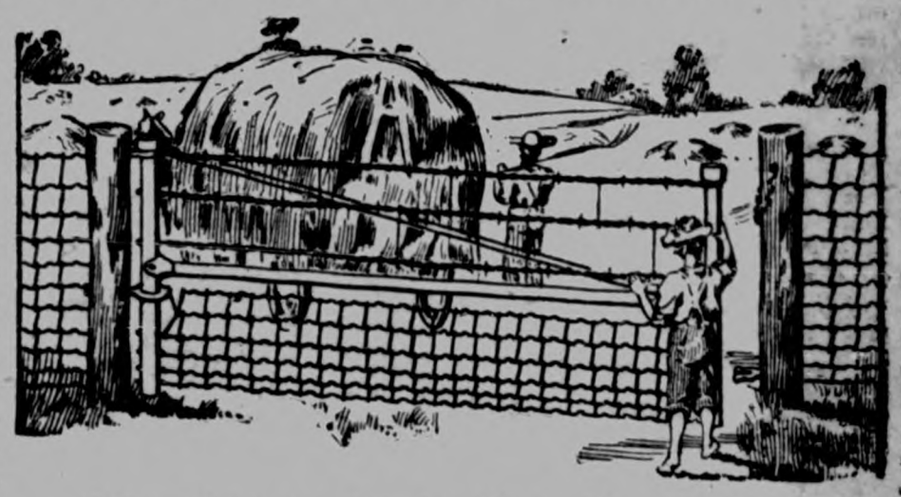

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The baker's supply of bread depends upon how much he kneads.

At Rheims, France, portable bathtubs filled with hot water are delivered to order.

Mr. Roosevelt uses strong language, but he never swears, although he is a writer and maker of profane history.

King Alfonso, who has taken to golf, may have considerable trouble in keeping his caddie conned into the belief that Alf is hanging on to his job by divine favor.

Surely the era of kindness and compassion, if not the actual millennium, has arrived when the automobilist veritably stops to pick up his victim and carry it to a hospital.

Green apples give the small boy cholera morbus, and we have sometimes seen an editor afflicted with a painful touch of mental cramps from eating the sour fruit of wisdom.

One more largest Atlantic liner has been ordered. It is to be a steamer of 50,000 tons. Presumably it will have on board a scenic railway and a traveling circus among its attractions for passengers.

With some men education is a process, as the word indicates. With others it is an event. A New Jersey janitor undertook to wipe windows with a United States flag. When the police drove away the mob the janitor had been educated, but it had taken only a few minutes.

It has been agreed between the governments of Canada and of the United States that the owners of all buildings on the boundary-line must decide in which country they shall live, and must move the whole building accordingly. The purpose of this agreement is to reduce the smuggling evil and otherwise to put an end to lawlessness on the border.

Philadelphia capitalists are planning to erect a $1,500,000 hotel in Yokohama, Japan, from plans designed by Philadelphia architects. It is to be eight stories in height, will contain about 400 bedrooms and suites and many baths, with a garden courtyard in the center. It is to be called the Grand hotel, and appears to be wholly an American investment.

It is estimated by the national treasury authorities that not less than $350,000,000 of the new ten dollar gold certificates will be needed to satisfy the public demand for smaller bills. However, it is not at all likely that any creditor will object to having that little account settled with plain, ordinary greenbacks, or "kick" even at "cartwheel" silver dollars.

One of the newspapers of Peking, China, has lately celebrated the five hundredth anniversary of its establishment. During its long period of publication the editorial staff has several times been beheaded, either in front of the office or in it, for printing news which displeased the court. The expression, "he has severed his connection," may be Chinese newspaper English.

A great deal has been said about the facility of the Japanese in adopting and adapting western methods. Even our language appears to gain something from their use of it. It is told of one of Gen. Kuroki's party that when his opinion of America was asked, he replied: "Your country is full of remarkabilities, but I find the weather curseworthy." Two noteworthy new words in a single breath!

The sultan of Turkey has just become father to his thirteenth living child, a baby daughter. The eldest child of the sultan is Prince Selim, who is 37 years old. He is in disgrace, and does not rank as the heir apparent. The sultan, in order to reduce the number of pretenders to the throne, has established the practice of marrying his daughters to persons of little consequence, from whom no political dangers need be feared. He is genuinely fond of one daughter, the beautiful 20-year-old Princess Ayishe, born of a Circassian mother. She has received a European education.

Oysters in their native waters are wild animals. So the attorney general of New York lately informed an assessor who asked him whether he should assess oyster-beds as real or personal property. When oysters are artificially planted, according to this legal opinion, they become "domesticated, tame, or 'garden' oysters," and as such are personal property. Although the attorney general does not interpret the law concerning salsify, or oyster-plant, it is probable that the court would hold that this also, when planted, is personal property. It certainly would be when cooked and served.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

McKOWN IS UNDER ARREST.

Wanted at Webster City for Embezzlement and Arson.

Bakersfield, Cal.—George McKown, local manager of Fairbanks, Morse & Co., a society leader, clubman and automobilist, was arrested in McKittrick on advices from Webster City, Ia., where he is wanted on charges of embezzlement and arson.

He was located in Bakersfield by J. S. Dillon of the Los Angeles Pinkerton service, who has been here four days.

McKown's arrest caused a sensation and his club brothers and social friends declare that the case is one of mistaken identity.

Webster City.—George McKown has been found in California. This is the result of a long search by Pinkerton detectives for a man, whose lavish expenditures of money in connection with the Northwestern Felt Shoe company here, whose mysterious disappearance and later indictment upon a charge of arson and embezzlement made his name known throughout this part of the state.

McKown came to Webster City in 1902 when the shoe company's factory began operations. He had been foreman of a similar concern in the east and was made manager of the local company. Among the chief stockholders of the company were C. D. Hellen, now of Des Moines, W. J. Zittrell, C. E. Atkinson, and E. H. Martin, all prominent men of Webster City.

After McKown had startled the community with his apparent success, the stockholders and directors began to find fault with the lavish use he made of the company's funds, and, after he had gone east to purchase goods, amounting to several thousand dollars, and the capital stock of the company had been raised from $50,000 to $100,000, the manager was requested to resign.

A week following the big building was destroyed by fire and McKown disappeared. He had previously sent Mrs. McKown away.

Nothing was saved from the fire—stock, machinery and books were all destroyed. The loss was $100,000 or more. The insurance amounted to $36,000.

The investigation that followed resulted in the indictment of McKown on several counts for embezzlement and arson. It was charged that the invoice of the recent purchase of goods in the east had been padded and that the former manager had pocketed the difference.

Pinkerton detectives were put to work on the case and witnesses were brought out from New York to testify before the grand jury.

What the total amount of the alleged embezzlement is has never been given out but it is said, in the last year McKown was connected with the shoe company he appropriated over $10,000.

LOSES LIFE BY DISCOURTESY.

Knoxville Man Takes Drink First and Dies.

Knoxville.—Henry De Moss violated a rule of etiquette and paid for it with his life.

He invited Viola Amos, another Knoxville man, into a side room of a store to have a drink and instead of offering the bottle to his guest he took a drink himself. As a result he died in horrible agony ten minutes later in a doctor's office. He had pulled the wrong bottle from his pocket in the dark, and took a copious swig of carbolic acid.

Staggering out of the store, De Moss, who is 35 years old, and a moderate drinker all his life, stumbled into the office of a physician where he promptly perished. Amos followed him up and recounted the affair.

According to Amos' account, the carbolic acid bottle had been dropped when the liquid scorched the mouth and throat of the dead man. Search, however, failed to find it and this has set the community to wondering.

A coroner's jury was promptly impaneled under the direction of the county attorney, but their verdict was a perfunctory one. Amos later grew uncommunicative when pressed for details about the affair. It is regarded as curious that DeMoss should have taken the first drink when the other man was his guest, but this might very well have happened as narrated. The bottle of whisky was found in the dead man's hip pocket as recounted.

Waterloo Gets $100,000 Hospital.

Waterloo.—The Franciscan Sister of St. Louis have closed a contract for the purchase of forty-three acres of ground for a new Catholic hospital. The land is located two miles from the business center on Independence avenue and cost on an average of over $200 on acre. Possession will be given March 1 and work is to begin on a $100,000 hospital early next spring. The city agrees to give a [illegible] of $30,000.

QUARREL ENDS IN SHOOTING.

J. M. Lewis of Des Moines Wounds Newton Man.

Spirit Lake.—Loud, harsh and angry tones in the middle of the night, a quarrel in the lobby of the Hotel Okoboji, the crash of a revolver shot—these were audible evidences of an affray which led up to and included the shooting in the fleshy part of the arm of G. W. Mann of Newton by John M. Lewis of Des Moines.

Lewis, who is manager of the R. W. Yourex Wine and Liquor company of Des Moines, has been released on $1,000 bonds furnished by his brother.

Newton.—The result of the shooting in which W. D. Mann of Newton was wounded in the shoulder by J. M. Lewis of Des Moines at Spirit Lake may prove more serious than at first expected.

The bullet has not yet been located and there is grave danger of blood poison. The inured man has a high fever and is suffering intensely from the wound. He may lose his arm if the results are not even more serious.

Lewis' wife, says the doctor who attended the case, is suffering from cuts and bruises inflicted by her husband, and Night Clerk Chester Lyday of the Hotel Okoboji sustained an injured arm in a fight with Lewis to prevent his killing his wife.

After Lewis had shot Mann he turned his revolver toward a man from Webster City named Hall, but Joseph Geren of Des Moines, caught his arm before he could fire.

It is said that Lewis had been on a protracted spree, lasting a week, before the shooting occurred. He had trouble with his wife and on account of the threats he had made against her she was given a separate room in the hotel.

He came to the hotel intoxicated and endeavored to enter his wife's room, but was prevented by Clerk Lyday. In the scuffle Lewis injured the clerk's arm and tearing himself away broke into the room occupied by his wife. He attacked her with his fists and a murder might have been committed but for the timely arrival of the proprietor and several guests.

They managed to drag the infuriated man from the room and he left the hotel. Later he returned and during an argument over the matter Mann was shot.

AIM BLOW AT RIVER LAW.

City Solicitor Will Test Constitutionality.

Ottumwa.—Solicitor W. H. C. Jacques, acting for the city of Ottumwa, has brought suit in the district court to have declared unconstitutional the law passed by the last legislature giving the state the right to dispose of and sell river lands, formed by accretions from the changing of river channels.

The case grew out of the contemplated purchase by Charles A. Wellman and Calvin Manning of a strip of land on the north side of the Des Moines river, south of the railroad tracks and between the Market street and Milwaukee bridges, in the central part of the city.

The action was brought as the result of a meeting held by the city council and Judge Roberts issued a temporary injunction enjoining Manning and Wellman and W. C. Hayward secretary of the state of Iowa, from further proceeding with the sale of the strip of land.

The city explains in its suit that it is the intention of the purchasers to raise the land above the high water mark and at some time erect a factory on it. This it is contended would narrow the channel on the north side of the river and thereby increase the danger of floods on the south side where more than 6,000 people reside.

Blood Poison From Insect.

Charles City.—With his head swollen apparently to almost double its normal size from the bite of an insect, J. W. Grossman, a local junk dealer, is lying in a critical state here. Mr. Grossman was bitten while riding on a train coming from Cedar Rapids. He at first supposed that a flying cinder had struck him but his head soon began to swell and a fully developed case of blood poisoning resulted.

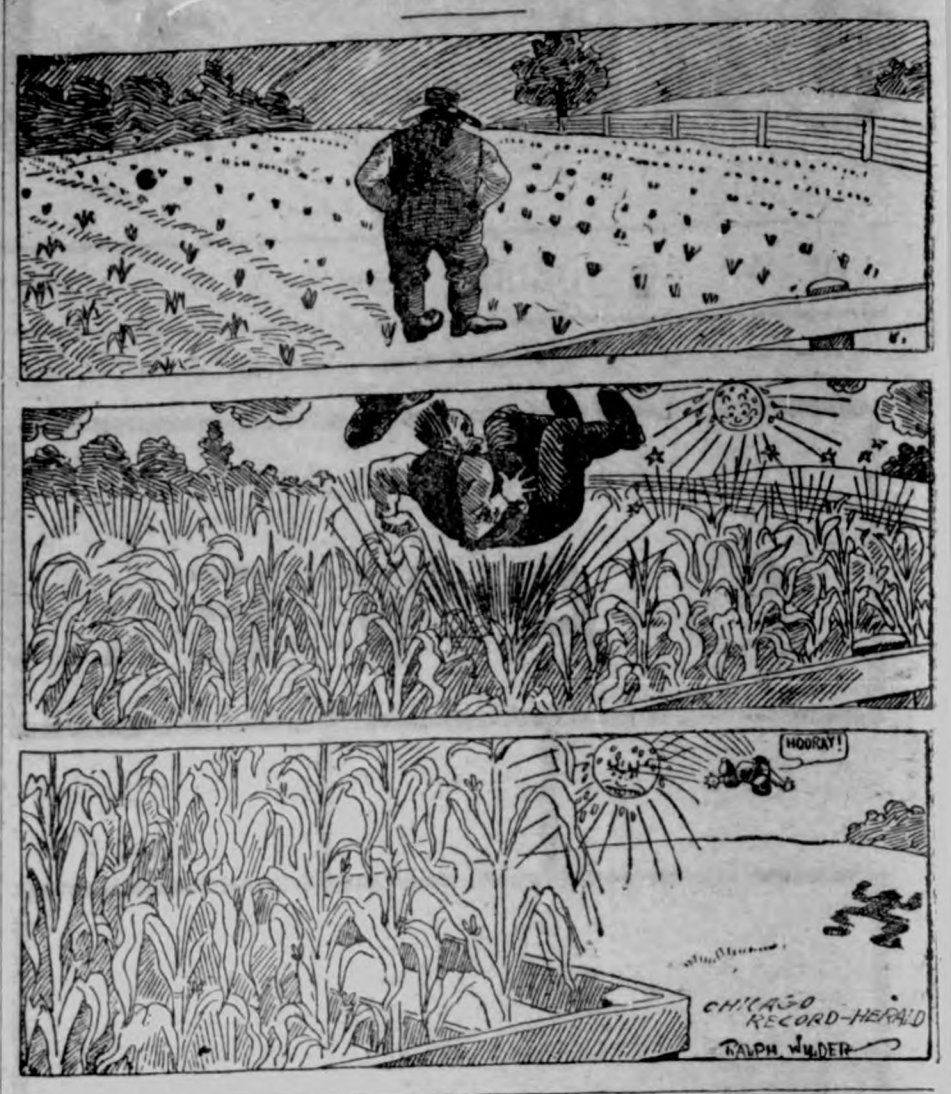
Noted Pioneer Killed By Fall.

Mount Pleasant.—Olson, one of the most prominent pioneers of Henry county, was instantly killed near Swedesburg in falling from a load of hay. His neck was broken and death came instantly. He was one of the best known farmers in this section of the state and lived with his daughter. He was about 73 years old.

Killed in a Runaway.

Lamont.—Thrown from his wagon and his skull crushed, Robert Teel a farmer living four miles in the country, died here after lying unconscious for several hours. Teel's team ran away and threw him from the wagon.

THE CORN IS CATCHING UP.



CZAR'S TROOPS IN MUTINY

SEMINOVSKY REGIMENT BREAKS UP REVIEW OF ARMY.

Demands Retirement of Gen. Reiman Who Helped Min In Moscow Butchery.

St. Petersburg. — The Seminovsky regiment mutinied on Wednesday while Emperor Nicholas was reviewing the troops at Krasnoye-Selo. The soldiers broke up the order of parade, refusing to take part in the maneuvers.

The men demanded the retirement from their command of Gen. Reiman, who, with Gen. Min, whom Reiman succeeded as commander of the regiment when Min was assassinated at Peterhof in August of last year, ruthlessly put down the Moscow uprising in December, 1905. The regiment was immediately dismissed from parade and its barracks searched. Much illegal literature was found, and four soldiers of the regiment were palced under arrest.

The authorities are trying to keep the matter secret because of the dissatisfaction that exists in the companies of the Preobrajensky regiment quartered here.

Wednesday was the first time that Gen. Reiman had assumed command of his regiment since his return from Alexandria, where he fled after Gen. Min was assassinated. Although he was appointed commander shortly after Min was killed, he did not assume command, but served with the emperor's personal bodyguard until the animosity aroused among his subordinates had cooled. The Seminovsky regiment, after the trouble in Moscow, voted to wipe out their disgrace in the blood of Generals Min and Reiman, who, they declared, forced them to fire upon and murder their fellow citizens.

HELD IN SLAVERY 22 MONTHS.

Italians Tell Story of Peonage on a Mississippi Plantation.

St. Louis.—The story told by Avanza Amedea and Guiborzi Olindo, Italians, who said they had been held in slavery for 22 months on a Mississippi plantation and had just escaped, caused United States District Attorney Blodgett Wednesday to institute an investigation into the alleged peonage.

According to the story told by the Italians through an interpreter, there is a peonage colony of 12 Italian families, consisting of 50 persons, on a cotton plantation at Robinsonville, Miss. They declared armed guards prevented any communication with persons outside the plantation. Those who attempted to escape were fired upon.

Sibley Law Is Upheld.

Omaha, Neb.—Judge W. H. Munger, in the federal court Friday handed down a decision holding that the Sibley law, passed by the last legislature, providing for a reduction of 25 per cent. in express rates, is constitutional and denying the application of the express companies for a temporary injunction restraining the Nebraska railway commission from enforcing the law.

Vessel for Missouri Tars.

Washington.—The converted yacht Huntress, with a displacement of 82 tons, has been assigned to the use of the Missouri naval militia. She is now being repaired.

QUIET IN RANGE COUNTRY.

Gov. Johnson of Minnesota Talks of Strike Situation.

St. Paul, Minn. — Gov. Johnson returned Friday from the iron range country and Duluth where he went to look into the strike situation. When asked what he thought of the affair he said:

"Everything is quiet up there and so far as I could learn there is no immediate prospect that the state will have to interfere to keep things quiet. I went up there at the request of Sheriff Bates. I talked with all parties concerned and found them disposed to remain orderly. The men were sober and while they paraded the streets in the towns I visited they dispersed when the parade was finished and that was all there was to it. When asked why they paraded they answered that there was nothing else to do.

"I did not see any necessity of state interference and hope there will not be any. What the future may bring forth I am unable to predict.

Asked if he thought the strike would last long Gov. Johnson said:

"I am not able to say as I am not informed. I believe that if the dock strike is settled and the men begin to work so that the mines can be opened and shipments of ore begin, that the mines will be opened. Some of the men will return to work and that will bring matters to a focus. What the outcome will be I cannot say."

MIRACLES AT KANKAKEE.

Several Persons Announce Themselves Healed at St. Anne's Shrine.

Kankakee, Ill.—Thousands of persons attending the ninth day session of the novena of the shrine of St. Anne Friday saw several persons arise in St. Joseph's church and announce that they had been healed of infirmities.

Miss Mary Pierce, 18 years old, of Delphi, Ind., said that she had been afflicted with paralysis for four years, during which time she had been unable to walk. She left the church without support. Miss Daisy Lamond, of Kankakee, almost blind for 32 years, said she was able to read without glasses at the close of the nine days of prayer.

George Neary, of Lost Nation, Ia., and Michael McCormick, of Kinsman, Ill., both said they had been cripples from childhood. They walked from the church and said it was the first time they had walked since infancy.

Soaks Head in Oil and Fires It.

Little Rock, Ark.—Angered because her husband refused to praise her for saving money on purchases for their store and for recent heavy sales, Mrs. Anna Lowe Thursday poured a gallon of coal oil on her head, told her little daughter to "watch and see the show," and then set fire to the oil. Mrs. Lowe's body was burned to a crisp in sight of her daughter and relatives who were attracted by the child's screams. Lowe is a laborer and his wife conducted a store while he was at work.

Famous French Convent Closed.

Paris. — The celebrated convent at Oiseaux, where so many young women of the aristocracy of France and other countries have been educated, has been closed under the law forbidding the continuation of institutions of secular instruction. The sisters protested against the closing of the convent, but they finally left, followed by their pupils.

THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES
By MEREDITH NICHOLSON
AUTHOR OF "THE MAIN CHANCE" "ZELDA DAMERON" &c.
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CHAPTER XIX.—Continued.

"Tut! They don't all marry the sons of brewers," I retorted. "You assured me once, while your affair with that Irish girl was on, that the short upper lip made Heaven seem possible, but unnecessary; then the next thing I knew she had shaken you for the bloated maltster. Take that for your impertinence. But perhaps it was Bates?"

I did not wait for an answer. I was not in a mood for reflection or nice distinctions. The man came in just then with a fresh plate of toast.

"Bates, Mr. Pickering has learned that I was away from the house on the night of the attack, and I'm ordered off for having broken my agreement to stay here. How do you suppose he heard of it so promptly?"

"From Morgan, quite possibly. I have a letter from Mr. Pickering myself this morning. Just a moment, sir."

He placed before me a note bearing the same date as my own. It was a sharp rebuke of Bates for his failure to report my absence promptly by wire, and he was ordered to prepare to leave on the first of February. "Close your accounts at the shopkeepers' and I will audit your bills on my arrival."

The tone was peremptory and contemptuous. Bates had failed to satisfy Pickering and was flung off like a smoked-out cigar.

"How much had he allowed you for expenses, Bates?"

He met my gaze imperturably.

"He pays me $50 a month as wages, sir, and I am allowed $75 for other expenses."

"But you didn't buy English pheasants and champagne on that allowance!"

He was carrying away the coffee tray and his eyes wandered to the windows.

"Not quite, sir. You see—"

"But I don't see!"

"It had occurred to me that as Mr. Pickering's allowance wasn't what you might call generous it was better to augment it— Well, sir, I took the liberty of advancing a trifle, as you might say, to the estate. Your grandfather would not have had you starve, sir."

He left hurriedly, as though to escape from the consequences of his words, and when I came to myself Larry was gloomily invoking his strange Irish gods.

"Larry Donovan, I've been tempted to kill that fellow a dozen times! This thing is too damned complicated for me. I wish my lamented grandfather had left me something easy. To think of it—that all the time I've been cursing and abusing Bates since I came here I've been enjoying his bounty,—and he's been giving me the fat of the land, just because of his devotion to my grandfather's memory. Lord, I can't face the fellow again!"

"As I have said before, you're rather lacking at times in perspicacity. Your intelligence is marred by large opaque spots. Now that there seems to be a woman in the case you're less sane than ever. Bah, these women! And now we've got to go to work."

Bah, these women! My own heart caught the words. I was enraged and bitter. No wonder she had been anxious for me to avoid Pickering in Cincinnati, after daring me to follow her there!

We called a council of war for that night that we might view matters in the light of Pickering's letter. His assuredness in ordering me to leave made prompt and decisive action necessary on my part. I summoned Stoddard to our conference, feeling confident of his friendliness.

"Of course," said the broad-shouldered chaplain, "if you could show that your absence was on business of very grave importance, the courts might construe in your favor."

Larry looked at the ceiling and blew rings of smoke languidly. I had not disclosed to either of them the cause of my absence. On such a matter I knew I should get precious little sympathy from Larry, and I had, moreover, a feeling that I could not discuss Marian Devereux with any one; I even shrank from mentioning her name, though it rang like the call of bugles in my blood.

She was always before me,—the charmed spirit of youth, linked to every foot of the earth, every gleam of the sun upon the ice-bound lake, every glory of the winter sunset. All the good impulses I had ever stifled were quickened to life by the thought of her. Amid the day's perplexities I started sometimes, thinking I heard her voice, her girlish laughter, or saw her again coming toward me down the stairs, or holding against the light her fan with its golden butterflies. I really knew so little of her; I could associate her with no home, only with that last fling of the autumn upon the lake, the snow-driven woodland, that twilight hour at the organ in the chapel, those stolen moments at the Armstrongs'. I resented the pressure of the hour's affairs, and chafed at the necessity for talking of my perplexities with the good friends who were there to help. I wished to be alone, to yield to the sweet mood that the thought of her brought me. The doubt that crept through my mind as to any possibility of connivance between her and Pickering was as vague and fleeting as the shadow of a swallow's wing on a sunny meadow.

"You don't intend fighting the fact of your absence, do you?" demanded Larry, after a long silence.

"Of course not!" I replied fiercely. "Pickering was right on my heels, and my absence was known to his men here. And it would not be square to my grandfather,—who never harmed a flea, may his blessed soul rest in peace!—to lie about it. They might nail me for perjury besides."

"Then the quicker we get ready for a siege the better. As I understand your attitude, you don't intend to move out until you've found where the siller's hidden. Being a gallant gentleman and of a forgiving nature, you want to be sure that the lady who is now entitled to it gets all there is coming to her, and as you don't trust the executor any further than a true Irishman trusts a British prime minister's promise, you're going to stand by to watch the bullion counted. Is that a correct analysis of your intentions?"

"That's as near one of my ideas as you're likely to get."

"Spoken like a man of spirit. And now we'd better stock up at once, in case we should be shut off from our source of supplies. This is a lonely place here; even the school is a remote neighbor. Better let Bates raid the village shops to-morrow. I've tried being hungry, and I don't care to repeat the experience."

"I can't imagine, I really can't believe," began the chaplain, "that Miss Devereux will want to be brought into this estate matter in any way. In fact, I have heard Sister Theresa say as much. I suppose there's no way of preventing a man from leaving his property to a young woman who has no claim on him,—who doesn't want anything from him."

"Bah, these women! People don't throw legacies to the birds these days. Of course she'll take it," observed Larry.

Then his eyes widened and met mine in a gaze that reflected the mystification and wonder that struck both of us. Stoddard turned suddenly from the fire, into which he had been gazing, exclaiming:

"What's that? There's some one up stairs!"

Larry was already running toward the hall, and I heard him springing up the steps like a cat, while Stoddard and I followed.

"Where's Bates?" demanded the chaplain.

"I'll thank you for the answer," I replied.

Larry stood at the top of the staircase, holding a candle at arm's length in front of him, staring about.

We could hear quite distinctly some one walking down a stairway; the sounds were unmistakable, just as I had heard them on two previous occasions, without ever being able to trace their source.

The noise ceased suddenly, leaving us with no hint of its whereabouts.

I went directly to the rear of the house and found Bates putting the dishes away in the pantry.

"Where have you been?" I demanded.

"Here, sir; I have been clearing up the dinner things, Mr. Glenarm. Is there anything the matter, sir?"

"Nothing."

I joined the others in the library.

"Why didn't you tell me this feudal imitation was haunted?" asked Larry in a grieved tone. "I'm increasingly glad I came. How often does it walk?"

"This is the third time," I admitted. "It's the wind in the tower probably; the wind plays queer pranks sometimes."

"You'll have to do better than that, Glenarm," laughed Stoddard. "It's as still outside as a country graveyard."

"Only the slaugh sidhe, the people of the faery hills, the cheerfulest ghosts in the world," said Larry. "You literal Saxons can't grasp the idea, of course."

But there was substance enough in our dangers without pursuing shadows. Certain things were planned that night. We determined to exercise every precaution to prevent a surprise from without, and we resolved upon a new and systematic sounding of walls and floors, taking our clue from the efforts made by Morgan and his ally to find hiding places by this process. Pickering would undoubtedly arrive shortly, and we wished to anticipate his movements as far as possible.

I Took the Liberty of Advancing a Trifle to the Estate.

CHAPTER XX.

The Return of Marian Devereux.

"Sister Theresa has left, sir."

Bates had been into Annandale to mail some letters, and I was staring out upon the park from the library window when he entered. Stoddard, having kept watch the night before, was at home asleep, and Larry was off somewhere in the house treasure-hunting. I was feeling decidedly discouraged over our failure to make any progress with our investigations, and Bates' news did not interest me.

"Well, what of it?" I demanded, without turning round.

"Nothing, sir; but Miss Devereux has come back!"

"The devil!"

I turned and took a step toward the door.

"I said Miss Devereux," he repeated in dignified rebuke. "She came up this morning, and the Sister left at once for Chicago. Sister Theresa depends particularly upon Miss Devereux,—so I've heard, sir. Miss Devereux quite takes charge when the Sister goes away."

"You seem full of information," I remarked, taking another step toward my hat and coat.

"And I've learned something else, sir."

"Well?"

"They all came together, sir."

"Who came; will you tell me that?"

"Why, the people who've been traveling with Mr. Pickering came back with him, and Miss Devereux came with them from Cincinnati. That's what I learned in the village. And Mr. Pickering is going to stay—"

"Pickering stay!"

"At a cottage across the lake for a while. The reason is that he's worn out with his work, and wishes quiet. The other people went back to New York in the car."

"He's opened his summer cottage for January, has he?"

"It does seem the least bit odd, sir," replied Bates, moving away.

I had been blue enough without this news. Marian Devereux had come back to Annandale with Arthur Pickering; my faith in her snapped like a reed at this astounding news. Being now entitled to my grandfather's property she was losing no time in returning. She and Pickering had discussed together at the Armstrongs' my flight from Annandale, and her return could have no other meaning than that there was a strong tie between them, and that he was now to stay on the ground until I should be dispossessed and her rights established. She had dared me to follow her, and my forfeiture had been sealed by that stolen interview at the Armstrongs'. It was a black record, and the thought of it angered me against myself and the world.

"Tell Mr. Donovan that I've gone to St. Agatha's," I said, and I was soon striding toward the school.

A Sister admitted me. Somewhere in the building a music lesson was in progress, and I consigned the inventor of pianos to hideous torment as scales were pursued endlessly up and down the keys. Two girls passing through the hall made a pretext of looking for a book and came in and exclaimed over their inability to find it with much suppressed giggling that added further to my rage.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Very Easy to Stalk a Moose

It is a very easy matter, requiring little skill but silence, to glide along in the twilight or moonlight, keeping the canoe in the shadow of bordering trees, until, when rounding the point, the great amorphous bulk of a moose looms large in the middle distance.

If old at the game, it is no trick to steal forward each time his head goes under water in search of the tender roots, until within easy range, says a writer in Recreation. Thus I have advanced until forced to stop for safety's sake, for a bull moose is not an animal to be trifled with. I know of two fellows who, only last fall, paid for their curiosity with a narrow escape. It was before the season opened. They were out at dusk in their canoe, floating along some yards from shore, and on rounding a point saw a moose a short distance ahead. They were unarmed, but felt no fear, for they expected every second that the beast would turn and make off into the woods. Nearer and nearer they glided until with the rush of an avalanche he was upon them. There was nothing for it but to dive into the water and swim, which they did, reaching safety on the opposite bank. After smashing the frail canoe into pieces, the moose calmly went ashore and disappeared in the woods.

All for the Want of a Hatpin

Disagreeable Experience to Two In Sacred Edifice.

The woman who had just purchased a "transformation" had a rather disagreeable experience the first time she wore it to church. Happening to bow too low at one point of the service, her hat slid off, carrying her wig with it and exposing the little wisp of hair which was all that was left of her natural crown of glory and which was screwed up in a most unbecoming fashion. A relative, kneeling beside her, made a dive for the chapeau and succeeded in recoving and replacing it before its loss had been noticed. But the "transformation" had disappeared. After awhile a man in the pew in front reached for his handkerchief, which he had placed inside his hat on a hassock. His hand became entangled in something which apparently moved. It was the "transformation," but he thought only of mice, and gave vent to his surprise and discomfiture in some unmelodious sounds that greatly scandalized the congregation.

Quite a lucrative business, it seems, is done in Japan in the exportation of frog skins for purses. The works controlled by a Tokio merchant have exported as many as 130,000 skins in less than a year.

HAYWOOD IS FREE

JURY DECLARES MINE LEADER NOT GUILTY.

OUT TWENTY-ONE HOURS

Governor Gooding Declares That State Will Try Moyer and Pettibone.

Boise, Idaho, July 29.—Into the bright sunlight of a beautiful Sabbath, into the stillness of a city drowsy with lazy slumbers, William D. Haywood, defendant in one of the most noted trials involving conspiracy and murder that the country has ever known, walked a free man, acquitted of complicity in the murder of former Governor Frank Steunenbery.

The probability of acquittal of the secretary-treasurer and acknowledged leader of the Western Federation of Miners had been freely predicted since Saturday, when Judge Fremont Wood read his charge. It was regarded as strongly favoring the defense in its interpretation of the laws of conspiracy, circumstantial evidence and the corroboration of an accomplice who confesses.

It was also freely predicted that in the event of Haywood's acquittal the state would abandon the prosecution of his associates, Chas. H. Moyer, president of the federation, and Geo. A. Pettibone of Denver. Statements from counsel and from Governor Gooding issued yesterday dispel this view.

"The verdict is a great surprise to me, and I believe to all citizens of Idaho who heard or read the evidence in the case," said Governor Gooding. "I have done my duty. I have no regret as to any action I have taken, and my conscience is clear. As long as God gives me strength I shall continue my efforts for government by law and for organized society.

"The state will coninue a vigorous prosecution of Moyer and Pettibone and Adams and of Simpkins when apprehended. There will be neither hestitation nor regret,"

Application will be made to Judge Wood this morning to admit Moyer and Pettibone to bail.

Not the least interesting of the comments upon the verdict was that of Harry Orchard, the self-confessed murderer of Steunenberg and the witness upon whom the state chiefly relied to prove its claim of a conspiracy by the Western Federation of Miners. When told that Haywood had been acquitted, Orchard talked to the newspaper men.

"Well, I have done my duty," he said. "I have told the truth. I could do no more. I am ready to take any punishment that may be meted out to me for my crime, and the sooner it comes the better."

It was after being out for twenty-one hours that the jury, that at first had been divided eight to four and then seemed deadlocked at ten to two, finally came to an agreement shortly after dawn.

The weary, snowy bearded bailiff, who had kept an all night vigil before the jury room was startled by an imperative knock.

The principal actors in the trial gathered in the court room a few moments before 8 o'clock and the white envelope handed by the foreman to the judge was torn open and the verdict read.

It came as an electric thrill to the prisoner, to his counsel and to the small group of heavy eyed newspaper men and court officials who had been summoned from beds.

Haywood's attorneys were fairly lifted from their seats and Judge Wood made no effort to restrain them as they surrounded him to shake hands and shout aloud their congratulations.

FIRE AT CONEY ISLAND.

Damage to Extent of $1,000,000 Is The Result.

New York, July 29.—Coney Island, the play ground of New York's millions, was visited by a disastrous fire early yesterday and seven blocks in the amusement section were completely destroyed.

Tilliou's Steeple Chase park and nearly a score of small hotels were wiped out, and for a time the flames threatened Luna Park and Dreamland, great homes of summer amusement and scores of smaller places which fringe the water edge for a mile. A lucky shift of the wind to seaward aided the firemen, but not until a million dollars' damage had been done.

Three persons were injured, Gottfried Messerli, a fireman, probably fatally.

PUNISH ANTI-SEMITIC RIOTERS.

Bialystok, Russia, July 28.—The district court yesterday handed down sentences in the cases of men placed on trial for complicity in the anti-Jewish attacks here June, 1906. The court sentenced a man named Demyanovitch to eight years hard labor in the mines, and four other men were given life terms of imprisonment.

Demyanovitch was the leader of the gang which attacked a party of Jews who had taken refuge in a railroad station outside the to killing and seriously wounding and mutilating many more. nesses testified that Demyan had murdered several Jews with own hand, beating out their bra against a rock.

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"There goes a man who has done much to arouse the people."

"Great labor agitator, eh?"

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The hostes who wishes something different is asked to try using striped and fancy grasses, rushes and little wild foliage plants that grow in damp places, and along streams. A table can be made very pretty with these using no flowers. Try it.

German M. E. Church Items

Ida Schwichtenberg was in Mason City last Saturday.

Grandma Schwichtenberg returned from Colesburg last week Thursday.

F. C. Griewe drove to Burt this week in the interest of the nursery business.

Rev. Wessel conducted quarterly meeting at Fenton last Saturday and Sunday.

A few of our people are camping at Clear this week and taking in the Chautauqua program.

John Gruetzmacher and Aug. Wenz are at Charles City taking in the Chautauqua and visiting friends.

Geo. Gruetzmacher filled the pulpit in the Klemme church last Sunday and F. W Merten in the Germantown church.

Minnie and Esther Lenz returned from Fenton on Tuesday accompanied by their sister Mrs. Ad Ridder and children.

The annual missionary sermon will be preached next Sunday in both churches and it is hoped that all may turn out to hear it.

The new cement walk around the church and parsonage certainly are a great improvement over the old walk. This with the two lots which were recently purchased, give the church an admirable property.

FOR AN IMPAIRED APPETITE.

To improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion try a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. J. H. Seitz, of Detroit, Mich., says: They restored my appetite when impaired, relieved me of a bloated feeling and caused a pleasant and satisfactory movement of the bowels. Price, 25 cents. Samples free. J L Harr & Co.

Germantown News.

Henry Griewe was on his farm Saturday.

Clara Lawton visited friends near Sioux Island Sunday.

John Goll sold some fine porkers to the Klemme buyers Saturday.

Grandpa Boutilier near Eagle Lake died Saturday morning. He lived to 92 years old.

Mrs. Harris Merten of Des Moines is visiting with her parents C. J. Lunn and family.

Mrs. Art Haes arrived from Grafton Sunday and visited a few days on the farm with the boys.

We are haveing some fine weather these days Some farmers are busy cutting oats and barley.

F. J. Urich and wife went to Rochester, Minn. last week Wednesday where Mrs. Urich will undergo an operation.

Messrs. Henry, Wm., Charles and Miss Emma Ziesemer and Mrs H. J. Virchow of Ventura, visited with the Haes brothers Sunday.

The hail last week Tuesday did considerable damage to crops near Duncan. Joe Urich, Frank Whalek, the Poor Farm and J. T. Brown were the heaviest loosers on this side of Eagle Lake.

EQZEMA.

For the good of those suffering with eczema or other such trouble, I wish to say, my wife had something of that kind and after using the doctors remedies for some time, concluded to try Chamberlain's salve and it proved to be better than anything she had tried For sale by J L Harr & Co.

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LOCAL NEWS

Read the market report.

F. J. Wenck drove to Garner, Sunday.

C. C. Suckow is painting the Bloom elevator.

Miss May Yohn was at Garner Monday between trains.

R. Friedman drove up from Goodell last week Saturday.

Harve Allen and Will Quigley are laying a foundation for C. P. Ell's house.

M. E. Peck of Garner, erected a windmill for A. J. Schoenwetter, 40 foot tower.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

Miss Ida Ebinger of Los Angeles, California, is visiting with her sister Mrs. H. L. Schuldt and family.

Look here, stock raisers. We have tne Dipolene which is good for hogs, sheep and ary other animals. H. Lau & Son

Keep the pores open and the skin clean when you have a cut, burn, bruise or scratch. Dewitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve penetrates the pores and heals quickly. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Ed. Greffin and force of carpenters are erecting a barn 32x52,-18 foot posts for Arthur J. Schoenwetter. The barn will be completed Saturday this week.

Mrs. J. Nissen and daughter arrived from Dows on Monday and is visiting with relatives. She will also help take care of her mother-in-law who is on the sick list.

The J. H. Queal & Co. lumber yard of this place are making more improvements. They are now building a roof from the roof which was erected to the top of the west shed which now encloses the whole west side.

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Rev. A. Muehlmeier was at Garner, Tuesday.

Read the Klemme Times ad. opposite local page.

Your wish is absolutely guaranteed by that ad of the State Savings Bank.

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Jno. Gruetzmacher and family visited last Sunday with Ed. Schaefer and family in Germantown.

Herman Schuldt and force are erecting a barn for Wm. Beier, Jr. Dimensions 40x48, 18 foot posts.

There is nothing that brings home the thot of financial dependence as that ad of the State Savings Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackman and little son of Ft. Dodge, visited with Mrs. Jackman's parents Chris Hansen and family.

Aug. Wenz left this week for Charles City where he will visit with his best——well we presume take in the Chautauqua.

Mrs. H. Freie returned from Webster City last week Saturday. Her daughter Mrs. John Braund and Eunice accompanied her who will visit here for a short time.

John Riha, a prominent dealer of Vining, Ia, says: "I have been selling DeWitts's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. There are a dozen people here who have used them and they give perfect satisfaction in every case. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Wheeler Bros. the modern entertainers, gave a motion picture entertainment in the Woodman Hall on Monday evening. They had a fine selection and their illustrated songs were up-to-date. The attendance was not large.

Free, for catarrh, just to prove merit, a trial size box of Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Let me send it now. It is a snow-white creamy, healing antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as oil eucaliptus, thymol, menthol, etc. it gives instant relief to catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Adress Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50c. Sold by All Dealers.

Wallace F. Pavey and W. A. Schraflel arrived from Beaman, Iowa Tuesday afternoon. Wallace has been away since Dec. and has most of the time followed the occupation of laying cement walks. His friend Mr. Schrafler will visit here for a while and intends renting a farm providing he can get one to suit him.

I will mail you free to prove merit, samples of my Dr. Shoop's restorative and my book on either dyspepria, the heart or the kidneys. Troubles of the stomach, heart or kidneys, are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailment and not the cause. Weak stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean stomach weakness, always. And the heart and kidneys as well have their controling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves, and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the inside nerves. Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's restorative. Write me to day for sample and free book. Dr. Shoop Racine, Wis. The restorative is sold by All Dealers.

C. P. Ell drove to Goodell last Wednesday.

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Elmer Dow of Rake, Iowa, is visiting here with relatives and friends.

Remember they pay you to save—see ad of State Savings Bank on first page.

Now is the time of the year to buy cream separators and gas enginesat H. Lau & Son tf.

Sheriff Suurballe of Garner, was looking after legal matters in this vicinity Wednesday.

G. R. Waterman and family drove to Garner Sunday and visited with Charles Behrens and family.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

Rev. Wessel left last week Saturday for Fenton, Iowa where he conducted quarterly meeting of the Ger. M. E. church. He left there on Monday and joined his family at Garner and left from there for Clear Lake where they will spend a few days outing on the lake.

John Gruetzmacher left this week Thursday for Charles City where he will visit with Charles Gruetzmacher and family. He will also take in the Chautauqua which takes place Aug. 1 to 13. Several noted orators will be there and take part in the exercises.

Don't accept a cough cure that you may be told is just as good as Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup, because it isn't just as good—there is quite a difference. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently upon the bowels and clears the whole system of coughs and colds. It promptly relieves inflamation of the throat and allays irritation. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

While Fred C. Griewe's team was standing near his residence last week Saturday, a piece of paper frightened them and they took a run going north as far as the hotel, turning then and going east and were found tangled up in the harness east of Aug. Barz's farm. The wagon they left at the corner of Lew Lewis. No damage was done to the horses and but a trifle damage was done to the wagon. Fred was very fortunate that his team did not meet with fatal results or that they might have hurt some one else.

Those who have stomach trouble no matter how slight should give every possible help to the digestive organs so that food may be digested with the least effort. This may be done by taking something that contains natural digestive properties—something like Kodol for indigestion and dyspepsia. Kodol is a preparation of vegetable acids and contains the very same Juices found in a healthy stomach. It digests what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

This office is in receipt of a nicely gotten up book of the Hancock County Agricultural Society of Britt. It will be the 27th annual exhibition which convenes on Sept. 3 to 5. Competition is open to the adjoining counties. The book contains many good features and good premiums will be award to those who will be prize winners at the fair. Their race program is a good one and many noted horses will be there. Any one not haveing one of these books and wishing one, can write to John Hammill, Sec. who will be pleased to send you one. Good weather is all that Hancock county is hoping for during fair week.

Mrs. Harry Ell was at Garner Tuesday.

Read! Read! Read! That ad of State Savings Bank.

Arthur Wellemeyer has an entire change of ad this week.

Mrs. Valentine Josten, Sr. is recovering nicely after the operation.

The First National Bank wish to call your atrention to their display ad.

Elko Buss and family are rejoicing over the arrival of a new daughter on July 25th

One couldn't wish for better weather than we have been receiving for harvesting.

Our implement dealers have been realizing a nice business in selling binders these days.

Gruetzmacher Bros. are having a cement walk laid in front of their store and the postoffice.

The weather has been very favorable these days for our farmers in their rush of harvesting.

Miss Katie Blank who has been visiting here with her cousins, returned to her home at Hayfield on Monday last.

Mrs. H. Mann, young son and daughter were at Garner from Monday until Wednesday evening where they visited with the editor's parents.

Mrs. Ben Swalve is visiting with her mother at Freeport, Illinois. Her mother has been very sick and there is a question as to her recovery.

Mrs. Angus of Algona and her daughter Mrs. Cotten and little girl of Lonerock, Iowa, arrived Wednesday and are visiting with N. L. Palmer and wife.

Mrs. C. Nissen was taken sick suddenly last week Saturday and has been confined to her bed ever since. At present writing she is slowly on the mend.

Frank Kluckhohn assisted the Belmond nine in a game of ball with the Clarion nine which was played at Belmond Wednesday. Belmond won by a score of 8 to 3.

Our "City Dads" put in four cement crossings. H. Heimann and force did the work. Who says Klemme isn't coming to the front in the way of improvements.

Mrs. John Josten and son left Wednesday for Clear Lake. She will also visit at Mason City and from there she leaves for Monona where she expects to visit for a couple of weeks with relatives.

A game of ball between Ft. Dodge and Forest City was had at Forest City on Tuesday, July 30th. The game resulted in a victory for Forest City, score 8 0. Frank Kluckhohn played with the Forest City team.

A. Shoop of Clear Lak, is the new harness maker at Frank Gruetzmacher's store. Mr. O. Swoboda expects to leave here the middle of August. Mr. Swoboda is a pleasant gentleman and we regret seeing him leave.

We never repent of eating too little was one of the ten rules of life of Thomas Jefferson, president of the United States, and the rule applies to every one without exception during this hot weather, because it is hard for food even in small quantities, to be digested when the blood is at high temperature. At this season we should eat sparingly and properly. We should also help the stomach as much as possible by the use of a little Kodol For Indigestion and Dyspepsia, which will rest the stomach by digesting the food itself. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

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While I calculate going out of the threshing business, I offer my threshing outfit for sale. Threshermen if you intend investing in a second-hand rig, here is your chance to buy a good rig cheap and farmers if you are thinking of forming a company in your locality, this rig will last you for years. It will pay you to see me before you place your order. My rig is in good running order and will do good work. It consists of one new Huber 16 H. P. engine, 1 Port Huron 36-60 high deck seperator, 1 Hart's telescope wagon elevator and conveyor, 1 Parson self feeder and band cutter, 1 Pella attached swinging stacker 30 ft. long all belting in good shape, 1 link lifting jack, one ½ round wagon water tank, 1 tank pump with hose complete. In short it is a complete rig for any thresherman. For further particulars call on or address

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DES MOINES LETTER

Items of Interest From Our Correspondent at the State Capital.

No More Pardons by Legislature.

Des Moines.—There are 130 crimes for which the Iowa penal code provides penalties.

Death is the maximum penalty for one of these—murder in the first degree.

Under the indeterminate sentence law the district judges are supposed no longer to fix a definite term of imprisonment for persons convicted of these 130 felonies except in cases of murder in the first degree. And under the new parole law operating with the indeterminate sentence law, every convict sent to Fort Madison and Anamosa after July 4, 1907, may be required to serve the maximum penalty for the felony of which he has been convicted, within the discretion of the board of parole.

There is some question as to the powers of the new board, if a convict were given a life sentence by a district judge. There is a possibility that the new law repeals the law relative to the submission of application for pardon by first degree murderers to the legislature by the governor. It is unlikely that in any event, the governor has full power to pardon first degree murderers whatever the recommendation or advice of the legislature, and it is conceded that the governor has the power to refuse to follow the advice of the legislature even after it is taken.

This is purely a legal proposition, however, for the governor always has and doubtless always will follow the advice of the assembly in such cases, unless it turns out that hereafter, under the Saunders indeterminate sentence law, it will not be necessary to submit applications for pardon to the legislature at all. The opinion of the attorney general on the subject will be taken.

Secretary B. W. Garrett of the board of parole has carefully examined the penal code and has prepared a tabulated list of felonies penalized therein, together with the maximum penalty provided in each case. This list will be a part of the forthcoming booklet issued by the parole board. Of the 130 felonies the maximum penalty for one is death; for 12, life imprisonment; for 2, 30 years; for 4, 25 years; for 7, 20 years; for 3, 15 years; for 30, 10 years; for 46, 5 years; for 1, 6 years; for 3, 8 years; for 4, 7 years, and for the other 30 less than 5 years.

Assault with intent to commit murder and burning an inhabited dwelling in the day time are the two felonies taking thirty years. No mimimum is provided. Dynamiting, enticing a female child for prostitution, being a habitual criminal, and incest take twenty-five year maximum sentences except that this is the mimimum for being an habitual criminal.

Assume that an accused person is convicted of train robbery. The district judge, under the indeterminate sentence law, sentences him, not for a certain term of years, but simply to the penitentiary, or reformatory, if he be under thirty years of age. Under the rules adopted by the board of parole his case becomes subject to consideration after eleven months. He may then be paroled, at the discretion of the board, which has full power. It may keep him in the penitentiary or reformatory for life if it sees fit. But after he is paroled within a year he may be recommended to the governor for pardon. This is the whole operation of the new system. The parole board has adopted rules to govern convicts who are paroled, which provide that he must make monthly report and conduct himself decently. And cigarettes are tabooed by the board.

Big Damage Cases Compromised.

By the payment of $5,000 in cold cash the Northwestern Railway company has secured the dismissal of five big damage suits aggregating $110,500 which grew out of the disastrous wreck in East Des Moines last February. The damages demanded in the five suits ranged from $33,500 to $2,000. Atterney James C. Davis, counsel for the Northwestern, gave out the statement that $1,000 was paid in each case. Attorneys Gillispie & Bannister of East Des Moines, who represented the plaintiffs, filed the dismissals in the office of United States Circuit Clerk Mason.

Pup Hung Up as Prize.

A pup has been added to the list of Ames college scholarship prizes hung up for the boys of Iowa at the state fair the last week in August.

This makes four prizes where hitherto there has been but one.

The first prize is a $200 scholarship at the college, the second $100, the third $25, and the fourth the pup. It is no common mangy pup of ill degree—it is a collie and the records at the state house disclose that the trustees of the agricultural college have been known to spend as high as $25 for a good collie for the sheep herds.

Will Not Enforce Butter Fat Rule.

Dairymen have been notified that Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson and Dr. Riley, pure food expert of the department, have decided not to attempt to enforce the rule requiring 82 1-2 per cent butter fat in butter and limiting the moisture to 13 1-2 per cent.

Last winter when the national pure food bill came into operation it was found that Dr. Riley had fixed the fat standard for butter at 82 1-2 per cent. This would practically mean 13 1-2 per cent as the maximum amount of water that butter should contain, or a reduction of 2 1-2 per cent from the leading standard of the markets of the world.

Bulletin 80 of the Iowa experiment station was the only authentic work on the subject that had been published in any country at that time. Prof. G. L. McKay, head of the dairy department at Iowa college, organized the dairymen of this state and adjoining states and headed a delegation to Washington to protest against the enforcement of the new standard for butter in the pure food bill.

After listening to the arguments presented by the delegation, both Secretary Wilson and Dr. Wiley promised not to enforce the standard of 82 1-2 per cent. The adoption of such a standard would have meant a loss to the Iowa farmers of over $600,000 annually. The make of butter in Iowa is about 160,000,000 pounds annually and this would have meant a loss of about 2 1-2 pounds in the hundred.

Professor McKay is conducting experiments at Strawberry Point to ascertain by daily tests what relation the varying per cents of moisture have on the keeping qualities of butter.

Joint Rate Order Issued.

A total mimimum charge of 40 cents instead of 25 cents for each shipment over two or more railroads has been fixed by the state railroad commission.

It was understood at the time of the joint rate hearing that the minimum charge to be fixed would be 25 cents. This has been the minimum for interstate shipments and Iowa shippers asked the same rate for themselves. Hitherto they have been compelled to pay 25 cents to each carrier. If a minimum shipment were handled my three roads it cost 75 cents, while the interstate shipment was but 25 cents over the same lines and mileage.

It was stated at the hearing that the interstate minimum charge would go to 50 cents soon, but it has not yet.

In its joint rate order the commission announces that the continuous mileage rate shall govern in joint shipments when the joint rate of 80 per cent of the sum of the local tariffs amounts to less than the continuous mileage rate.

Eighty per cent is promulgated as the joint rate for the state. But there are cases in which it would amount to less than the continuous mileage rate would be on the distance involved. For instance, the first class rate for 325 miles is 57,5 cents per 100. But the rate for five miles is 14 cents and for 320 miles it is 57 cents or 71 cents combined. Eighty per cent of this would be 56.8 cents, or less than the continuous mileage would amount to. Hence, the continuous mileage in such a case would furnish the actual rate.

Fraud Is Suspected.

Five teachers in Kossuth county answered examination questions so similarly that the suspicion of the readers who went through these papers recently was aroused and an investigation was begun.

They referred the matter to the head readers, who were county superintendents, and they decided that there was evidence, at least, of fraud and collusion among the teachers, and perhaps others, in the preparation of the answers to the questions.

State Superintendent Riggs accepted the view of the readers and notified the county superintendent of Kossuth county of the situation. He asked the county superintendent to make definite inquiry into the reasons why the papers were so nearly identical. Incidentally they were very nearly perfect, markings in all of them being from 97 to 99 on all subjects; especially the advanced subjects were perfectly understood by the teachers.

The superintendent of Kossuth county did not cotton to the letter that the state superintendent sent him, and wrote back a heated reply. To this the state superintendent replied, suggesting that the teachers take the examinaions which are about to be written by the teachers in the different counties, which would give them an excellent and easy means of demonstrating that there was no collusion, and that they did not have access in advance to the questions sent out for the June examination.

DEATH IN A NEW GUISE.

Scheme That Landed a Hungarian Judge in Town Jail.

In a little village on the Hungarian frontier, not far from Presburg, a peasant woman recently received 400 kronen ($85) from her husband in America.

She promptly deposited it in the local branch of the postoffice savings bank, and then the next day went to withdraw the whole amount.

The bank official was somewhat surprised, and asked for an explanation, when she said that Death had appeared to her during the night and threatened to take her away with him unless she had the 400 crowns ready for him the next night.

The gendarmes were communicated with, and when "Death" made his promised appearance he was found to be very much alive, in the person of the local judge.

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Criticism of Legislators.

Lessons in pronunciation are needed by a number of members of the house. The majority of those who tackle the word "victuallers" insist on pronouncing it phonetically instead as if spelled "vittlers," and the word municipal is another great stumbling block, members almost invariably putting the accent on the wrong syllable. —Boston Record.

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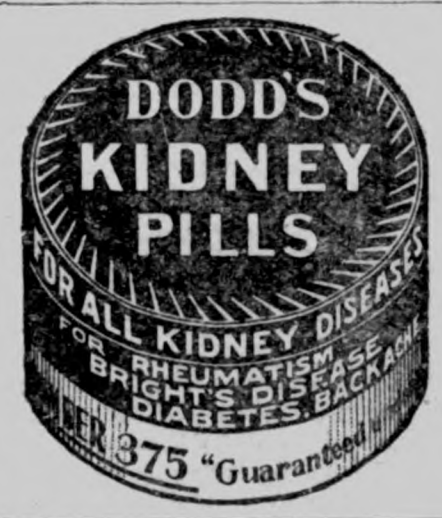

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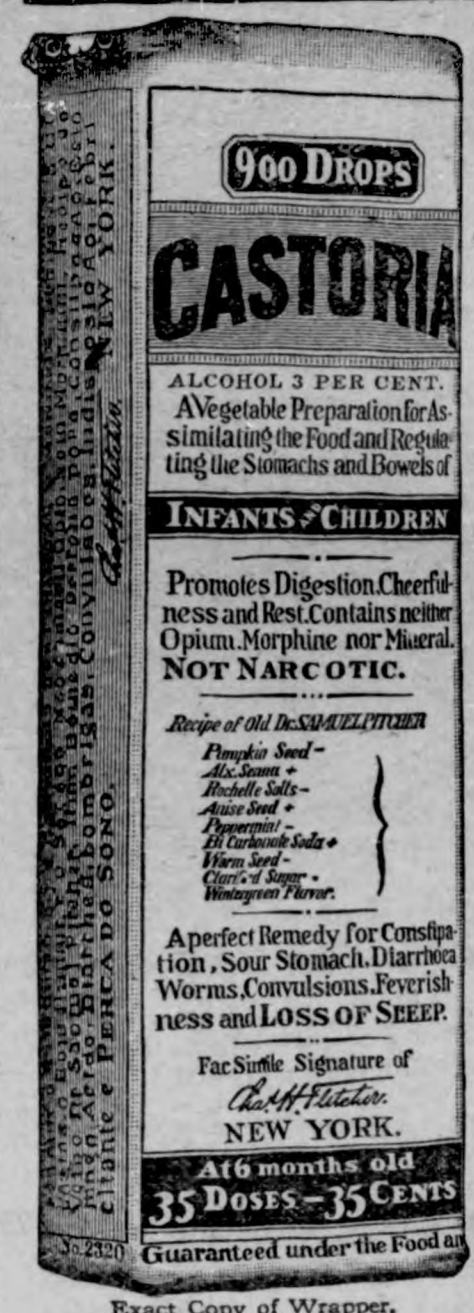
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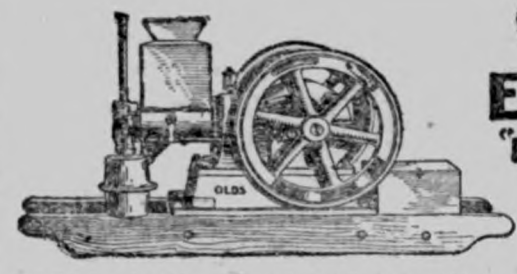

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Acting Secretary of Interior Woodruff Calls Attention of Geological Survey.

Washington. — There is absolutely no necessity and little danger of a coal famine in the west and northwest. So declares Acting Secretary Woodruff of the interior department in a statement issued Friday concerning the coal area as developed by the geological survey. He says:

"Not including great areas of lignite, which will be mined only after the more valuable coal deposits are exhausted, the geological survey has determined that there are townships in the states and territories west of South Dakota, Nebraska and Kansas, aggregating in all over 60,000,000 acres of land, each township of which contains, under its entire surface or part of it, workable deposits of coal. This work has been taken up with the utmost vigor during the present year and townships containing more than 28,000,000 acres in which workable coal exists have been examined and classified.

"When one remembers that these classified areas are most conveniently situated with reference to transportation and settled districts and that every acre of them is subject to purchase from the government under the coal land laws, and has been for several months; also that the Northern Pacific Railroad company alone is reputed to have in its own possession and containing over $300,000,000 worth of coal, and also that many hundred thousand acres of coal land scattered throughout the entire region containing coal have already passed into private holding and in many instances contain large mining plants, it is easy to see that if there is to be a coal famine next winter, such a famine will result only from failure to mine the coal which is easily accessible, either by grant to railroads, purchase in the past by individuals and companies, or entry at the present time under the laws.

"The geological survey has 16 parties of trained experts advantageously scattered over the entire region containing coal. These mining engineers are daily adding to the areas classified and opened to entry. It is believed that by November 1 all land in the public land states known to contain workable deposits of coal will be classified and subject to entry."

Mr. Woodruff expresses the hope that the next congress may enact a leasing law which will permit companies to acquire control of more than the 640 acres now allowed to be purchased.

Of the coal land still held by the government over 25,000,000 acres is held at the minimum prices of ten dollars and $20 per acre, over 220,000 at $50 and over 30,000 at $75. This is in accordance with the classification made by the survey.

GUARD GRAVES OF ANCESTORS.

Three Indian Sisters Arm to Protect Old Huron Cemetery.

Kansas City, Mo.— Helena, Ida and Lida Conley, sisters, and Wyandotte Indians, began an armed guard Thursday over the graves of their ancestors in Huron cemetery in Kansas City, Kan., and threaten to shoot the first person who may attempt to remove the bodies.

Congress authorized the sale of the cemetery, set aside for many years as a tribal burying ground, and a division of the money among the remaining members of the Wyandotte tribe, first removing the bodies. The Conley girls say they won't permit the graves to be touched and they began the erection of a shanty on the outskirts of the cemetery. Miss Helena Conley, who was superintending the building, said:

"From this time on one of the three Conley sisters will be here in the daytime. At night all three of us shall sleep here and guard.

"In this cemetery are buried one hundred of our ancestors. The blood of the ancient royalty of France flows in my veins. My grandfather owned the whole state of Ohio. Why should we not be proud of our ancestors and protect their graves? We shall do it, and woe be to the man that first attempts to steal a body."

American Flag Ordered Down.

Ottawa, Ont.—There were one or two American flags put here at the city hall with the union jack and other decorations in connection with a carnival. A committee of citizens has ordered the stars and stripes removed.

The reception committee thought it best to do this rather than have any trouble over the matter.

Supposed Murderer Caught.

Lebanon, Pa.—A man giving the name of Joe Blotwicky, but who, it is believed, is Michael Hydrick, who is wanted in Bellaire, O., for murder, was arrested here Wednesday.

A WOMAN'S SUFFERINGS.

A Dreadful Operation Seemed to Be the Only Outcome.

Mrs. Clyde Pixley, Bridge St., Belding, Mich., writes: "I had inflammation of the bladder and the trouble had gone so far in five years that my physicians said nothing but an operation would cure me. Awful bearing down pains, backaches and headaches tortured me, there were spells of dizziness and faintness, the kidney secretions were like blood and passed with intense pain. I had lost 30 pounds when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, and was dreadfully nervous. In one week I felt better and to-day I am a well woman and have been for a long time."

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HAD MISSED GOOD THING.

Patrick's Joy Dimmed by Thought of Wasted Opportunities.

Patrick, recently arrived and unused to the ways of this country, was accosted one day by a member of the sporting fraternity, who offered to impart to him, for a modest consideration, a marvelous way to make money without toiling for it. All one needed, he said, was a small amount to bet on a certain horse that couldn't possibly lose. "And yez say Oi can get that money without working for it?" asked the bewildered Irishman, when the other was through explaining. "Sure thing. All the work you got to do is to count the mazuma." "Ill thry it," said Pat. So they hied them to a racecourse, where the sporty-looking gentleman placed Pat's money at odds of five to one. And the horse won! Pat's joy was unbounded when he was handed a large roll of yellow-backed bills. Calling his new-found friend to one side, he asked in a voice that trembled with excitement: "Oi say, how long has this thing been goin' on?"

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"Intestinal dyspepsia is the direct consequence of such feeding."

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There was never yet a fair woman but she made mouths in a glass.—Shakespeare.

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Fred H. Schuldt was in the township on business last Wednesday.

John Tanner and L. Wendel hauled hogs to Klemme Saturday and Monday.

The Union Sunday School Convention July 21st was a success. A large number attended.

Some of the young folks of this vicinity attended the program in Klemme Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Farman of Mourovia, Cal., has been visiting her sister Mrs. James Thomas recently.

Some of the Klemme folks made a short visit with friends here and also took in the sights at Butterfield's Grove on Sunday July 21.

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Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of July, A. D., 1907, at 1 o'clock P M. in the office of the County Auditor of Hancock county at Garner, Iowa, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder; by sealed bids which will be received up to the hour of letting the contract, each of which bids must be accompanied by a certified check for ten per centum (10 per cent) of the amount of the bid; a contract for furnishing and laying the tile in Drainage District No. Nineteen (19) of Hancock county, Iowa, which work shall be commenced on or before Aug. 10th, 1907, and completed on or before November 15th, 1907, and shall be done in accordance with the report, map, plat, profile and field notes now on file in the Auditor's office and work must be per rod of work bid on.

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PLAY BALL!

The Hasbeens and Old Timers met on the Klemme Diamond Aug. 7th, 1907.

At this time of age many fast games are played but if any one ever witnessed a faster game of ball than was played between the Hasbeens and Old Timers, they will haveto show us.

Both the nines have a world's reputation and have seldom met their defeat from professional nines. This was the first time that these nines met and it was a treat for those that had the pleasure of witnessing the game.

In the first place an umpire was wanted that was possessed of nerve and staying qualities and wasn't afraid to say his soul was his own so Dr. Zinn was decided upon. The doctor did noble work and many close decisions were made, but as the game became getting hotter and especially in the ninth inning, the curves which were thrown by Day and Parker were so streanuous to his eyes the he was compelled to resign his position as umpire. The next nervy man who was decided upon to finish umpiring the game was Harve Allen (who is better known as "Uncle Dudley") who gave exceptional good decisions. He says that it was the fastest game that he ever umpired.

The managers of both teams were to a great expense in securing the service of two professional twirlers. F. Ridder, manager of the Old Timers, was fortunate to secure the service of M. Parker of Topeka, Kansas who shut out the Boston team last week.

Herman Miller, manager of the Hasbeens, wired his cousin who was in Chicago to hire the White Socks pitcher "Ole" Day who arrived Wednesday. When "Ole" sized up the Old Timers he tho't that he was up against the real thing, but when he let loose of some of his curley curves he had them coming his way.

The score stood 14 to 2 in favor of the Hasbeens.

The line-up of the Old Timers were:

L. Larsen 3 b.
M Parker p.
F. Ridder r. f.
A. Wellemeyer l. f.
J. Henschen c.
H. W. Bischel s. s
L. Turgasen 1st b.
Geo. Lau 2nd b.

The line-up of the Hasbeens were:

J. Nissen c.
H. Miller c. f.
H. Krunkelfeldt s. s.
W. Pavey 3rd b.
O. E. Carlson r. f.
Vick Carlson 1st b.
Fred Blank l. f.
S. H. Day p.

Every one of the players did fine work throughout the game, particularly Vick Carlson who made a graceful slide on home plate and making a score.

Another game is spoken of in the near future. The umpire they expect to secure will be Miss Amanda E. Clement, champion lady umpire of the world who presided over the games at the Garner Baseball Tournament. The best isn't any too good for Klemme.

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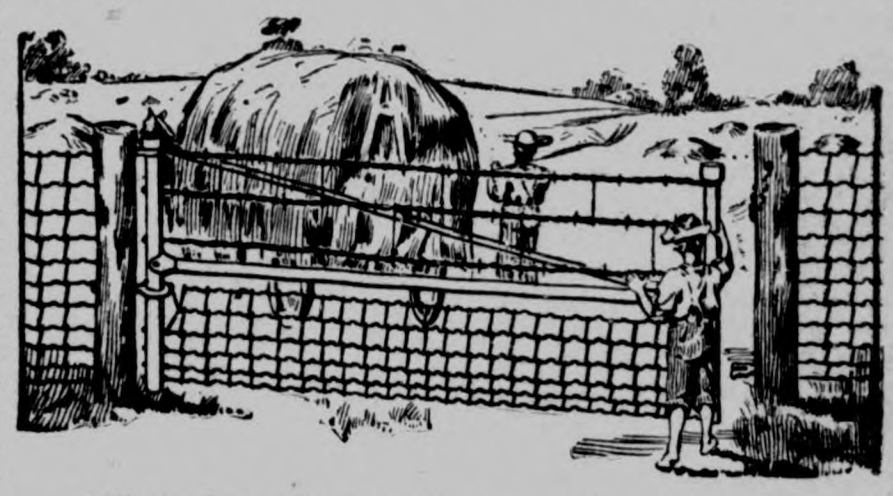

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Every inch of the human skin contains 3,500 perspiration pores.

The strike fever has hit Sweden, and many workmen are said to be yumping their yobs.

A young plant is 75 per cent. water and the remainder carbon, which it has taken from the air.

Admiral Yamamoto thinks we are nice people, but he is going home through Canada instead of by way of San Francisco.

In the population of New York city there are 789,000 persons of German parentage, 735,000 of Irish, 250,000 of Russian and 223,000 of Italian.

A Florida farmer is said to have cleared $1,200 in one acre of cabbage this spring. Perhaps he sold it for clear Havana Key West goods.

Arnold Daly says that Bernard shaw is "intoxicated with words and delirious with ink." We thought that Arnold Daly was one of Shaw's exponents.

It has been discovered that Noah Webster wrote the dictionary with almost no assistance, but undoubtedly he had helped his wife use many of the words.

"Matrimony as a profession" is not a bad idea. And the divorce lawyers should be broken of the habit of persuading people that it is for amateurs only.

A railroad president announces that his road is out of politics and done with lobbying. Well, really, when you come to think of it, there doesn't seem to be anything left to fight for.

The Washington preacher who says that heaven is in the star Alcyone now comes forward and says that it is built up with brick houses. Hell is brobably made up of three-room flats.

Peter Cooper Hewett is going to take us from New York to London in 30 hours. When a boat of that sort runs into an iceberg the monster of the deep will know that something hit it.

The Maryland farmer who discovered that his hired man was the head of a large business concern in Philadelphia was not necessarily surprised. Hired men have such a way of knowing how the universe should be run that the average man who comes in contact with them often wonders if they are not captains of industry out for a quiet vacation.

In a railroad collision a congressman turned a double back somersault over two seats and escaped without serious injury. A little thing like a railroad smash-up is no embarrassment to many acrobats who are accustomed to adjusting themselves to the sudden and violent changes that are constantly occurring in congressional districts.

Charles Dudley Warner advised every one to be born "in a little red farm house with a stone wall around it." We are not particularly tenacious about the stone wall, and we enter a decided exception to the color of the house, but we indorse the sentiment. The records show that farmers' sons are those most likely to succeed in business and professional life. Health, vigor, self-reliance, ambition and the habit of work give them their advantages in the race for success.

Money orders to the enormous amount of 446,000,000 were issued by the New York post office last year. Three millions of this amount went abroad, mainly sent by immigrants to their families. As money orders are commonly for comparatively small sums as compared to traffic through banks, this total shows the wide dissemination of prosperity. It is not, after all, remarks the Indianapolis News, the few great fortunes of which we hear so much that form the wealth of the country.

How delicate are the instruments which record earthquake shocks may be judged by the reports, which came along simultaneously from many sources, of the recent slight disturbance in Ecuador. From Havana came the report that "the seismograph this morning registered an earthquake 14,000 miles distant, the waves propagating from southwest to northeast. The indications are that the center of the disturbance was located beneath the waters of the Pacific, near Central America." From other far distant points came similar reports long before the news came of the actual location of the earthquake.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

FIVE HURLED TO DEATH.

Entire Family of William Powell of Ottumwa Drowned.

Ottumwa.—Unable to control their launch, carrying them at wild speed toward the waterworks dam, five people met a tragic fate, when tossed into the raging torrent and on the rocks beneath, after the boat had plunged over the seething brink. The dead: William H. Powell, 45 years old; Mrs. W. H. Powell, 44 years old; Hallie Powell, 25 years old; jewelry merchant; Mrs. J. F. Stevens, 35 years old; club woman; Anna Lucile Stevens, aged 8 years.

The party had been on an outing in the Des Moines river in the evening. Returning about 9 o'clock, the launch was grounded on a sandbar, which had formed during the high water.

In the efforts to force the craft off, the engine broke, and the boat became unmanagable. With its load of human freight it dashed toward the dam, 200 yards away. Clinging to the sides of the launch the terrorized passengers were carried into the swirling eddy to the rocks six feet below. Death must have been instantaneous, for no one could live in the boiling waters of the dam.

It was several hours later before the sad accident was discovered, and searching parties began at once looking for the victims.

Hallie Powell is well known in business circles here, being a member of the Arnold Jewelry company. He was 25 years old, and about a year ago inherited a small fortune from an uncle in California. The sum is variously estimated between $25,000 and $40,000.

His father and mother are highly respected citizens. They had no children beside the dead son.

FLAVIN A PAPAL PRELATE.

Unusual Honor is Conferred on Des Moines Priest.

Des Moines.—The Very Rev. M. Flavin, pastor of St. Ambrose Catholic church in Des Moines, has just been notified of his elevation to the rank of papal prelate with the title of Rt. Rev. Monsignore, a position second only to a bishopric, by Pope Pius X. His official title of protonotary apostolic prelate of the papal household is one of the highest first conferred by the vatican upon priests and among the other rights and privileges it carries with it will entitle him to wear the purple as a mark of his new dignity.

Father Flavin has been dean of the priests of this deanery of the Davenport diocese for several years. He will be invested with the purple with solemn dignity and be accorded the titles of Right Reverend and Monsignore. He will be vested with prelatial vestments, including the miter, pectoral cross, rochet, manteletta, ring and other tokens of prelatial rank. The date for the ceremonies of the investure has not been fixed, but it will probably be about Oct. 15. It will be in Des Moines.

On visits to Rome, he is entitled to rank with the prelates of the pope's household, an honor shared by very few priests throughout the world.

BIGGEST CABBAGE FIELD.

Spencer Man Has Half Million Plants on Fifty-six Acres.

Spencer.—"Potato" Walker, who is noted in this section for doing things on a large scale, has recently finished planning a crop of over half a million cabbage plants. The cabbage field covers a tract of over fifty-six acres and is the most extensive attempt to raise cabbage on a large scale ever made in this vicinity and probably the largest in the state. The crop will average about twenty tons to the acre and will be marketed in Missouri, Arkansas and Oklahoma at $5 per ton.

Iowa Butter for the Navy.

Manchester.—Iowa will supply 217,000 pounds of butter for the exclusive use of Uncle Sam's blue-jackets. A local creamery has been working on the contract for the past three months. All the butter has been packed in hermetically-sealed three-pound cans, and is warranted to keep for one year in any climate. One hundred people have been employed in the filling of the contract, which has been under the supervision of a government inspector. All the butter stands a test of 94 per cent butter fat.

Bather Drowns Off Sand Bar.

Burlington.—While bathing off a sandbar with some companions north of town, Irwin Showalter was drowned. He had been swimming and diving off a springboard for some time and had been swimming out in deep water, when suddenly he was seen to sink out of sight. His companions did not pay any attention to him when he came up gasping for breath and he sank for the third time before the eyes of the other bathers. He was 21 years old.

SALOONKEEPERS HIT BREWERS.

Davenport Liquor Interests Clash in Bitter Civil War.

Davenport.—The most serious attack ever struck on the big Davenport breweries was made when suits were filed by Fred N. Ruhl, L. Hanneman and other Davenport saloonkeepers to recover $20,000 paid the breweries for beer.

The suit is brought under the Iowa prohibitory law and alleges that the breweries were conducting an illegal business during the period covered by the payments. The real cause of the suits, however, is found in the claim of the saloonkeepers that they cannot do business under the exactions of the local breweries, who claim that the malting companies control nearly all of the 211 saloons in this city and that their exactions and insistance upon exclusive sale of their product makes the business impossible.

Plaintiff Ruhl has closed Lahrman's hall, one of the leading halls and bars of the city for many years. Dvenport has always had more saloons that any other city in Iowa, and this is the first instance on record of a clash with the breweries. It is taken as pointing to an early enforcement of the Iowa liquor laws here, in common with the other river cities, in which the Iowa Anti-Saloon league has recently been active.

PLANT DESTROYED BY FIRE

Council Bluffs Blaze Proves Very Costly.

Council Bluffs.—The main building of the Keys Bros. manufacturing plant was destroyed between one and two o'clock A. M. The loss is between $100,000 and $125,000. Insurance will cover the loss within probably $10,000.

The cause of the fire is supposed to have been spontaneous combustion, originating in the plant room on the second floor.

The firm has been in business here for twenty years, coming here from Red Oak, where it made its start. The factory was one of the best equipped in the west for the manufacture of carriages, more than twenty different styles of which were made.

The plant cost over $150,000. It employed 150 men and has an annual pay roll of $70,000, producing 7,000 vehicles in a year of an aggregate value of half a million dollars.

F. H. Keys, the active manager of the concern said the factory would not be rebuilt unless more adequate fire protection was given.

Not a thing was saved from the main building.

MAN IS DRAGGED TO DEATH.

Guy Carpenter Mangled at Heels of Runaway Horses.

Des Moines.—Fatally injured in a runaway accident, Guy Carpenter, residing on East Sixteenth street, died a few moments after he reached Mercy hospital. His body was mangled and his ear had been torn from his head.

Carpenter was driving a team belonging to Davidson Bros. When he crossed Fourth at Walnut street his horses became frightened, presumably at a passing street car and ran away. Carpenter was thrown from his seat and dragged a distance by the slack of his coat which in some manner became fastened to the wagon tongue.

Dying Lad Drags Himself a Mile.

Linden.—With a bullet hole directly through his lungs, Virgil Thornburg, a lad of this place, waded the creek three times and crept through three barb fences before reaching home. He may die of his wounds.

Few men would have the nerve of this 13-year-old boy. When within sight of the home folks his strength failed. He had been out hunting alone, and the details of the accident have not been ascertained, as his condition remains too critical to permit of explanations. The boy dragged himself over a mile to reach home.

Poisoned Cream Makes 20 Sick.

Libertyville.—Twenty people who partook of ice cream at a social given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church were taken seriously ill. All had partaken freely of the ice cream to swell the receipts for the church fund. In most cases the people were not affected till after they had reached home, when they were taken seriously ill. Several of them required the constant presence of physicians throughout the night.

Child Dies in Coughing Fit.

Webster City.—In an uncontrollable fit of coughing the little 4-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Urich choked to death. Mr. and Mrs. Urich live but a short distance northeast of the city, but before a physician could be summoned the child choked and strangled to death.

TAKING HIS PLACE.

JOHNSON DEFINES RIGHTS

MINNESOTA GOVERNOR ISSUES STRIKE PROCLAMATION.

Order Gives Workmen Access to Public Roads, But Forbids Trespassing.

St. Paul, Minn. — Gov. John A. Johnson has issued a proclamation defining the rights of the contending parties to the iron miners' strike and warning all to preserve the peace. The proclamation which was issued upon the recommendation of the commission which the governor sent to investigate conditions on the iron range embodies the agreement which the commissioners made with the strikers and the officials of the steel corporation. It prohibits the marching of large bodies of strikers and forbids trespass upon private property. The strikers are to be protected in their right to peacefully assemble in their halls and the public roads are to be open to them in small groups. Both Petriella and Acting President Mahoney, on behalf of the strikers, agreed to have their men keep strictly within the limits laid down in the proclamation, and the peace officers were instructed not to interfere with the meetings of the strikers.

Commissioner T. D. O'Brien stated that he believed the crisis had now been passed on the iron range, and that trouble which was threatened because of over-zealous peace officers had been averted.

Duluth, Minn. — All is quiet in the Hibbing and Eveleth districts on the range, and there has not been a sign of violence as yet. Between 75 and 80 per cent. of the usual night shifts were at work Thursday night, and there were fully 25 per cent. more men working at Eveleth Friday morning than Thursday. About the same increase is reported by the independent companies.

NEW COUNSEL FOR THAW.

Martin W. Littleton Chosen to Succeed Delmas in Murder Defense.

New York. — Martin W. Littleton, former president of the borrough of Brooklyn and a lawyer and orator of wide reputation, will be chief counsel for Harry K. Thaw when the wealthy young Pittsburger again faces a jury to answer the charge of killing Stanford White. Thaw announced the selection of Mr. Littleton after a conference with his mother and his wife. It is said that Mr. Littleton's fee will be $25,000.

As chief counsel for Thaw Mr. Littleton will succeed Delphin M. Delmas, the San Francisco lawyer who assumed charge of the defense soon after the opening of Thaw's first trial, which resulted in a disagreement of the jury. He is regarded as an able trial lawyer. It was Littleton who made the speech in the last national Democratic convention at St. Louis nominating Alton B. Parker for the presidency.

Worms Found in a Glacier.

Tacoma, Wash.—In their ascent of Mount Ranier, Prof. John B. Flett, of this city, and Prof. Cowles and a scientific party from Chicago, discovered in the ice of Urania glacier millions of small worms. The discovery astonished the scientists, who could hardly believe their eyes until they had cut into the hard ice and removed some of the worms for microscopic examination. The worms were about an inch in length and the size of a hair and presented a wriggling, squirming mass in the solid ice.

TROOPS TO MOROCCO.

France and Spain Are Acting Promptly in Concert.

Paris.—The French and Spanish governments are acting in concert and with great promptness to meet the situation that has arisen in Morocco. A warship of each of these powers is now in the harbor of Casablanca, and three French and one Spanish men-of-war are on the way to Morocco.

France has proposed to Spain the immediate landing of French and Spanish troops at Casablanca, and in anticipation of a favorable reply has prepared three transports at Toulon to convey 2,500 men and 300 horses to Morocco. What further steps, if any, are contemplated have not been made public. Slight delay and embarrassment in meeting the situation are caused by the absence of Premier Clemenceau, who is at Karlsbad taking the cure.

A dispatch received here from Oran, Algeria,, reports that the State bank at Tangier has been pillaged and that a British consular employe has been captured between Tangier and Elksare. There is no confirmation of this news from Tangier.

Madrid. — The government announces that in addition to the cruiser Infanta Isabel, which already has arrived at Tangier, the crusier Don Alvaro de Bazan, now at Las Palmas, has been ordered to the Moroccan coast.

TAKEN FROM "HOLY JUMPERS."

Iowa Girl Convert Is Ordered Returned to Her Home.

Waukesha, Wis.—Olga Lundell, the 17-year-old Sac City, Ia., girl, who has been a member of the "Holy Jumpers" sect at the Fountain house in this city for several months past, and whose mother came here to secure her release, was Friday evening, on the order of Court Commissioner Hemlock, given in custody of the sheriff of Waukesha county, who was ordered to take the girl to her home, despite the fact that she testified on the stand that she desired to remain with the "Jumpers," that being "the Lord's wish."

The courtroom was crowded to suffocation and the order of the court was received with great shouts of approval by the citizens who heard the verdict.

THREE WOMEN ARE KILLED.

Trolley Car and Automobile Collide at Jackson, Mich.

Jackson, Mich.—Three women were killed and two other persons were injured when a suburban trolley car struck an automobile here Friday night. The dead and injured all belong in this city.

The dead are Mrs. Levi Palmer, Miss Bernice Oliver and Mrs. Pulver. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver were injured.

New Attack on Sugar Trust.

Trenton, N. J.—A bill in equity which calls upon the American Refining company to give an accounting of its business for the past four years was filed before Chancellor Magie Friday on behalf of George Earle, Jr., receiver of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining company, of Philadelphia. The suit, it is said, is the only one of the kind ever filed in this country and the step taken by the receiver of the Pennsylvania company may be the means of opening an entire new field for investigating the trusts.

THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES
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CHAPTER XX.—Continued.

The piano pounding continued and I waited for what seemed an interminable time. It was growing dark and a maid brought lamps. I took a book from the table. It was "The Life of Benvenuto Cellini" and Marian Devereux was written on the fly leaf, by unmistakably the same hand that had penned the apology for Olivia's performances. I saw in the clear, flowing lines of the signature, in their lack of superfluity, her own ease, grace and charm; and, in the deeper stroke with which the "x" was crossed, I felt a challenge, a readiness to abide by consequences once her word was given. Then my own inclination to think well of her angered me, and I dropped the book impatiently as she crossed the threshold.

"I am sorry to have kept you waiting, Mr. Glenarm. But this is my busy hour."

"I shall not detain you long. I came," —I hesitated, not knowing why I had come.

She took a chair near the open door and bent forward with an air of attention that was disquieting. She wore black—perhaps to fit her the better into the house of a somber Sisterhood. I seemed suddenly to remember her from a time long gone, and the effort of memory threw me off guard. Stoddard had said there were several Olivia Armstrongs; there were certainly many Marian Devereuxs. The silence grew intolerable; she was waiting for me to speak, and I blurted:

"I suppose you have come to take charge of the property."

"Do you?" she asked.

"And you came back with the executor to facilitate matters. I'm glad to see that you lose no time."

"Oh!" she said lingeringly, as though she were finding with difficulty the note in which I wished to pitch the conversation. Her calmness was maddening.

"I suppose you thought it unwise to wait for the bluebird when you had beguiled me into breaking a promise, when I was trapped, defeated,—"

Her elbow on the arm of the chair, her hand resting against her cheek, the light rippling goldenly in her hair, her eyes bent upon me inquiringly, mournfully,—mournfully, as I had seen them—where?—once before! My heart leaped in that moment, with that thought.

"I remember now the first time," I said, more angry than I had ever been before in my life.

"That is quite remarkable," she said, and nodded her head ironically.

"It was at Sherry's; you were with Pickering—you dropped your fan and he picked it up, and you turned toward me for a moment. You were in black that night; it was the unhappiness in your face, in your eyes, that made me remember."

I was intent upon the recollection, eager to fix and establish it.

"You are quite right. It was at Sherry's. I was wearing black then; many things made me unhappy that night."

Her forehead contracted slightly and she pressed her lips together.

"I suppose that even then the conspiracy was thoroughly arranged," I said tauntingly, laughing a little perhaps, in my brutal impulse to wound her, to take vengeance upon her.

She rose and stood by her chair, one hand resting upon it. I faced her; her eyes were like violet seas. She spoke very quietly.

"Mr. Glenarm, has it occurred to you that when I talked to you there in the park, when I risked unpleasant gossip in receiving you in a house where you had no possible right to be, that I was counting upon something,—foolishly and stupidly,—yet counting upon it?"

"You probably thought I was a fool," I retorted.

"No,"—she smiled slightly. "I thought—I believe I have said this to you before!—that you were a gentleman. I really did, Mr. Glenarm. I must say it to justify myself. I relied upon your chivalry,—I even thought, when I played being Olivia,—that you had a sense of humor. But you are not the one and you haven't the other. I even went so far, after you knew perfectly well who I was, to try to help you—to encourage you to prove yourself the man your grandfather wished you to be. And now you come to me in a shocking bad humor,—I really think you would like to be insulting, Mr. Glenarm, if you could."

"But Pickering,—you came back with him; he is here and he is going to stay! And now that the property belongs to you, there is not the slightest reason why we should make any pretense of anything but enmity. When you and Arthur Pickering stand together I take the other side of the barricade! I suppose chivalry would require me to vacate, so that you may enjoy at once the spoils of war," I stormed with growing heat.

"I fancy it would not be very difficult to eliminate you as a factor in the situation," she remarked icily.

"And I suppose, after the unsuccessful efforts of Mr. Pickering's allies to assassinate me, as a mild form of elimination, one would naturally expect me to sit calmly down and wait to be shot in the back. But you may tell Mr. Pickering that I throw myself upon your mercy. I have no other home than this shell over the way, and I beg to be allowed to remain until—at least—the bluebirds come."

"I Quite Sympathize With Your Reluctance to Deliver the Message Yourself," She Said.

"I quite sympathize with your reluctance to deliver the message yourself," she said. "Is this all you came to say?"

"I came to tell you that you could have the house, and everything in its hideous walls," I snapped; "to tell you that my chivalry is enough for some situations and that I don't intend to fight a woman. I had accepted your own renouncement of the legacy in good part, but now, please believe me, it shall be yours to-morrow. I'll yield possession to you whenever you ask it,—but never to Arthur Pickering! As against him and his treasure-hunters and assassins I will hold out for a dozen years!"

"Nobly spoken, Mr. Glenarm! Yours is really an admirable, though somewhat complex character."

"My character is my own, whatever it is," I blurted.

"I shouldn't call that a debatable proposition," she replied, and I was angry to find how the mirth I had loved in her could suddenly become so hateful. She half-turned away so that I might not see her face. The thought that she should countenance Pickering in any way tore me with jealous rage.

"Mr. Glenarm, you are what I have heard called a quitter, defined in common Americanese as one who quits! Your blustering can hardly conceal the fact of your failures. I had hoped you would really be of some help to Sister Theresa, and incidentally to me, but we both sadly misjudged you."

Her tone, changing from amused indifference to severest disdain, stung me into self-pity for my stupidity in having sought her. My anger was not against her, but against Pickering, who had, I persuaded myself, always blocked my path. She went on.

"Mr. Pickering is decidedly more than a match for wou, Mr. Glenarm,—even in humor."

She drew herself up with tragic scorn in every line of her figure, then relaxed, laughed and was Olivia again; and as I watched her,—wondering, perplexed, chagrined,—she turned swiftly away and ran—I am sure she ran—from the room.

She left me so quickly, so softly, that I stood staring like a fool at the spot where she had been, and then I went gloomily back to Glenarm House, angry, ashamed and crestfallen.

While we were waiting for dinner I made a clean breast of my acquaintance with her to Larry, omitting nothing,—rejoicing even to paint my own conduct as black as possible.

"You may remember her," I concluded,—"she was the girl we saw at Sherry's that night we dined there. She was with Pickering, and you noticed her,—spoke of her, as she went out?"

"That little girl who seemed so bored, or tired or sick? Bless me, why her eyes haunted me for days. Lord, man, do you mean to say—"

A look of utter scorn came into his face, and he eyed me contemptuously.

"Of course I mean it!" I thundered at him.

He took the pipe from his mouth, pressed the tobacco viciously into the bowl, and swore steadily in Gaelic until I was ready to choke him.

"Stop!" I bawled. "Do you think that's helping me? And to have you curse in your blackguardly Irish dialect! I wanted a little Anglo-Saxon sympathy, you fool! I didn't mean for you to invoke your infamous gods against the girl!"

"Don't be violent, lad. Violence is reprehensible," he admonished with maddening sweetness and patience. "What I was trying to intimate very mildly was the fact, borne in upon me through years of acquaintance, that you are,—to be bold, my, lad, to be bold,—a good deal of a damned fool."

The trilling of his r's was like the whirring rise of a covey of quail.

"Dinner is served," announced Bates, and Larry led the way, mockingly chanting an Irish love-song.

CHAPTER XXI.

The Door of Bewilderment.

We had established the practice of barring all the gates and doors at nightfall. There was no way of guarding against an attack from the lake, whose frozen surface increased the danger from without; but we counted on our night patrol to prevent a surprise from that quarter. I was well aware that I must prepare to resist the militant arm of the law, which Pickering would no doubt invoke to aid him, but I intended to exhaust the possibilities in searching for the lost treasure before I yielded. Pickering might, if he would, transfer the estate of John Marshall Glenarm to Marian Devereux and make the most he could of that service, but he should not drive me forth until I had satisfied myself of the exact character of my grandfather's fortune.

The phrase, "The Door of Bewilderment," had never ceased to reiterate itself in my mind; there was a certain fascination and charm in it. We discussed a thousand explanations of it as we pondered over the scrap of paper I had found in the library, and every book in the house was examined in the search for further clews.

The passage between the house and the chapel seemed to fascinate Larry. He held that it must have some particular use and he devoted his time to exploring it.

He came up at noon—it was the 29th of December—with grimy face and hands and a grin on his face. I had spent my morning in the towers to no purpose and was in no mood for the ready acceptance of new theories.

"I've found something," he said, filling his pipe.

"Not soap, evidently!"

"No, but I'm going to say the last word on the tunnel, and within an hour. Give me a glass of beer and a piece of bread, and we'll go back and see whether we're sold again or not."

"Go ahead and let us be done with it. Wait till I tell Stoddard where we're going."

The chaplain was trying the second floor walls, and I asked him to eat some luncheon and stand guard while Larry and I went to the tunnel.

We took with us an iron bar, an ax and a couple of hammers. Larry went ahead with a lantern.

"You see," he explained, as we dropped through the trap into the passage, "I've tried a compass on this tunnel and find that we've been working on the wrong theory. The passage itself runs a straight line from the house under the gate to the crypt; the ravine is a rough crescent-shape and for a short distance the tunnel touches it. How deep does that ravine average—about 30 feet?"

"Yes; it's shallowest where the house stands. It drops sharply from there on to the lake."

"Very good; but the ravine is all on the Glenarm side of the wall, isn't it? Now when we get under the wall I'll show you something."

"Here we are," said Larry, as the cold air blew in through the hollow posts. "Now we're pretty near that sharp curve of the ravine that dips away from the wall. Take the lantern while I get out the compass. What do you think that C on the piece of paper means? Why, chapel, of course. I have measured the distance from the house, the point of departure, we may assume, to the chapel, and three-fourths of it brings us under those beautiful posts. The directions are as plain as daylight. The passage itself is your N. W., as the compass proves, and the ravine cuts close in here; therefore, our business is to explore the wall on the ravine side."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

KNEW HIM AT LAST.

Gen. Butler's Identity Made Known by His Own Quotation.

Gen. B. F. Butler built a house in Washington on the same plan as his home in Lowell, and his studies were furnished in exactly the same way. The general and his secretary, Mr. Clancy, afterward city clerk of Washington for many years, were constantly traveling between the two places.

One day a senator called upon Ben Butler in Lowell and the next day in Washington, only to find him and his secretary engaged upon the same work on both occasions.

"Heavens, Clancy, don't you ever stop?" exclaimed the senator.

"No," interposed Gen. Butler, "Satan finds some mischief still for idle hands to do."

Clancy arose and bowed, saying: "General, I never was sure until now just who my employer was. I had heard the rumor, but I always discredited it."

Origin of the "Broad Arrow."

The unmistakable "broad arrow," of which the escaping Gloucester convicts naturally tried to rid themselves as soon as possible, has no inherent penal significance, but is simply the sign of state ownership on the prison clothes, says the London Chronicle. How this arrow came to be a royal mark is quite uncertain. The story that it was taken from the arms of Henry Viscount Sydney, who was master general of ordnance at the end of the seventeenth century, is exploded by the fact that it was a royal mark before his time. Pepys hankered after the idea that the "arrow" might be really an anchor, and others have seen in it a commemoration of the English archers' prowess. It has been boldly identified also as the three nails of the cross, as a mystic Druid letter signifying superiority, and as the symbol of Mithras as sun god.

A British Institution Falling.

As regards the long and deadly warfare between the turkey and its flat-breasted rival, the goose, for the prime honors of the Christmas dinner table, an expert confesses that the goose's defeat in popularity is probably irretrievable now, according to an English exchange. "The flesh is proving," said he, "too rich for the delicate tastes of well-to-do people, and there is not enough of it for the poor. None the less, for the real trencherman who has a healthy gusto and a well-filled purse, your turkey, which has to be helped out with sausages and bacon to give it a flavor, is nowhere in it with your goose."

Boy Saves a Horse.

A little fellow of four years went to a blacksmith to see his father's horse shod, and was watching closely the work of the shoeing. The blacksmith began to pare the horse's hoof, and, thinking this wrong, the little boy said: "My pa don't want his horse made any smaller."

Scrap Takes Up a New Line.

Scrap Chronister has gone into making wooden legs, his first job being for Jim Hooper. Scrap says if the railroad will keep up its end of the business he can make some money.—McEwen (Tenn.) New Era.

TIRED BACKS.

The kidneys have a great work to do in keeping the blood pure. When they get out of order it causes backache, headaches, dizziness languor and distressing urinary troubles. Keep the kidneys well and all these sufferings will be saved you. Mrs. S.A. Moore, proprietor of a restaurant at Waterville, Mo., says: "Before using Doan's Kidney Pills I suffered everything from kidney troubles for a year and a half. I had pain in the back and head, and almost continuous in the loins and felt weary all the time. A few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills brought great relief, and I kept on taking them until in a short time I was cured. I think Doan's Kidney Pills are wonderful."

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Close Confinement.

The new phonograph had just arrived, and in her husband's absence, Mrs. Jones thought she would give her parrot a treat, so she set the machine working on a record of "In Old Madrid," sung by Mr. Jones in his best style.

At the very first bar Polly opened her eyes in surprise, and rocked herself to and fro in deep and speechless wonder.

She was evidently thinking deeply, and her excitement was intense. She cocked her head on one side, with an expression that indicated interested conjecture, and irritation at not arriving at a satisfactory conclusion. As the song finished, an idea dawned upon her

"Well," said Mrs. Jones with pride, "what do you think of that, Polly?"

Then the bird found words:

"Great Scot!" she shrieked. "You've got the old man boxed up this time."

The Tell Tale Voice.

"If you want to tell whether or not the man you are talking to is telling the truth don't look him in the eyes," said a Denver bank teller to some friends. "It is the voice, when you don't look at the eyes, that tells you whether the other fellow is lying. We use the system frequently in the bank. A man will come in to tell us some business tale. We look at his feet or his hands or his knees, but never in his eyes. If he's telling the truth his voice will be firm and straightforward, and the absence of your gaze in his eyes will not affect it. But if he's lying he'll be confused by your action, and his voice will tremble; he'll hem and haw, and clear his throat. You may rest assured then that he's stringing you."

Long Time to Sweep.

Everything, even a magnificent church, must be regarded from the point of view of the beholder. A London paper says that two country girls, who acted as if they might be enjoying a holiday from domestic service, were observed walking down the aisles of St. Paul's Cathedral. Under the great dome one of them stood and gazed around her with an air of such wonder that a spectator might well suppose that she was awestruck by her solemn surroundings. But when she spoke, the idea was dissipated. "Oh, Sarah," she exclaimed, "wouldn't this place take a long time to sweep?"

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German M. E. Church Items

Matilda Rest of Gladbrook, is visiting Mrs. Wessel a few weeks.

W. F. Stille is building a new porch to his house and improving it generally.

The Klemme W. F. M. S. meets with Mrs. Henry Griewe on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Koerner and children returned from Reinbeck on Tuesday where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schwichtenberg had their little girl christened last Sunday naming it Birds Estella.

Mrs. Henry Griewe was seized with an attack of rheumatism last week and was under the doctor,s care a few days.

Geo. Gruetzmacher was elected as delegate to the annual conference which will be held in LeMars, Aug. 28 to Sept. 1.

Our farmers are all busy harvesting this week. A few report a fair crop while the majority claim less than a half crop and a few have nothing at all.

F. C Griewe did not go to Burt last week as was reported to us, but went to Dows. This week he drove to Burt and expects to be gone about two weeks.

Mrs. and Lurena Wessel, Anna and Ella Griewe and Amanda Arnold returned Monday evening from their outing at Clear Lake. They all report a fine time. Besides boating, bathing and the pleasures of tenting out, they listened to some stirring forceful lectures. Some how "Sunshine" Haws pleased them the most.

"Can there any good thing come out of Klemme?" Who knows but what some genius now slumbering among us may become famous like Amati or Nicolo of Cremona or Jakob Stainer or Matthias Klotz of Tyrole with their violins. If you doubt this call on our friend H. F. Ludeke and see the fine instrument he has just finished.

The Klemme "Standard Bearers" met at the Lenz home last Friday evening and elected the following officers:

President, Clara Griewe.

1st Vice Pres., Emelia Lenz.

2nd Vice Pres., Emma Sampson.

Recording Secretary, Martha Lau.

Corresponding Sec, Nellie Lau.

Treasurer, Sarah Luedeke.

FOR AN IMPAIRED APPETITE.

To improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion try a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. J. H. Seitz, of Detroit, Mich., says: They restored my appetite when impaired, relieved me of a bloated feeling and caused a pleasant and satisfactory movement of the bowels. Price, 25 cents. Samples free. J L Harr & Co.

REGULAR AS THE SUN

is an expression as old as the race No doubt the rising and setting of the sun is the most regular performance in the universe unless it is the action of the liver and bowels when regulated with Dr. King's new life pills. Guaranteed by J. L. Harr & Co. druggists, 25c.

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People who do not love music are hard to find

It possesses a charm and subtle influence for good which is peculiar to itself and developes a refinement and culture that cannot be obtained from books alone.

The Piano was a luxury yeary ago, but today, a knowledge of music is just as much a part of the education of both boys and girls as a knowledge of Grammar, Arithmetic or Spelling.

Good people will economize to provide their children with education, and that certainly includes the knowledge of music.

Yes! The piano is no longer a luxury but a household necessity. No home should be without one.

Call on us when you need a PIANO.

You can save from $50 to $100. Why? Because we have so many other things to sell that we don't have to rob a man when we sell him a piano.

Come in and see for yourself two excellent instrument on the floor.

Yours truly and honestly,

Arthur Wellemeyer.

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No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol for dyspepsia does not only relieve indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy helps all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Mr. S. S. Ball, of Ravenswood, W. Va., says:—"I was troubled with sour stomach for twenty years. Kodol cured me and we are now using it in milk for baby."

FOR BACKACHE—WEAK KIDNEYS, TRY DeWITT'S KIDNEY and BLADDER PILLS—Sure and Safe. Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., Chicago.

Sold by J. L. Harr & Co.

Attention Farmers.

When in need of any Farm Machinery, go to H. Lau & Son.

You can get all kinds of farm goods, thrashing machines, powers, gas engines, binders, mowers, wagons all kinds. Surreys and buggies of the best. Windmills and steel towers. Three kinds of cream separators. The Kemp & Ross manure spreader. The Kingman manure loader the best. Cyclone fence and gates. Plows of all kinds. See us.

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KLEMME MARKET.

Cream No. 1	23
Eggs fresh	12
Butter roll	17
Corn	40 to 45c
Oats	22 to 36c
Wheat	70 to 80c
Barley	30 to 35c
Hay	6 00 to 7.00
Hogs	5.00 7.00
Cattle	3.00 to 4.50

LOCAL NEWS

Read the market report.

Lloyd Spooner visited at Garner Monday.

Aug. Lau & Son have a new card ad. on local page.

Read Wellemeyer's common sense ad. and save money.

Clarence Kluckhohn visited with Chas. Nissen at Crystal Lake over Sunday.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

Ell Bros. bought 11,000 pounds of poultry last week. The boys are realizing a nice business,

Presenting his bill is the heading of the Northern Lumber Co. ad. It's a good one. Read it.

Wm. Lau took a run to Dows Saturday evening where he was looking after business matters. He returned Monday.

Look here, stock raisers. We have tne Dipolene which is good for hogs, sheep and ary other animals. H. Lau & Son

H. W. Bischel and family and Mrs. Waldo and son arrived from Webster City Tuesday evening and are visiting with friends.

Keep the pores open and the skin clean when you have a cut, burn, bruise or scratch. Dewitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve penetrates the pores and heals quickly. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

F. McNulty, section foreman of the Rock Island R'y of Goodell, is taking a lay off on account of sickness. Wm. F. Lau of this place will have charge of his section for a couple of weeks

J. F. Wenck's livery team of Garner which were hitched to a post on our streets on Monday, became frightened broke the hitching post and took a run west as far as Wm. Stille's. No damage was done with the exception of the harness being slightly disfigured.

I'll stop your pain free. To show you first—before you spend a penny—what my pink pain tablets can do, I will mail you free a trial package of them—Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Neuralgia, headache, toothache, period pains, etc., are due alone to blood congestion. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets simply kill pain by coaxing away the unnatural blood pressure. That is all. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Sold by All Dealers

See Ell Bros. for ice.

W. R. Bloom returned from Dows Wednesday.

Read the Klemme Times ad. opposite local page.

Schroeder & Son shipped two car loads of hogs Sunday.

No graft but fair and square dealings—read Wellemeyer's ad.

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

Elmer Dow and his Grandma Mrs. A. R. Shafer left last week Friday for Rake, Iowa.

P. M. Griesemer and the Gruetzmacher sisters drove to Clear Lake last Sunday.

Dewitt's Little Early Risers don't sicken or gripe. Small Pills, easy to take. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Chas. Stiehl, Sr. of Garner, was seen on our streets last week Friday.

Mrs. N. L. Palmer and Mrs. C. C. Suckow visited with friends at Garner last week Friday.

Aug. Lau & Son shipped two loads of hogs a week ago Sunday and one load hogs Wednesday of this week.

F. J. Wenck, his Mother and sister were visiting relatives in St. Cloud, Minn. and other points. They returned last week Saturday.

Mrs. Kelchner and Miss Cundell of Clarksburg, W. Va, are visiting with W. R. Bloom and family. Mrs. Kelchner is an aunt of Mrs. Bloom.

Mrs. Al Koerner and children and Paul Stille are visiting with Rev. Wm. Koerner and wife at Reinbeck. Albert left for there Saturday evening of last week.

John Riha, a prominent dealer of Vining, Ia. says: "I have been selling DeWitts's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. There are a dozen people here who have used them and they give perfect satisfaction in every case. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by J L Harr & Co.

S. H. Day and Esther Lau and M. Parker and Nellie Lau drove to Clear Lake last Sunday They also took in the sights at Mason City.

Free, for catarrh, just to prove merit, a trial size box of Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Let me send it now. It is a snow-white creamy, healing antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as oil eucaliptus, thymol, menthol, etc, it gives instant relief to catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Adress Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50c. Sold by All Dealers.

We were in error last week when we mentioned in the Germantown news of Mrs. Art Haes arriving from Grafton Sunday and visiting on the farm with the boys. It should have been Mrs. Andrew Haes However we hope that Art wont always be a single man.

I will mail you free to prove merit, samples of my Dr. Shoop's restorative and my book on either dyspepsia, the heart or the kidneys. Troubles of the stomach, heart or kidneys, are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailment and not the cause. Weak stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean stomach weakness, always. And the heart and kidneys as well have their controling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves, and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the inside nerves. Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's restorative. Write me to day for sample and free book. Dr. Shoop Racine, Wis. The restorative is sold by All Dealers.

W. R. Bloom shipped one car of hogs Sunday morning.

Get your refrigerater filled with ice regulary by Ell Bros.

Joe Miller visited a week in Chicago. He returned Tuesday of this week

Mrs. J. Nissen and daughter returned to their home at Dows last week Thursday.

John Waterman is also added on the list with a cement walk to the front of his store.

Now is the time of the year to buy cream separators and gas enginesat H. Lau & Son tf.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

Miss Bertha Beyer left for Clear Lake last week Saturday. She was called there on account of the sickness of her mother.

Fred Schuldt his sisters Annie and Daisy and his mother and her sister Miss Ida Ebinger drove to Clear Lake last week Saturday.

H. L. Schuldt is also on the improvement list in the way of a cement walk to his store front. Mart Thompson and force are doing the work.

Rev. A. Muehlmeier left Monday for Milwaukee and Sheboygan where he went in the interests of his church. His mother lives at Sheboygan.

Frank Kluckhohn played ball with the Garner nine last week Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The games were played between Waverly and Garner.

Don't accept a cough cure that you may be told is just as good as Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup, because it isn't just as good—there is quite a difference. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently upon the bowels and clears the whole system of coughs and colds. It promptly relieves inflamation of the throat and allays irritation. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

F. A. Arnold left last week Saturday evening for Dubuque where he visited with his wife over Sunday who is at the Finley Hospital. She returned with him Monday.

Those who have stomach trouble no matter how slight should give every possible help to the digestive organs so that food may be digested with the least effort. This may be done by taking something that contains natural digestive properties—something like Kodol for indigestion and dyspepsia. Kodol is a preparation of vegetable acids and contains the very same Juices found in a healthy stomach. It digests what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Oscar Swoboda who has been attending Highland Park College at Des Moines, Iowa, has completed the Ph. G. course. The commencement exercises will be from July 28 to Aug. 1. Oscar has made a splendid record at college and has taken up a number of extra studies outside the regular course. He will return home about the 15th of Aug. to remain a month. It will be pleasing news to his many friends here that he has already accepted an excellent position as a pharmacist in St. Paul and will work under the president of the State Pharmaceutical Association.—The Browerville Blade.

The above young man is a son of M. Swoboda who is employed in F. Gruetzmacher's harness shop. His son made him a pleasant visit from last week Saturday until Monday when he left for his home at Browersville, Minn. His father also expects to leave the 14th of this month. Mike made many friends during his stay here.

Miss Amelia Lenz and her sister Mrs. Ad. Ridder and children were at Garner last week Saturday.

Wallace Pavey and Oscar Carlson took in the game of ball played between Waverly and Garner last week Saturday.

Mrs. J. N. Day of Garner, visited with her parents William Smith and family over Sunday. Her mother returned with her Monday.

We never repent of eating too little was one of the ten rules of life of Thomas Jefferson, president of the United States, and the rule applies to every one without exception during this hot weather, because it is hard for food even in small quantities, to be digested when the blood is at high temperature. At this season we should eat sparingly and properly. We should also help the stomach as much as possible by the use of a little Kodol For Indigestion and Dyspepsia, which will rest the stomach by digesting the food itself. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Garner and Waverly Play Ball.

Garner and Waverly played ball at Garner last week Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The result of the games were as follows:

Thursday—
Garner 5
Waverly 2

Friday—
Garner 5
Waverly 4

Saturday—
Waverly 9
Garner 1

The Garner team played good ball and won two straight games but when Garner wanted three straight games the Waverly twirlers wouldn't stand for it and nearly shutting Garner out. Every one who attended the games says that they got their moneys worth. Garner has a strong team this year and with the support of our "Balla," the are stronger than ever.

The Waverlay players are a nice buch of boys and many of them are professional players. Any team winning from them haveto play for what they get.

Garner will play this week at Waverly on Thursday and Friday.

Three Cyclones.

Tuesday afternoon at about 4 p. m. a dreadful storm passed north of Garner going eastward which will be long remembered to the unfortunate ones who were in it. One cyclone started near Crystal Lake and passed two miles north of Lake Mills. A lot of property was destroyed and two persons killed. Another cyclone started from ner Hanlontown and went toward Mason City and killing four people at Hanlontown. The nearest one started near Ventura going east and striking Clear Lake at the camp grounds and following along the lake shore and demolished 15 houses, some residences valued $5,000 are now a total ruin. Two people were internally injured.

ECZEMA.

For the good of those suffering with eczema or other such trouble, I wish to say, my wife had something of that kind and after using the doctors remedies for some time concluded to try Chamberlain's salve and it proved to be better than anything she had tried For sale by J L Harr & Co

POULTRY MARKET AT ELL BROS.

Good until Tuesday, 7-27

Hens	8½c
Spring chickens	11c
Old roosters	4c
Ducks young and fat	8c
No. 1 old hen turkeys	7c
No. 1 young hen turkeys	7c
Old tom turkeys	7c
Geese	4c

ATTENTION!

We buy hogs six days in the week, but want them delivered only on Tuesdays and Saturdays of each week. Highest market price will be paid for hogs and all kinds of grain, also No. 1 hard and soft coal for sale at bottom prices at the North Elevator. Yours for business,

AUG. LAU & SON.

REMEMBER

that I am in the junk business I have been buying in this vicinity for years.

I buy iron, metals, rags and rubbers. I pay cash, no tin ware exchanged for your goods.

Address me at Goodell, Ia.

K. Friedman.

J. F. NISSEN

Say! Where are you going to have your blacksmithing done?

Why at J. F. Nissen, ofcourse. He can do my blacksmithing good enough for me and in fact good enough for anybody.

He also has a good wood shop in connection. Give him a trial he will surely please you and satisfaction guaranteed.

J. E. BAUMGARTNER

The Tonsorial Artist

Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.

Good Bath Room In Connection.

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THE LIMIT OF LIFE.

The most eminent medical scientists are unanimous in the conclusion that the generally accepted limitation of human life is many many years below the attainment possible with the advanced knowledge of which the race is now possessed. The critical period that determines its duration seems to be between 50 and 60, the proper care of the body during this decade cannot be too strongly urged, carelessness then being fatal to longevity. Natures best helper after 50 is Electric Bitters the scientific tonic medicine, that revitalizes every organ of the body. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co., druggists 50c.

DES MOINES LETTER

Items of Interest From Our Correspondent at the State Capital.

Declares War on Glanders.

Des Moines.—State Veterinarian P. O. Koto confirms the news of the death at Clinton of a man afflicted with the glanders.

His name was James Farrell and he had been employed around the horses of E. D. Shepperd of Clinton for nearly fifteen years. His sickness presented many puzzling features but Dr. J. R. H. Sugg diagnosed it as glanders and sent specimens to State Bacteriologist Albert at Iowa City, who determined beyond all question of doubt that Farrell had the disease and died from it.

State Veterinarian Koto ordered three of Shepperds' horses killed. They were subjected to three scientific and infallible tests to which they responded and the owner consented to their destruction despite the fact that the state does not pay for animals whose slaughter is necessary for the preservation of the health of the people.

Owners of stock afflicted with glanders, tuberculosis and other infectious diseases—both of these are communicable from animals to human beings—are not entitled to or receive pay from the state for the animals killed. During the year thirty-five head of horses have been destroyed at Clinton, because they had glanders. At many other points the disease has been located by Dr. Koto and his assistants. A man near Cumming was found a short time ago to have eleven head which were infected and they were ordered killed. It is understood that the claim is made that only eight were killed and the state veterinarian will return to the place to determine the facts.

Cases have been found at Council Bluffs also and there there is a disposition to fight the department in its effort to eradicate the disease to which the life of James Farrell was sacrificed at Clinton a few days ago. However, the local authorities at the Bluffs have asked the intercession of the department which will lend its efforts to protect the people there. unfortunately, however, the borders of the state are absolutely unprotected against the importation of diseased cattle and horses, which makes the work of Dr. Koto and his assistants especially difficult and detract a little from its effectiveness.

It has not been the policy of Dr. Koto his assistant, Dr. Talbott in Des Moines, or his department to give much publicity to their work in this line. They have gone quietly about the state trying to eradicate the infections diseases among domestic animals without giving prominence to their work. But so extensive is the prevalance of glanders and tuberculosis that more drastic measures are believed to be justifiable. The state board of health, of which Dr. Koto is a member, is now formulating new rules which will be very comprehensive and give the verterinary department powers of quarantine and repression that will be more effective in the future than in the past. The headquarters of the department are now established at the state house and easily accessible to all.

No Intervention in Cream Rates.

Neither the Iowa railroad commission nor the state dairy and food commissioner will intervene in the case now pending before the interstate commerce commission involving the interstate rates on cream.

But Dairy Commissioner Wright will ask the interstate commerce commission to hear him as a witness in the case. That's all, and it will be enough to get before the commission the interest which Iowa as a creamery state has in the proceeding.

This interest is that involved in the farmers' co-operative creameries. There are 500 or 600 of them. Reduction of railroad rates calculated to take the cream out of Iowa to Chicago, Kansas City and other central points, there to be manufactured into butter, would close these co-operative creameries, or a large number of them. Primarily, therefore, that is the first interest which Commissioner Wright will present to the national commerce commission.

They Would Value Patents.

Application has been made to the executive council by newly formed corporations to have the value of patent rights fixed under the new Peterson law, which requires that all property owned by a corporation be valued by the executive council. In forming corporations to exploit new inventions, capital stock is nearly always paid to the inventor for his patent. Members of the council claim that it is almost impossible to judge the value of a patent, as ten which look good may utterly fail to bring in returns, while another one may turn out to be worth millions. The council must decide whether the patents are worth anything or not, and if so, how much.

$200,000 Stolen by Leroy Ware.

Leland Windsor of Des Moines, one of the state bank examiners, is in Seymour, Iowa, going through the books of the Leland Ware bank for a period of ten years.

Mr. Windsor is employed by the depositors of the bank. He was selected because he had made the investigation for the state, which first disclosed the rotten condition of the institution, and this part of the work would not have to be gone over if he could be induced to make the examination covering the period of Ware's connection with the bank.

Ware's refusal to testify, at the end, served to break the relations which had existed between the depositors and the directors. To save themselves, the former propose to find out how long Ware's speculations have been going on and to locate his confederates, if possible.

About $200,000 in all has disappeared. Ware has confessed that it has not all been taken in the last six months, though he claims the bulk of it was. It is the theory of some of those who have watched the disclosure relative to the bank that Ware began his absent treatment for the bank's funds when he first went into the institution and has kept it up ever since. To do it he must have had confederates, men outside of the bank altogether and in no way connected with it, and it is understood that it is on this theory that the depositors have started the investigation over which Mr. Windsor is presiding.

In inspecting the bank many curious things were disclosed. Money was found in envelopes around on shelves, in drawers and in out of the way places. Vouchers were found scattered around in the same way.

But enough has been disclosed to demonstrate that whoever was responsible for the system of looting the institution was a master genius of frenzied finance, and when his identity is disclosed Wall street will have a place for him if Fort Madison doesn't get him first.

Test Union Label Resolution.

Denouncing as "vicious and un-American" a resolution by the board of supervisors which declares that all county printing must bear the union label, the George A. Miller Printing company has filed a vigorous protest with Auditor Lew Burnett.

The protestant lays claim to the contract for furnishing blank books and supplies. For the work the Miller bid is $425, which is the lowest received. The O'Donnell Printing company, a union shop, is next with $430.

Miller demands the contract. Moreover he has retained Attorneys Bowen and Brockett. He proposes to show the board, he says, that the resolution is contrary to the statutes since it is in restraint of competition.

Unless the board rescinds its resolution, Miller says the case goes into court. That done the Polk county courts must determine for the first time in Iowa whether a board of supervisors, a city council or school board can legally pass a resolution throwing all of its work to union labor.

Osteopaths Plan Large Hospital.

William E. D. Rummel, secretary and manager of the Still College of Osteopathy in Des Moines, is at the head of a movement to build a $50,000 osteopathic hospital to be operated in connection with that institution. It is expected that the hospital will be built and ready for opening next year. It will be the first large osteopathic hospital erected in the country.

Letters have been sent out by Mr. Rummel to osteopathic practitioners throughout the country concerning the proposed hospital and asking them to subscribe stock to carry out the plan. It is believed that the osteopathic cause will be greatly forwarded by the proposed institution.

It is planned to have the hospital placed under the supervision of Still college in order to insure its success, financially and otherwise.

Palmer Names Committees.

Department Commander D. J. Palmer of the Grand Army of the Republic has named the standing committees and aides for the ensuing year. Phil Schaller of Sac City heads the soldiers' home committtee and S. W. Rathbun of Marion heads the soldiers' orphans' home committee. L. T. St. John of Riceville is made the chairman of the committee on state fair reunion.

On the soldiers' home committee, besides the chairman, are J. C. Milliman, Logan; J. W. Morton, Washington; T. T. Classen, Marshalltown; G. A. Pease, Des Moines; J. H. Mills, Redfield.

On the soldiers' orphans' home committee, besides Chairman Rathbun, are W. J. Barringer, Columbus Junction; H. P. Scott, Davenport; George D. Dalrymple, Clinton; L. W. Archer, Des Moines; John Hughes, Jr., Williamsburg; Thomas McCall, LeClaire.

NO GAIN AND SOME LOSS.

Neighbor's Comment in Which There Seems a Strain of Sarcasm.

"Yes," the leader of the amateur brass band was saying, "it's curious to see what an effect learning to play a horn has on some persons. I used to be a pretty good bass singer, but I can't sing worth a cent now."

"Does learning to play a horn spoil the voice?" asked his next-door neighbor.

"It did mine."

"How do you account for it?"

"I don't know how to account for it. Strains the vocal chords, perhaps. All I know is that I blew my voice out through the mouthpiece of my cornet."

"Did you have a good voice?"

"Everybody said so."

"Then it's a great pity you ever learned to play a horn," rejoined his neighbor, shaking his head sadly. "I—er—think I should have enjoyed hearing you sing."—Youth's Companion.

THE NEW YORK LIFE'S PROGRAM.

Economy, Publicity and the Paramount Interest of Policyholders.

President Kingsley, of the New York Life Insurance Company, says, in an address to the policyholders, that his plan of administration involves these points:

"First: Strict economy; second, the widest, fairest and fullest publicity; third, the continuance of the New York Life as a world-wide institution; fourth, such an amount of new business under the law as we can secure while practicing intelligent economy, and enforcing the idea that the interest of the policy-holder is paramount."

Too Much Exposure.

Elsie is a laundress of color. She is well past youth, wears a parennial smile and sports a single front tooth of much prominence. Recently she missed one of her visits to a patron, and when she next put in an appearance she was suffering from a bad cold. When asked how she took such a serious cold she said:

"During the recent festivities our club gave a ball. The gentleman what's paying attention to me is very particular, so I had to go in full evening dress, and I had to leave off few pieces, and it got me."

Evidently Needed Burial.

"The late Gen. Thomas H. Ruger," said a Stamford man, "was, like many army officers, an authority on good cooking, but he detested rank, high cheese. At a dinner he said that a very rank cheese was once left at his headquarters to be called for, and after it had remained unclaimed two days he posted this notice:

"'If the cheese sent here addressed to Private Jones is not called for in two days it will be shot.'"

Of Course.

"What makes you so absent minded?"

"Well, I stopped to think one day—"

"Yes?"

"And my thoughts ran on and on—"

"Well?"

"And I haven't caught up with 'em yet."—Cleveland Leader.

SOAKED IN COFFEE

Until Too Stiff to Bend Over.

"When I drank coffee I often had sick headaches, nervousness and biliousness much of the time, but when I went to visit a friend I got in the habit of drinking Postum.

"I gave up coffee entirely and the result has been that I have been entirely relieved of all my stomach and nervous trouble.

"My mother was just the same way. We all drink Postum now, and without coffee in the house for 2 years, we are all well.

"A neighbor of mine, a great coffee drinker, was troubled with pains in her side for years and was an invalid. She was not able to do her work and could not even mend clothes or do anything at all where she would have to bend forward. If she tried to do a little hard work she would get such pains that she would have to lie down for the rest of the day.

"At last I persuaded her to stop drinking coffee and try Postum Food Coffee and she did so and has used Postum ever since; the result has been that she can now do her work, can sit for a whole day and mend and can sew on the machine and she never feels the least bit of pain in her side, in fact, she has got well and it shows coffee was the cause of the whole trouble.

"I could also tell you about several other neighbors who have been cured by quitting coffee and using Postum in its place." "There's a Reason." Look in pkg. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

FINED 29,240,000

JUDGE LANDIS FIXES FINE OF STANDARD OIL.

ORDERS MORE PROSECUTIONS

Chicago & Alton, Which Paid the Rebates, Will next Receive Attention of Chicago Federal Grand Jury

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 4.—What is without doubt the largest fine ever imposed was assessed the Standard Oil company yesterday by Judge Landis in the United States district court. The maxiumum fine possible was $29,240,000, and this is the amount imposed by the court upon the Indiana company.

Indicted on 1,462 counts and found guilty of rebating on that many, Judge Landis saw no reason to show clemency to the great company, and imposed the greatest fine possible. But this is not all. Under seven indictments still pending against the Standard Oil company, additional fines amounting to $88,440,000 may be imposed if the company is found guilty. There are in these seven indictments 4,442 counts, and the maximum fine in each count is $20,000.

The judge also recommended that a call be issued for a special grand jury which is to consider the other party to the rebating operations of which the Standard Oil company was found guilty, and it is therefore probable that within a short time proceedings will be commenced against the Chicago & Alton Railroad company for the alleged commission of similar offenses.

The reading of the opinion by Judge Landis aroused almost as much interest as the presence of John D. Rockfeller and other officials of the Standard Oil company upon the witness stand. The court room was crowded to its utmost capacity and the United States deputy marshals were finally compelled to refuse admission to all late comers.

The government was represented in the court room by United States District Attorney Sims and by Assistant District Attorney Wilkerson. The only attorneys for the Standard Oil company present in the court room were Attorneys Eddy and Martin, neither of whom bore a prominent part in the actual trial of the case. Attorney Miller, the leading counsel for the Standard Oil company, was in Europe and his chief assistant, Moritz Rosenthal, was in New York. Only a few of the lesser officials of the Standard Oil company were in the court room.

Judge Landis began reading his decision at 10 o'clock and consumed approximately one hour before he announced the penalty.

STANDARD AGAIN HIT.

Commissioner Smith on Methods of Oil Trust.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 5.—Significant revelations were made public yesterday in a report submitted to President Roosevelt by Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, concerning the operations of the Standard Oil company. In a previous report the means and methods of the Standard were explained.

The present report sets forth the effect of those methods on consumers and on the profits of the Standard Oil company.

Commissioner Smith says: "The Standard Oil company is responsible for the course of prices of petroleum and its products during the last twenty-five years. The Standard has consistently used its power to raise the price of oil during the last ten years, not only absolutely, but also relatively to the cost of crude oil."

The Standard has claimed that it has reduced the price of oil; that it has been a benefit to the consumer, and that only a great combination like the Standard could have furnished oil at the prices that have prevailed.

"Each one of these claims," says Commissioner Smith, "is disproved by this report.' The increase in annual profits of the Standard from 1596 to 1904 was over $27,000,000.

The report says: "The total dividends paid by the Standard from 1882 to 1906 were $551,922,904, averaging 24.15 per cent. The dividends, however, were much less than the total earnings. It is substantially certain that the entire net earnings of the Standard from 1887 to 1906 were $790,000,000, and possibly much more.

"These enormous profits have been based on an investment worth at the time of its original acquisition not more than $75,000,000."

In his letter to President Roosevelt, Commissioner Smith says: "The following facts are proven: The Standard has not reduced margins during the period in which it has been responsible for the prices of oil. During the last eight years covered by this report (1898 to 1905) it has raised both prices and margins. Its domination has not been acquired or maintained by its superior efficiency, but rather by unfair competition and by methods morally unjustifiable. Its profits are far above the highest possible standard of a reasonable commercial return, and have been steadily increasing."

Another section of the report will be made public soon.

M'KINLEY MONUMENT

To Be Dedicated in Buffalo Sept. 5. Former Residents Invited.

The beautiful white marble shaft erected by the state of New York in Niagara Square, Buffalo, N. Y., to the memory of President McKinley, is to be formally dedicated Thursday, Sept. 5, and the event will be the central feature of Buffalo's Old Home Week, Sept. 1 to 7. Former residents of Buffalo and the public at large are cordially invited to attend the dedication

The McKinley monument was planned and executed under the direction of a commission of prominent men, at a cost of $150,000. Gov. Charles E. Hughes, with his military staff, will take part in the ceremonies and President Roosevelt and former President Grover Cleveland have been invited to attend and speak. Military parades will be a feature of the occasion.

SPAIN FAR BEHIND NATIONS.

Illiteracy Prevails There to a Most Amazing Extent.

Of the 20,000,000 people inhabiting Spain, only about 35 per cent. can read and write; another two and one-half per cent. of the population can read without being able to write, but the remaining 62½ per cent. are absolute illiterates. In the south of Spain it is impossible to get a servant who can read and write, and many of the postmen are unable to tell to whom the letters they carry are addressed. They bring a bundle of letters to a house and the owner looks through them and takes those which are (or which he thinks are) addressed to him. The Spanish postmen are not paid by the state; the recipient of the letters have to remunerate them according to the amount of their correspondence, and each letter costs the addressee at least one cent. It is a joke among the easy-going Spaniards that he who treats the postmen best receives the most letters—whether they are intended for him or not.

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Watching the Knife Play.

"There is an awful fascination about seeing people eat with their knives," said he who has just spent a week on the farm for this health, with a retrospective look in his eyes. 'A knife is such an unexpected instrument. You never know just where it is going to strike. You can't keep your eyes off. You are afraid to look for fear it might slip and cut the mouth half in two, and you are afraid if you don't look it might happen and you won't get to see it."

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"Nonsense! why he's forever bragging about being self-made."

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FIVE METHODS OF PREPARING SAVORY DISHES.

Baked Chops Excellent for Luncheon —Peppers Stuffed with the Meat —Mutton Scallop—Proper Way to Roast.

Baked Lamb Chops.—Beat and trim the chops, roll each one in beaten egg and then in dried bread crumbs Put them in the dripping pan with a small lump of butter on each one; set in the oven, and as they brown baste every few minutes with boiling water and a little butter. When nut brown sprinkle with pepper and salt; thicken the gravy left in the pan by adding browned flour; pour over the chops and serve.

Peppers Stuffed with Lamb.—Cut a piece from the stem end of the peppers and remove the seeds; cover with boiling water and let stand for ten minutes; drain and fill with the chopped meat. Place in a baking pan, add a cupful of hot water and bake in a moderate oven for three-quarters of an hour. One pint of chopped meat is enough for ten peppers.

Mutton Scallop.—If the meat is tender cut into thin slices; if not, it will be better to chop it fine. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Put a layer of meat in a buttered pan, then one of the tomatoes, continuing until the pan is full, the top layer being tomatoes. Bake in a pan for half an hour. Serve hot, with baked potatoes.

Lamb Cutlets.—Chop fine a little suet, mix it with bread crumbs, add salt, pepper and a little chopped parsley and herbs to suit the taste; mix with a beaten egg. Scoop out the center of six or eight tomatoes, fill with the mixture, arrange them closely in a pan, put a small piece of butter on each and bake. Wash, dry and peel a pint of mushrooms, put them into another pan with two tablespoonfuls of butter mixed with a teaspoonful of flour. Add salt, pepper and a little water and stew for about 15 minutes. Trim the cutlets, rub each over with butter and bake. When done arrange them standing up in the middle of a dish with the tomatoes and mushrooms around them. Pour the essence from the tomatoes and the mushrooms together and serve it with the lamb as sauce. Serve hot.

Roast Lamb.—Brush three ounces of melted butter over the inner part of a well trimmed quarter of lamb and strew thickly with finely grated bread crumbs seasoned with salt, pepper and pasley. Roll and skewer four or five slices of bacon to the outer side. Put them in a rather quick oven and when thoroughly done remove the bacon and baste the meat with the well beaten yolk of egg and gravy. Cover thickly with bread crumbs and brown nicely. Garnish the platter on which it is to be served with sprays of mint. Mint sauce should be used with this dish.

Hints for the Cakemaker.

Have a brisk, hot fire for layer cakes; a slow one for fruit cake.

Do not slam oven door or kitchen door when cake is in oven.

If oven gets hot set in can of cold water.

Settling away from the pan are indications cake is ready to leave oven.

When removed set cake on sieve so a free circulation of air is around it.

Never frost the lower side of cake; always turn right side up.

A tin chest or stone jar is best to keep it in.

For cakes or cookies that call for soda if a teaspoonful of baking powder is used with it it will be much nicer.

Brass Candlesticks.

Brass candlesticks that are in constant use should be rubbed up every day. To remove the wax without scratching or injuring the brass, plunge the candlesticks into a pan of very hot water and allow them to remain immersed long enough for the wax to melt. Another simple and effective method is to hold the candlesticks to the fire, removing the wax as it becomes soft with tissue paper or rag.

Spool Holders.

A simple little device for holding the spool when crocheting is a wire hair pin with the ends bent in at right angles a quarter of an inch above each end. Snap the ends into a hole in a spool or into a ball; hook the head of the pin over the button on the waist and run no more risk of soiling thread or silk from dropping.

Stuffed Beefsteak.

Take a round beefsteak and fill it with dressing. Fold together lengthwise and pin the edges together with toothpicks. Any dressing such as is used for turkeys may be used. Place in a pot, with a slice of pickled pork in the bottom, and boil for an hour; then turn all into the dripping pan and brown in the oven. Serve with the pan gravy. Cut across the roll.

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right Starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

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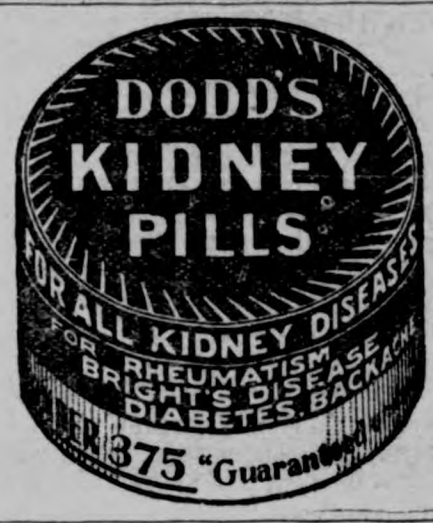

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Germantown News.

Grandma Lunn is reported very sick.

Good weather and the farmers are busy harvesting.

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Emma Urich Louie Whalek were married at Duncan Tuesday Particiculars next week.

Geo, Greiman, Chas. Gall and Herman Katter unloaded their new Advance threshing outfit at Garner Monday.

We were informed that Mrs. Urich went through the operation and is somewhat improved. Mr. Urich is still at the hospital.

Ben Haes and wife arrived from Mason City Saturday and visited at the old homestead Sunday. They will reside hereafter in Garner.

Notice of Letting Construction Work on Drains in Drainage District No. Nineteen (19).

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of July. A. D., 1907, at 1 o'clock P M. in the office of the County Auditor of Hancock county at Garner, Iowa, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder; by sealed bids which will be received up to the hour of letting the contract, each of which bids must be accompanied by a certified check for ten per centum (10 per cent) of the amount of the bid: a contract for furnishing and laying the tile in Drainage District No. Nineteen (19) of Hancock county, Iowa, which work shall be commenced on or before Aug. 10th, 1907, and completed on or before November 15th, 1907, and shall be done in accordance with the report, map, plat, profile and field notes now on file in the Auditor's office and work must be per rod of work bid on.

The work to be let is as follows:

Section No. 1. consists of 1200 lineal feet of 10 inch tile to be laid at an average depth of 6 feet and 950 lineal feet of 12 inch tile to be laid at an average depth of 4½ feet.

Approved bonds in an amount equal to twenty-five per centum (25 per cent.) of the estimated cost of the work let will be required of each contractor, conditioned for the faithful performance of his contract and the right by the Board of Supervisors to reject any and all bids.

Witness my hand this 2nd day of, July. A. D., 1907.

THOMAS DUFF
County Auditor.

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Lizzie Elder is enjoying a visit from her sister Minnie this week.

Josephine White leaves home soon for N. Dak. to clerk in a store.

Atha Bowen of Garner, was visiting her sister Mrs. Adrian Elder.

Mrs. Hartsman of Dysart, Ia., is visiting with friends and relatives here.

Mr. Hubbard and family from Chicago are visiting with relatives here.

Mrs. S. E. Eldred and children of Clear Lake are visiting with friends here.

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It is with pleasure that I give you this unsolicited testimonial. About a year ago when I had a severe case of measles I got caught out in a hard rain and the measles settled in my stomach and bowels. I had an awful time and had it not been for the use of Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy I could not have possibly lived but a few hours longer but thanks to this remedy I am now strong and well. I have written the above thru' simple gratitude and I shall always speak a good word for this remedy. Sam H. Gwin, Concord, Ga. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

Original Notice.

Lyman C. Mellen, Plaintiff vs. C. J. Simpson, et. al. Defendants	In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Hancock County, September Term, A. D. 1907.

To C. J. Simpson, Helen Simpson.

You are hereby notified that on or before the 5th day of September, A. D., 1907, the petition of the Plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Hancock County, claiming of you the sum of Two Hundred and Eighty-seven and 43 100 Dollars, money as justly due from you and interest thereon at eight per cent. from the Sixteenth day of September, A. D., 1907, for and on account of one certain promissory note signed by C. J. Simpson and Helen Simpson and payable to the order of the plaintiff, dated Nov. 15, 1901 for the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars and payable Nov. 15, 1906 with interest at seven per cent. per annum.

Also praying for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage securing the said note describing Lot No. 12 in Block No. 6 in the Original Town of Goodell Iowa,

No personal judgment is asked against any of the said defendants except C. J. Simpson and Helen Simpson.

And that unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the next term, being the September term of the said Court, which will commence at Garner, Iowa, on the Sixteenth day of September, 1907, default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon as provided by law.

Dated this 27th day of May, A. D., 1907.

RAMSAY & BLACKSTONE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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2nd " "	" Allee Trophy	"	250
3rd " "	" Wallace's Farmer Trophy	"	200
4th " "	" Farmers Tribune Trophy	"	150

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" "	Wallace Farmer Trophy "	20 "
" "	Farmers Tribune Trophy "	15 "
" "	Allee Trophy will receive	12 "

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I am in a hurry to get back to my home in the "Big City" for I have a sore leg (?) which the doctor must attend to soon, or I may die of blood poison and as this is the last piano of a car load (?) I will sell it at cost or below cost if I haveto. I haveto go back on account of my sore leg (?)

So please, my good lady, allow me a little room in your big house to store this piano for only a day or two—until I get back from the "Big City" my leg is so sore.

Thanks lady—Oh! sure not, he wont object. Your husband said (?) I should bring it here.

Now, good people, this is a $350 (?) piano. I've got cheaper ones but I know you want only a good one—Oh! my sore leg.

What you say? rather buy from a home dealer? I fear my good people, you don't know what a Big fellow I am. I nearly own a piano factory and have actually made pianos myself and am worth $60,000, that makes my 10 year guarantee good.

No, I'm no "farmer selling pianos", or a "little druggist selling pianos" but I've been at it 25 years (?)

Now, my good lady, your husband has gone out, I don't want to make trouble in the family—you and your daughter buy this.

My leg is so sore (?). I will sell it to you cheap. Give me the organ and sign this note for a little more than $100 and see—this beautiful (tin pan) piano is yours.

Yes! If you lived in the country you would haveto pay from 60 to 80 dollars more for the same instrument.

Come drayman, take the organ out quick, the deal is closed. I believe my leg feels better.

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Yours truly,
THE TRAMP PIANO PEDDLER.

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Ed Houghes, Jr	Forest City
E F Slater	Britt
John Peffer	Corwith
J C Smith	Forest City
J E Savogue	Goodell
A D Paine	Kanawha
J C Johnson	Britt
Joe Klasel	Garner
Wm Minor Barber	Britt
Hugh Warnock	Kanawha
John Burdick	Britt
James Manuel	"
N L Krantz	Wesley
C S Brager	Miller
John Magor	Kanawha
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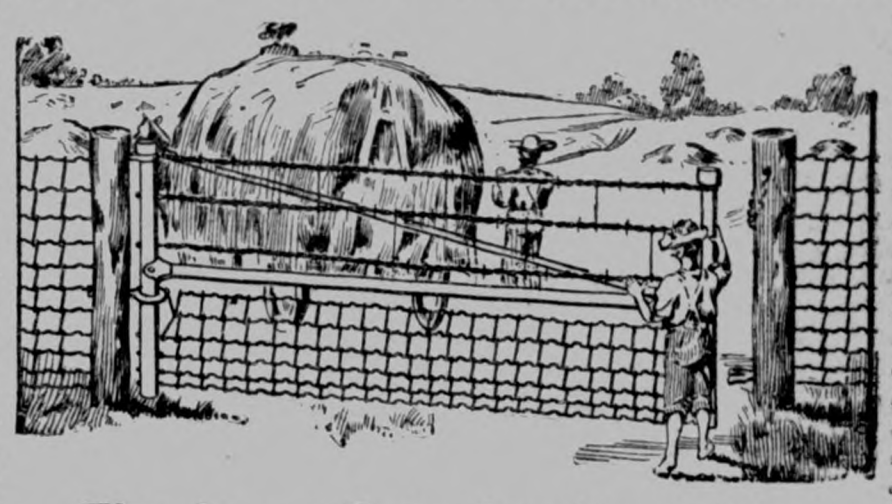

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Klemme, - - Iowa

The hand that rocks the boat is the hand that moves the world to anger.

The latest thing in fruit is a strawberry the size of a potato. Have a slice?

A fish trust is merely a logical process of evolution. In nature the big fish eat the little ones.

One reason why girls shun domestic service, when you come to think of it, is that so few of them know how to cook.

Doctors' fees in China are from two to ten cents, and we frankly state that we have no doubt they are worth it.

At Buchanan, Mich., a turtle was found that had been under a dam for 20 years. That's a long time to be under a dam.

Grocers emphatically repudiate the idea that they are organizing or intend to organize a trust. They haven't even a canned agreement.

Eight-hour day for mothers? Tut, tut! Most of them would be satisfied if baby stays asleep long enough to guarantee them an eight-hour night.

A New York policeman interfered with an eloping couple, taking them for burglars. This might properly be termed "an arrested marriage."

A silver dollar coined in 1804 has just been sold to a Philadelphia man for $3,600. We have a much newer one that he can have for a less sum.

Nothing looks so proud as a big balloon sailing through space and nothing looks so draggled as that same balloon hanging from the branches of a tree.

Those Indiana young women who have resolved to marry no man who hasn't at least $4,000 in cash seem to forget that there is any such thing as love in the world.

In an 'endurance race" for automobiles it is not expected that either the automobile or the driver can endure the test of bumping into bridges or being dumped into a ditch.

A horse in a country town in Illinois saw an automobile for the first time the other day, and five minutes later dropped dead. "Poor old Bill!" said the owner. "He always did have a lot of sense."

The telemenaphone, a new invention, is designed to take the place of the depot porter who announces the departure of trains. It can't be any more unintelligible than the present occupant of the job.

A Pittsburg woman wants a divorce because her husband thought bean soup was all she ought to eat. If he wants another wife after the courts have granted him his freedom it might pay him to look around in Boston.

San Salvador has given a subsidy of $5,000,000 to an American company to build a railroad across it. San Salvador may as well say good-by to revolutions. A railroad company of that size will see to it that the country is peaceably governed.

The other day a bride stepped from her father's house, ran the gauntlet of flying rice and old shoes, and reached the carriage. She was about to enter when an old shoe, hurled by a guest, struck one of the horses. He plunged and frightened his mate. The pair ran, and the bride began her happy life with a broken leg. In time, remarks the Youth's Companion, we shall outgrow the thirteenth century style of humor which leads us to add discomfort and embarrassment, if not danger, to a nerve-trying ceremony.

Mrs. Agassiz, the widow of the great teacher of science, was herself as much interested in the cause of education as was her famous husband. The first president of Radcliffe college, she was all her life the warm friend and personal sympathizer with and adviser of young women; and her great wealth was used, not for ostentatious luxury, but for many quiet charities. "A memory written all white" is the beautiful way in which Mrs. Julia Ward Howe summed up her life.

Something suggestive to young men with artistic skill is to be found in the recent decision of the secretary of commerce and labor, that owing to the scarcity of the supply here lithographic artists may come from abroad under contract. The lithographic companies have been unable to find skilled workmen enough at home, and have had to import them; and the demand for fine lithography is so great that much work is sent abroad to be done by foreigners on American paper and American presses.

MOORS BEATEN BACK

FRENCH REPULSE ATTACKS ON CASABLANCA CAMP.

MANY NATIVES ARE SLAIN

Warships Effectively Support the Land Forces—Occupation Is Approved —Further Details of Bombardment of the City.

Casablanca.—The Moors Thursday night renewed their attempt to invade Casablanca, but were repulsed with heavy losses by the fire from the warships. All the consulates here are now guarded by machine guns.

The total of the Moorish losses here is estimated at 2,000.

Attacks Twice Repulsed.

Tangier. — News has been received here that Arab tribesmen, who had gathered from the surrounding country to the number of five or six thousand, swept down upon Gen. Drude's camp outside Casablanca Thursday afternoon. They were driven off with considerable loss. Later they renewed the attack and again were repulsed. The French troops are in splendid condition and spirits. The warships supported them during this attack by keeping up a steady shell fire on the horsemen.

When the French consul from Casablanca arrived here Friday he received a letter from Muley Amin, the military governor of Casablanca, officially approving the action of the French forces and asking the aid of France in inflicting punishment upon agitators.

The latest advices received here do not confirm the reported bombardment of Mazagan. Advices from Mogador dated August 7, say everything was quiet there then and that no trouble was apprehended unless European complications resulted from the bombardment of Casablanca. Morocco city is quiet.

Some Europeans Killed.

Further particulars of the bombardment of Casablanca show that when Admiral Philibert's squadron arrived off that port the armored cruisers Conde and Gloire bombarded the outskirts of the city while the Jeanne D'Arc shelled the Arab quarter. So soon as the foreign legion landed the gates were battered down, the soldiers took possession of the ramparts and the streets were cleared by the infantry, with the use of rapid fire guns.

The Du Chayla before sailing for Mazagan asked for some troops to land there, but Admiral Philibert declined saying he was unable to spare them. He sent the Admiral Aube to reinforce the Du Chayla.

The French warships Conde and Galilee are at Rabat and the Du Chayla is still at Mazagan. Admiral Philibert has issued a proclamation at both places warning the natives that the least act of hostility against Europeans will result in the towns being completely destroyed.

The sacking of Cape Juby occurred July 30.

Particulars of Bombardment.

Paris. — Admiral Philibert's report to Marine Minister Thomson says that August 7 the Du Chayla lost five men killed and adds that there were also a number of killed and wounded among the Spanish forces. The Moorish losses on account of the cross-fire of the Galilee and Forbin were large.

The camp material and soldiers were debarked at night by the aid of the searchlights of the warships.

Special dispatches from Tangier estimate the Moors' losses in the 49 hours' fighting at from 1,800 to 2,000 men.

A battalion of the Twenty-fourth Colonial infantry at Perpignan has been ordered to get ready for service in Morocco.

Five Spanish gunboats are ready to sail for Morocco from San Sebastian and the Spanish cruiser Lepanto is embarking marines at Cadiz for Casablanca and Mogador.

MINISTER GIVES UP HIS LIFE

Attempts to Save Drowning Man and Both Perish.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Rev. Edward McConnell, of Absecon, N. J., and Claude Friendship, a real estate agent of Philadelphia, were drowned Tuesday opposite Doe's island, near Brigantine. The men were out in a small sailboat in company with two other men and while the boat was making a tack to the windward the boom swung around and hit Friendship on the head, knocking him overboard. He could not swim and cried for help.

Mr. McConnell, who could swim, leaped after the sinking man. Friendship grabbed him about the neck and both sank from view. They never came up. The others in the boat grappled for the bodies without success and returned with the news of the double drowning. Friendship was the son of the president of the Realty company of Philadelphia.

MOROCCAN TOWNS AND COAST IN ZONE OF PRESENT TROUBLE.

Scene of Disturbance.

WRIT OF ERROR IS GRANTED

STANDARD OIL IS PERMITTED TO TAKE ITS APPEAL.

Judge Grosscup, However, Refuses Supersedeas Without a Bond Other Than for Costs.

Chicago.—Judge Peter S. Grosscup, of the United States circuit court of appeals, Friday afternoon granted to the Standard Oil company of Indiana a writ of error allowing the defense to take its appeal from the judgment of Judge K. M. Landis, who imposed the record-breaking fine of $29,240,000.

Efforts of the defending lawyers, Moritz Rosenthal and Merritt Starr, however, to obtain a supersedeas staying the execution of the judgment during the review of the case by the higher court without furnishing more than a bond for costs were thwarted.

Special Assistant District Attorney James H. Wilkerson and Assistant District Attorneys Harry A. Parkin and Francis Hanchett appeared for the government to contest the defendant's attorneys in their efforts to obtain a supersedeas without any more than one bond for costs.

It was the contention of the government that the bond should be fixed at $29,240,000, the amount of the fine imposed by Judge Landis, in order to secure the government pending a stay of execution.

The assignment of errors contains 116 citations in which Judge Landis is declared to have erred during the course of the trial of the oil company. It is the contention of the defense that the court erred in overruling and not sustaining the demurrer to the indictment on the ground that the Elkins act, under which the indictment had been drawn, had been repealed by the Hepburn bill.

New York.—Several stocks quoted in New York fell to new low record levels Friday. Notable among them was Standard Oil, which at one time during the day reached 466, the lowest point touched in many years. A little later the stock was offered at 475 with no bidders.

FOUR KILLED IN WRECK.

Pennsylvania Passenger Train Sideswiped By Runaway Coal Car.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Four persons were killed and 25 injured in a railroad wreck Tuesday on the Buffalo and Allegheny division of the Pennsylvania railroad at Kelly, about 35 miles from this city. The wrecked train was the Titusville express, which left Titusville, Pa., for this city at 7:10 in the morning.

At 11:30 while passing through Kelly the train was sideswiped by a gondola coal car and the engine, tender, baggage and express cars with the three day coaches were derailed.

The dead are: Mrs. Alonzo Huff and male infant, of Johnstown, Pa.; M. B. Irwin, of Oakmont, Pa., engineer of the passenger train, and George Cochran, of Rimesburg, Pa.

Lady Godiva Rides Again.

Coventry, England.—Mounted on a white palfrey and decorously clothed in masses of hair, pink fleshings, and clouds of gauze, a modern Lady Godiva Tuesday gave a representation of the historic ride through the city's streets. Many of the local clergy, who had been preaching against the fleshings as being suggestive of nudity, left the city temporarily, but most of the people of the county and 80,000 to 100,000 from the outside had a sight of Lady Godiva as she traversed the six miles.

Kansas Pioneer Is Dead.

El Dorado, Kan.—N. F. Frazier, president of the Citizens' State bank, a pioneer and one of Kansas' wealthy men, died at his home here Thursday, aged 62 years.

WILLIAMS IS THE NOMINEE.

Vardaman Accepts Defeat In Mississippi Senatorial Contest.

Jackson, Miss. — The Democratic state executive committee has declared Congressman John Sharp Williams as the party nominee for the United States senate.

J. S. Williams.

The canvass of the returns showed a majority of 648 votes for Williams, the totals being as follows:

Williams,59,496; Vardaman, 58,848.

There will be no contest over the result.

After a short caucus by the two factions it was finally agreed to abide by semi-official returns as furnished Secretary of State Powers from the various counties and which show that Mr. Williams has a majority of 648 votes. The motion to declare Mr Williams the nominee was seconded by the friends of Gov. Vardaman. The committete then formally declared Mr. Williams nominated as United States senator. This is considered the final settlement of the now celebrated contest.

RAILWAY STRIKE MAY SPREAD.

Other Western Roads Threatened—Citizens Man Fuel Train.

Denver, Col.—There is no prospect of a settlement of the strike on the Colorado & Southern road, and it may spread to other western railroads. Grievance committees of the Denver & Rio Grande and other roads are in the city, and they will make a demand for an additional two cents an hour for the yardmen.

Sixteen of the larger mines near Trinidad, depending directly on the Colorado & Southern for handling their product, closed down Wednesday.

To prevent the closing of their mines and to relieve a threatened coal famine at Central City, ten of Central City's most prominent citizens manned a train of fuel destined for that district.

G. W. DELAMATER A SUICIDE

Once Prominent Pennsylvania Politician Takes His Own Life.

Pittsburg, Pa.—George Wallace Delamater, once candidate for governor of Pennsylvania, and who served as state senator from Crawford county from 1887 to 1890, committed suicide by shooting Wednesday in his offices in this city. Occupants of neighboring offices in the Diamond National bank building found him dead with a 38-caliber bullet hole in his right temple.

Grief over the death of his father, George B. Delamater, at Meadville, Pa., on May 6, and the sudden death of his son, James Scott Delamater, in June at Connellsville, Pa., is believed to be the cause of his suicide.

All Opium Dens Closed.

Canton, China. — In accordance with the imperial decree recently issued all the opium dens in Canton were closed Friday without disturbance. The departure caused rejoicing throughout the city, the streets were decorated and a number of processions, headed by bands playing lively airs passed through the main thoroughfares.

Magills Allowed Early Trial.

Clinton, Ill. — Circuit Judge Cochran has allowed the petition of the defense for the immediate trial of Fred Magill and his wife, Fay Graham Magill, who are under indictments charging responsibility for the death of Mrs. Pet Magill, the first wife of Magill. The Magills are at liberty on $5,000 bonds pending trial.

Woman Grave-Digger.

A woman of 25 has been appointed grave-digger, bell-ringer and organist in the Danish town of Grenaa. She is the first woman grave-digger in Denmark.

Give Defiance Starch a fair trial—try it for both hot and cold starching, and if you don't think you do better work, in less time and at smaller cost, return it and your grocer will give you back your money.

German Judicial System.

In Germany a prisoner is acquitted on a tie vote by the jury. A vote of seven to five leaves the decision with the court, while a vote of eight to four means conviction.

High Price for London Property.

London city churches when they come into the market fetch big prices. The building and site of the Church of St. Peter le Poer in Old Broad street have just been sold for $480,000.

That an article may be good as well as cheap, and give entire satisfaction, is proven by the extraordinary sale of Defiance Starch, each package containing one-third more Starch than can be had of any other brand for the same money.

Calf Like a Kangaroo.

More like a jack rabbit or a kangaroo is a calf recently born in a western state. Its front legs are quite a little shorter than its hind ones, and it has no tail at all. Instead of moving and frisking about like its playmates, the odd looking creature covers the ground by leaps.

Social Rank.

At a country dance in a southern town, when the fiddlers had resined their bows and taken their places on the platform, the floor manager rose.

"Got yo' partners for a cotillion!" he shouted, imperiously.

"All you ladies an' gemmen dat wears shoes an' stockings take yo' places in de middle ob de room. All you ladies an' gemmen dat wears hoes an' no stockings take you' places immejitly behin' dem. An' you barefooted crowd jest jig it roun' in de corners."—Youth's Companion.

IN THE NAME OF CHARITY.

Jack London's Story Carries Sting of Truth and Pathos.

"Jack London's famous definition of charity—'sharing a bone with a dog when you're as hungry as the dog'—recalls a story about charity," said a magazine editor, "that I heard Mr. London tell at a farewell dinner in New York before he sailed away on the Spark.

"Mr London said two old men were smoking and drinking together after dinner.

"The host rang the bell and an old woman appeared.

"'Confound you, stupid!' said the host. 'Didn't I tell you I wanted the Scotch? Take this back, and bring what I asked for, you old fool!'

"'Come, come,' said the guest, after the old woman had hurried away in a great fright. 'Come, come, my friend, don't you think you are rather too sharp with your old servant?'

"'Oh,' said the other, 'she's not a servant. She's only a poor relation I'm keeping out of charity.'

"The guest looked relieved.

"'That alters the case, of course,' he said."—Washington Times.

High-Priced Meat may be a Blessing

If it gives one the chance to know the tremendous value of a complete change of diet.

Try this for breakfast:

A Little Fruit

A dish of Grape-Nuts and Cream

A Soft-Boiled Egg

Some Nice, Crisp Toast

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That's all, and you feel comfortable and well-fed until lunch.

THEN REPEAT,

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CHAPTER XXI.—Continued.

"Good! but this is just wall here—earth with a layer of bricks and a thin coat of cement. A nice job it must have been to do the work,—and it cost the price of a tiger hunt," I grumbled.

"Take heart, lad, and listen," and Larry began pounding the wall with a hammer, exactly under the north gatepost. We had sounded everything in and about the house until the process bored me.

"Hurry up and get through with it," I jerked impatiently, holding the lantern at the level of his head. It was sharply cold under the posts and I was anxious to prove the worthlessness of his idea and be done.

Thump! thump!

"There's a place here that sounds a trifle off the key. You try it."

I snatched the hammer and repeated his soundings.

Thump! thump!

There was a space about four feet square in the wall that certainly gave forth a hollow sound.

"Stand back!" exclaimed Larry eagerly. "Here goes with the ax."

He struck into the wall sharply and the cement chipped off in rough pieces, disclosing bricks beneath. Larry paused when he had uncovered a foot of the inner layer, and examined the surface.

"They're loose—these bricks are loose, and there's something beside earth behind them!"

The bricks were set up without mortar, and I plucked them out and rapped with my knuckles on a wooden surface.

Even Larry grew excited as we flung the bricks out into the tunnel.

"Ah, lad," he said, "the old gentleman had a way with him—he had a way with him!" A brick dropped on his foot and he howled in pain.

"Bless the old gentleman's heart! He made it as easy for us as he could. Now, for the Glenarm millions,—red money all piled up for the ease of counting it,—a thousand pounds in every pile."

"Don't be a fool, Larry," I coughed at him, for the brick dust and the smoke of Larry's pipe made breathing difficult.

"That's all the loose bricks,—bring the lantern closer,"—and we peered through the aperture upon a wooden door, in which strips of iron were deep-set. It was fastened with a padlock and Larry reached down for the ax.

"Wait!" I called, drawing closer with the lantern. "What's this?"

The wood of the door was fresh and white, but burned deep on the surface, in this order, were the words:

The Door
of
Bewilderment

"There are dead men inside, I dare say! Here, my lad, it's not for me to turn loose the family skeletons,"—and Larry stood aside while I swung the ax and brought it down with a crash on the padlock. It was of no flimsy stuff and the remaining bricks cramped me, but half a dozen blows broke it off.

"The house of a thousand ghosts," chanted Larry, as I pushed the door open, crawled through and dropped down inside.

Whatever the place was it had a floor and I set my feet firmly upon it and turned to take the lantern.

"Hold a bit!" he exclaimed. "Some one's coming,"—and bending toward the opening I heard the sound of steps down the corridor. In a moment Bates ran up, calling my name with more spirit than I imagined possible in him.

"What is it?" I demanded through the opening.

"It's Mr. Pickering. The sheriff has come with him, sir."

As he spoke his glance fell upon the broken wall and open door. The light of Larry's lantern struck full upon him. Amazement, and, I thought, a certain satisfaction, were marked upon his countenance.

"Run along, Jack,—I'll be up a little later," said Larry. "If the fellow has come in daylight with the sheriff, he isn't dangerous. It's his friends that shoot in the dark that give us the trouble."

I crawled out and stood upright. Bates, staring at the opening, seemed reluctant to leave the spot.

"You seem to have found it, sir," he said,—I thought a little chokingly. His interest in the matter nettled me; it was none of his affair, for one thing; and my first business was to go above for an interview with the executor,—a matter of immediate importance, as should have been clear to any one.

"Of course we have found it!" I ejaculated, brushing the dust from my clothes.

"Is Mr. Stoddard in the library?"

"Oh, yes, sir; I left him entertaining the gentlemen."

"Their visit is certainly most inopportune," said Larry. "Give them my compliments and tell them I'll be up as soon as I've articulated the bones of my friend's ancestors."

Bates strode on ahead of me with his lantern, and I left Larry crawling through the new-found door as I hurried toward the house. I knew him well enough to be sure he would not leave the spot until we had found what lay behind the Door of Bewilderment.

"You didn't tell the callers where you expected to find me, did you?" I asked Bates, as he brushed me off in the kitchen.

"No, sir. Mr. Stoddard received the gentlemen. He rang the bell for me and when I went into the library he was saying, 'Mr. Glenarm is at his studies. Bates,'—he says—'kindly tell Mr. Glenarm that I'm sorry to interrupt him, but won't he please come down?' I thought it rather neat, sir, considering his clerical office. I knew you were below somewhere, sir; the trap door was open and I found you easily enough."

Bates' eyes were brighter than I had ever seen them. A certain buoyant note gave an entirely new tone to his voice. He walked ahead of me to the library door, threw it open and stood aside.

"Ah, here you are, Glenarm," said Stoddard. Pickering and a stranger stood near the fireplace in their overcoats.

Pickering advanced and offered his hand, but I turned away from him without taking it. His companion, a burly countryman, stood staring, a paper in his hand.

"The sheriff," Pickering explained, "and our business is rather personal—"

He glanced at Stoddard, who looked at me.

"Mr. Stoddard will do me the kindness to remain," I said and took my stand beside the chaplain.

"Oh!" Pickering ejaculated scornfully. "I didn't understand that your relations with the neighboring clergy were so intimate. Your taste is improving, Glenarm."

"Mr. Glenarm is a friend of mine," remarked Stoddard quietly. "A very particular friend," he added.

"I congratulate you—both."

I laughed. Pickering was surveying the room as he spoke,—and Stoddard suddenly stepped toward him, merely, I think, to draw up a chair for the sheriff; but Pickering, not hearing Stoddard's step on the soft rug until the clergyman was close beside him, started perceptibly and reddened.

It was certainly ludicrous, and when Stoddard faced me again he was biting his lip.

"Pardon me!" he murmured.

"Now gentlemen, will you kindly state your business? My own affairs press me."

Pickering was studying the cartridge boxes on the library table. The sheriff, too, was viewing these effects with interest not, I think, unmixed with awe.

"Glenarm, I don't like to invoke the law to eject you from this property, but I am left with no alternative. I can't stay out here indefinitely, and I want to know what's I'm to expect."

"That is a fair question," I replied. "If it were merely a matter of following the terms of the will I should not hesitate or be here now. But it isn't the will, or my grandfather, that keeps me, it's the determination to give you all the annoyance possible,—to make it hard and mighty hard for you to get hold of this house until I have found why you are so much interested in it."

"You always had a grand way in money matters. As I told you before you came out here, it's a poor stake. The assets consist wholly of this land and this house, whose quality you have had an excellent opportunity to test. You have doubtless heard that the country people believe there is money concealed here,—but I dare say you have exhausted the possibilities. This is not the first time a rich man has died, leaving precious little behind him."

"You seem very anxious to get possession of a property that you call a poor stake," I said. "A few acres of land, a half-finished house and an uncertain claim upon a school teacher!"

"I had no idea you would understand my position," he replied. "The seriousness of a man's oath to perform the solemn duties imposed upon him by law would hardly appeal to you. But I haven't come here to debate this question. When am I to have possession?"

"Not till I'm ready,—thanks!"

"Mr. Sheriff, will you serve your writ?" he said, and I looked to Stoddard for any hint from him as to what I should do.

"I believe Mr. Glenarm is quite willing to hear whatever the sheriff has to say to him," said Stoddard. He stepped nearer to me, as though to emphasize the fact that he belonged to my side of the controversy, and the sheriff read an order of the Wabana county circuit court directing me, immediately, to deliver the house and grounds into the keeping of the executor of the will of the estate of John Marshall Glenarm.

The sheriff rather enjoyed holding the center of the stage, and I listened quietly to the unfamiliar phraseology. Before he had quite finished I heard a step in the hall and Larry appeared at the door, pipe in mouth. Pickering turned toward him frowning, but Larry paid not the slightest attention to the executor, but leaned against the door with his usual tranquil unconcern.

"I advise you not to trifle with the law, Glenarm," said Pickering, as the sheriff folded his paper. "You have absolutely no right whatever to be here. And these other gentlemen—your guests, I suppose—are equally trespassers under the law."

He stared at Larry, who crossed his legs for greater ease in adjusting his lean frame to the door.

"Well, Mr. Pickering, what is the next step?" asked the sheriff.

"Mr. Pickering," said Larry, straightening up and taking his pipe from his mouth, "I'm Mr. Glenarm's counsel. If you will do me the kindness to ask the sheriff to retire for a moment I should like to say a few words to you that you might prefer to keep between ourselves."

I had usually found it wise to take any cue Larry threw me, and I said:

"Pickering, this is Mr. Donovan, who has every authority to act for me in the matter."

Pickering looked impatiently from one to the other of us.

"You seem to have the guns, the ammunition and the numbers on your side," he observed dryly.

"The sheriff may wait within call," said Larry, and at a word from Pickering the man left the room.

"Now, Mr. Pickering,"—Larry spoke slowly,—"as my friend has explained the case to me, the assets of his grandfather's estate are all accounted for,—the land hereabouts, this house, ten thousand dollars in securities and a somewhat vague claim against a lady known as Sister Theresa, who conducts St. Agatha's school. Is that correct?"

"I don't ask you to take my word for it, sir," rejoined Pickering hotly. "I have filed an inventory of the estate, so far as found, with the proper authorities."

"Certainly. But I merely wish to be sure of my facts for the purpose of this interview, to save me the trouble of going to the records. And, moreover, I am somewhat unfamiliar with your procedure in this country. I am a member, sir, of the Irish bar. Pardon me, but I repeat my question."

"I have made oath—that, I trust, is sufficient even for a member of the Irish bar."

"Quite," said Larry, nodding his head gravely.

He was not, to be sure, a presentable member of any bar, for a smudge detracted considerably from the appearance of one side of his face, his clothes were rumpled and covered with brick dust, and his hands were black. But I had rarely seen him so calm. He recrossed his legs, peered into the bowl of his pipe for a moment, then asked, as quietly as though he were soliciting an opinion of the weather.

"Will you tell me, Mr. Pickering, whether you yourself are a debtor of John Marshall Glenarm's estate?"

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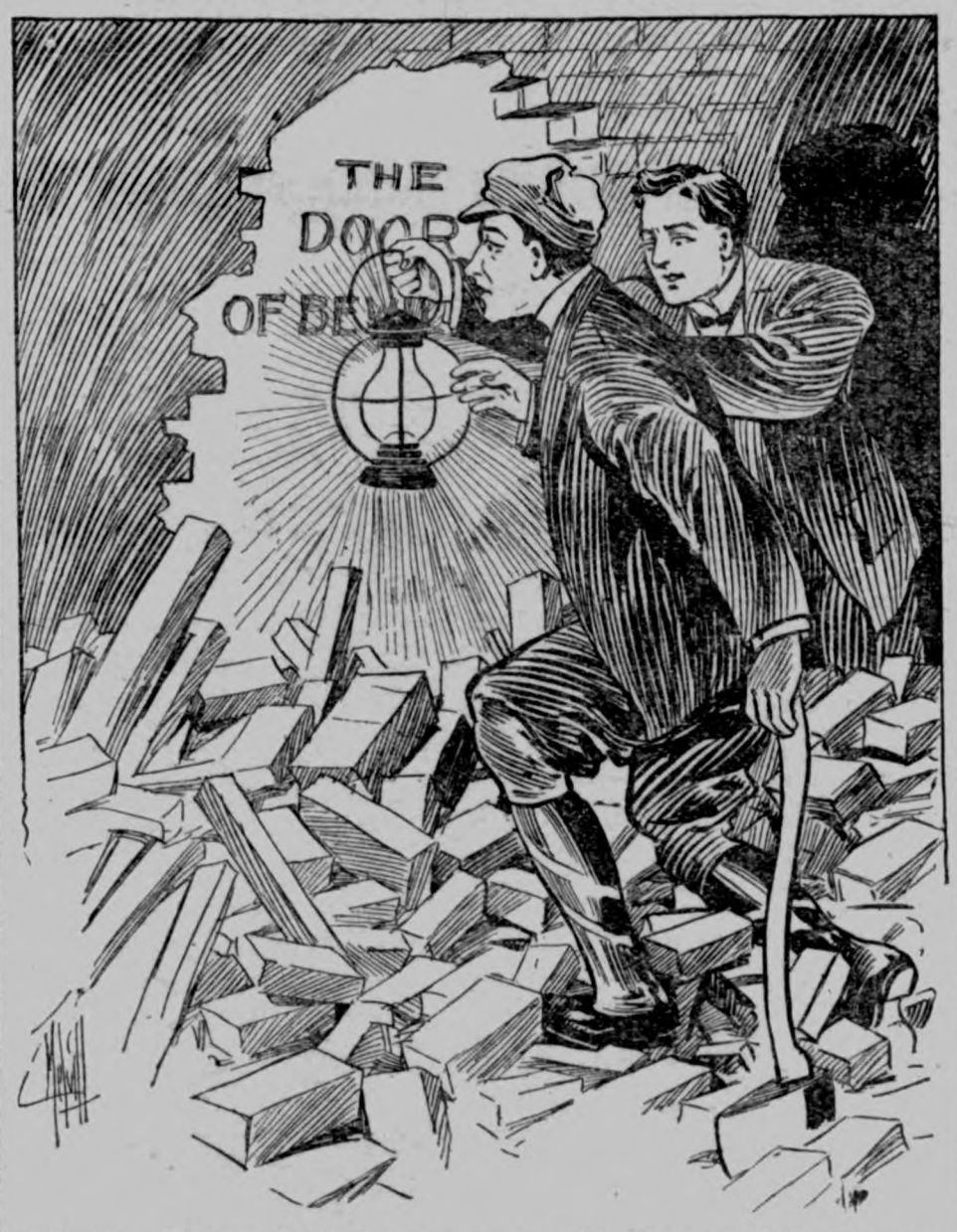

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Recently a lady was seen hurriedly approaching the gate at the Grand Central Depot, in New York. She had a traveling bag in one hand, a hat box and a bunch of flowers in the other and an umbrella and a box of lunch tucked under her arm. There was not a moment to spare, but the gatekeeper stopped her mad rush.

"Let me have your ticket, please," he commanded.

"I can't," she said, turning first red and then white, "but I have one. Please let me pass. I've got to catch that train."

"You will have to show your ticket, madam," repeated the gateman sternly. Tears glistened in the lady's eyes.

"I tell you I can't, it's—it's— Well, I pinned in in my— Oh, I put it where I wouldn't lose it, and I can't get it till I have a chance to— Oh, do please let me through!" She was allowed to pass, and was heard to say as she made a dash for the train:

"The next time Jack worries me into putting things where I can't lose them I guess I'll know it."

HER LITERARY LIKES

They had just met; conversation was somewhat fitful. Finally he decided to guide it into literary channels, where he was more at home, and, turning to his companion, asked, "Are you fond of literature?"

"Passionately," she replied. "I love books dearly."

"Then you must admire Sir Walter Scott," he exclaimed with sudden animation. "Is not his 'Lady of the Lake' exquisite in its flowing grace and poetic imagery? Is it not—" "It is perfectly lovely," she assented, clasping her hands in ecstacy. "I suppose I have read it a dozen times."

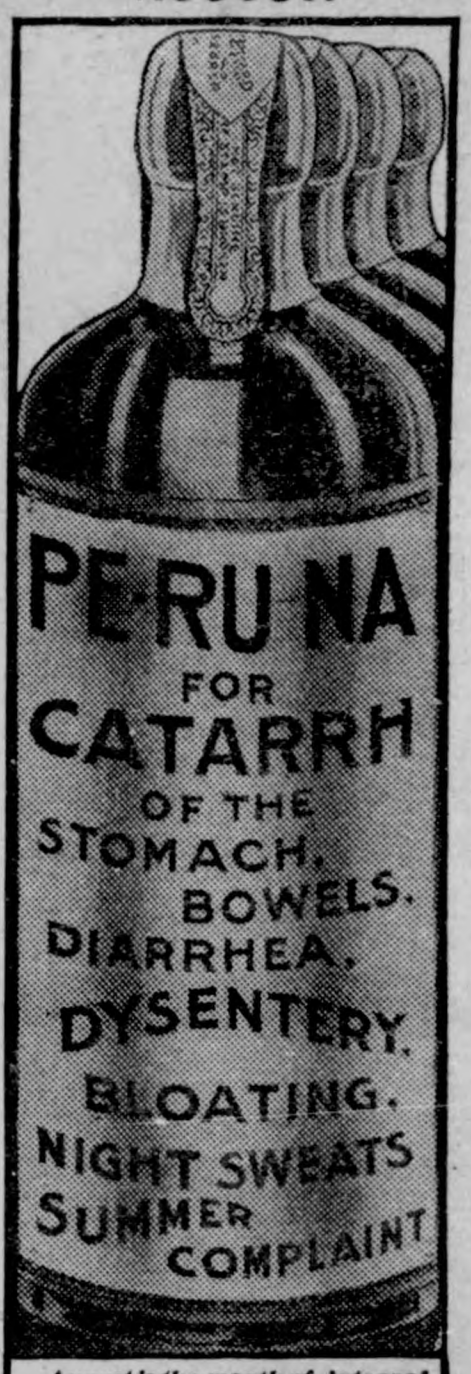
"And Scott's 'Marmion,'" he continued, "with its rugged simplicity and Scottish characters and his graphic, forceful pictures of feudal times and customs?" "I just dote on them," she replied.

"And Scott's Emulsion," he continued, a faint suspicion beginning to dawn upon him.

"I think," she interrupted rashly, "that it is the best thing he ever wrote."—Montreal Herald.

At the age of 20, the average man loses six days yearly by illness; at 65 he will lose 26 days.

HEALTH NOTES FOR AUGUST.



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German M. E. Church Items

A little boy made his appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ax.

Flora Schoenwetter is expected home this week Friday from Kirksville, Mo.

The Germantown W. F. M. S. met with Mrs. Louis Sampson Tuesday afternoon.

J. Schwichtenberg and family visited parents and grandparents in town Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Geo Ulrich left for her old home in Clayton Co. last Saturday to visit her kin folks.

F. J. Schuldt and family of Garner, attended services in Germantown Sunday and visited with relatives.

H. J. Stille took out a new 20 horse engine on Monday. He expects to begin threshing by the end of this week.

Mrs. Fritz and children of Waterloo, arrived last Saturday to spend a few days with her mother Mrs. Jno. Ulrich in Germantown.

Emma Sampson and her Sunday school class of eleven girls enjoyed a picnic on Wednesday afternoon. They had a fine time which they will not forget so soon.

The writer assisted in getting a large swarm of bees out of a tall tree and put in a hive one day last week and a few minutes later had a pound of honey to take home. That beats Sampson of old.

The fourth quarterly meeting will be held in the Germantown church Saturday and Sunday. Presiding Elder Rolfing will conduct the same. There will be no services in the Klemme church on Sunday.

It seems lonesome on main street not having seen our honorable postmaster John Gruetzmacher and our popular clerk August Wenz for so long. We hope they will feel themselves at home when they get back and see all our inprovements and not feel like Rip-Van Winkle of old.

How civilization does move. We heard of dedicating a new barn in Germantown this week with a social function. It has long been comely to dedicate churches and public buildings and some of our forefathers celebrated the completion of a home which took years of toil to erect. But a barn—the home of horses and cattle—we'll, say no more.

East Ell Township.

Most all the farmers have finished harvesting.

Harve Allen visited at John Hoselton's over Sunday.

Mrs. J. Hoselton is at Aredale caring for her mother who is still very ill.

Misses Norma and Beatrice and brother Milton Pattersoon visited at Hoselton's Tuesday and Wednesday.

A crowd of young folks enjoyed their Sunday afternoon at H. Thiemann and ice-cream was served and all report a delightful time.

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LOCAL NEWS

Read the market report.

Change of ad State Savings Bank.

Geo. Waterman and family drove to Garner, Sunday.

Jonn Braund of Webster City, is here visiting with relatives.

Aug. Lau was at Garner and Miller last week Friday on business matters.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

C. P. Ell and family drove to Thornton Sunday and were the guests of Mrs. Ell's parents'

Look here, stock raisers. We have tne Dipolene which is good for hogs, sheep and ary other animals. H. Lau & Son

Wm. Schlawein sold to W. R. Bloom the first new oats of the season. It was late oats which tested 25 pounds per bushel.

Garner and Waverly played ball at Waverly last week Thursday and Friday. Garner lost both games. 4 to 0 and 13 to 0.

John Nissen left for Titonka last week Saturday and visited with his brother George and family. He returned Monday.

Keep the pores open and the skin clean when you have a cut, burn, bruise or scratch. Dewitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve penetrates the pores and heals quickly. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

ESTRAY—Came to my farm a week ago one 2-year old red and white heifer. Owner can have s me by paying for keeping and advertising. W. S. Glanville.

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Oscar Donath drove down from Garner, Saturday.

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A Shoop visited with his family at Clear Lake over Sunday. He expects to move here in the near future.

G. W. Kluckhohn and wife left Wednesday for Titonka where they will visit with Geo. Nissen and family.

Don't forget that ad of State Savings Bank a complete change—it will more than repay you for your time spent in reading it.

Reinhardt Ufken who has been visiting with his brother Kuno at Alden, Minn. and other points, returned last week Thursday.

Art Wellemeyer's change of ad. will interest the ladies. He has a corset talk. He has the latest up-to-date corset in the market.

We are pleased to inform our readers that the State Savings Bank has again entered the field of again awarding additional prizes to winners of the prizes offered by the Iowa Corn Growers Association of Ames, Iowa. See their bank ad for full particulars.

John Riha, a prominent dealer of Vining, Ia, says: "I have been selling DeWitts's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. There are a dozen people here who have used them and they give perfect satisfaction in every case. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by J L Harr & Co.

A. J. Schoenwetter's barn is completed and the way it is arranged is certainly up-to-date. About fifty of his neighbors helped him dedicate the barn Monday evening Aug. 12. A pleasant evening was spent and refreshments were served after which all departed for their homes at a late hour.

Free, for catarrh, just to prove merit, a trial size box of Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Let me send it now. It is a snow-white creamy, healing antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as oil eucaliptus, thymol, menthol, etc. it gives instant relief to catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Adress Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50c. Sold by All Dealers.

Garner and Emmetsburg played ball at Emmetsburg Tuesday Frank Kluckhohn as usual played with the Garner team. It was a close contested game. The score stood 1 to 0 in favor of Emmetsburg. This was a good game even if Garner did receive their defeat, at least better than the boys averaged up at Waverly.

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Jay Nelson formerly living at Yankton, S. Dak., is now located at Alden, Minn.

Geo. Ell came up from Belmond last week Saturday returning the same day.

Frank Gruetzmacher is putting in a cement walk west and south of his store.

Mrs. Schoh of Eitzen, Minn., is visiting with her daughter Mrs. H. Schroeder.

B. H. Brackett of the Northern Lumber Co. of Garner, called on N. L. Palmer Monday.

Now is the time of the year to buy cream separators and gas enginesat H. Lau & Son tf.

Mrs. J. Josten and son Earl returned Monday from their visit with her parents at Monona, Iowa.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

Mrs. C. P. Ell's two little sisters came over from Tornton last week Tuesday and visited until Wednesday.

H. W. Bischel aad family and Mrs. Waldo and son who have been visiting here, returned to Webster City on Monday.

Mrs. J. F. Wenck and daughter drove down from Garner last week Saturday and returned with Frank for an over Sunday visit at home.

Miss Fern Suckow returned from her visit at Belmond Tuesday. Her friend Miss Edna Boughton returned with her for a few days visit.

Read the quotations in Ell Bros. poultry market report on local page. The boys will do the right thing by you if you give them a chance.

Wallace Pavey will assist Frank Roths this fall in running his threshing engine. Wallace is a good hand and worked for Mr. Roths two falls before.

Geo. Studt and wife of Luzerne, Iowa, visited with Geo. Waterman and family from last week Friday until Sunday. Mr. Studt is a brother of Mrs. Waterman.

Arthur Wellemeyer and Henry Lau also followed suit in putting in cement walks. It wont be long before every business place on main street will have a cement walk.

Don't accept a cough cure that you may be told is just as good as Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup, because it isn't just as good—there is quite a difference. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently upon the bowels and clears the whole system of coughs and colds. It promptly relieves inflamation of the throat and allays irritation. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Art Wellemeyer, H. Lau and J. Josten are the ones who put in cement walks this week. Mrs. Lau and C. W. Wiles also expect to put in cement walks. This will have the whole north side with a complete cement walk.

Those who have stomach trouble no matter how slight should give every possible help to the digestive organs so that food may be digested with the least effort. This may be done by taking something that contains natural digestive properties—something like Kodol for indigestion and dyspepsia. Kodol is a preparation of vegetable acids and contains the very same Juices found in a healthy stomach. It digests what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Read the Rock Island System change of ad.

Elmer Arnold was at Garner last week Thursday.

Henry Lewis is working in the Carlson livery barn.

Miss Selma Schroeder is a new subscriber to the Times.

Addie Schoper was at Garner last week Thursday between trains.

Henry Krunkelfeldt is working with Herman Heimann and force building cement walks.

H. A. Sweigard who is visiting at his home at Garner also visited with friends here over Sunday.

C. W. Wiles and family returned from Boone, Iowa, where they spent the past month visiting relatives.

Albert Carlson, a brother of Oscar and Vick, arrived on Monday evening from Boone, Iowa for a short visit.

Mrs. A. B. Shafer returned from Rake, Iowa last week Thursday where she visited with E. P. Dow and family.

Miss Emma Krunkelfeldt arrived last week Friday from Eitzen, Minn for a visit with her brother and relatives.

H. J. Stille bought a new Reeves threshing engine which he received last week Friday. Herman will make the grain go some.

We never repent of eating too little was one of the ten rules of life of Thomas Jefferson, president of the United States, and the rule applies to every one without exception during this hot weather, because it is hard for food even in small quantities, to be digested when the blood is at high temperature. At this season we should eat sparingly and properly. We should also help the stomach as much as possible by the use of a little Kodol For Indigestion and Dyspepsia, which will rest the stomach by digesting the food itself. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Ell Center.

Miss Wacken was at Klemme Tuesday.

Mrs. Grove was a Sunday visitor at Hod Lawhorn's.

Lela Haskin of Klemme, spent last week at Tom Nelson's.

Mrs. Hod Lawhorn sold poultry at Klemme Wednesday.

Hazel Lawhorn is spending a few days at Charley Lawhorn's.

Mrs. Henry Josten entertained her mother a few days last week

Joe Lawhorn and family visited at Lew Lewis at Klemme Sunday.

Threshing in this neighborhood commenced at J. P. Grove's Tuesday.

Lillian Wood of Garner, has been engaged to teach the fall term of the center school.

Charles Kuskie and family gave a dancing party to their many friend one evening last week.

ECZEMA.

For the good of those suffering with eczema or other such trouble, I wish to say, my wife had something of that kind and after using the doctors remedies for some time concluded to try Chamberlain's salve and it proved to be better than anything she had tried For sale by J L Harr & Co

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Good until Wednesday, 8, 21

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Spring chickens	10c
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IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

FOUR SLAIN IN WINDSTORM.

Hanlontown and Vicinity Visited by Destructive Storm.

Mason City.—Final reports from the storm stricken district of northern Iowa indicate that four met death in the tornadoes which wreaked ruin and havoc on the afternoon of the 6th.

The dead all of Hanlontown are:
OLE TWEED,
ASHLAND TWEED,
MRS. ASHLAND TWEED AND SON.

Injured seriously:
Mrs. Harrison of Des Moines.
Mrs. Quimby, Elma.
Daughter of L. O. Verney of Mason City.

The main storm began, so far as Iowa was concerned, at Keister, Minn., followed the Chicago & Northwestern track to within five miles of this city when it veered off in the direction of Clear Lake, where Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Quimby were hurt. The Rockwell twister was separate, it appears.

The heaviest damage to farmers was in the vicinity of Rockwell, where twelve barns were destroyed and much live stock killed. The town of Clear Lake was a heavy sufferer. The homes of Dr. Clark, Mayor Young and F. L. Rogers were badly damaged and other buildings suffered to a lesser extent.

It was here that Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Quimby were hurt. They were occupying a cottage near the lake. The dwelling was literally uprooted and Mrs. Harrison was snatched out of the building just as the frame work and foundation parted. Mrs. Quimby, who is the wife of an Elma merchant, is reported in a serious condition and the symptoms indicate severe internal injuries.

Of the Hanlontown victims, Ole Tweed was killed in the field and the other family in the crash of their home.

The roof of the Roman Catholic Church at Rockwell was blown off.

It is reported that considerable damage was done to crops in Winnebago county and one death in the village of Joice is rumored. The town is cut off of wire service.

DOUBLE CRIME AT OTTUMWA.

Former Mayor Dungan Murders Father-in-law and Kills Self.

Ottumwa.—Frank Duncan, a grocer and formerly mayor of Ottumwa, shot and killed his father-in-law, George Godfrey, one of the oldest and most prominent residents, and then turned the revolver upon himself and committed suicide.

The murder and suicide occurred at the Dungan residence in the west end of the city and it was over two hours after the shooting that the dead bodies were discovered by Mrs. Dungan as she returned from her husband's grocery. The father-in-law was lying in the hall when his daughter entered the house. Mrs. Dungan walked to the rear of the house in search of her husband and upon entering his bedroom she found him stretched dead across the bed in a pool of blood.

When last seen the two men were sitting on the front porch of the Dungan home. It is supposed that they were quarreling over financial matters and after they went into the house, Dungan shot his father-in-law in the heart. He then went to his room and throwing himself upon the bed, he blew his brains out.

Both men were among the most prominent citizens of Ottumwa. Dungan was formerly mayor and his father-in-law several years ago one of the wealthiest men in the county. It is said that Dungan was heavily in debt to Godfrey. The former was about 58 years of age and the latter 85.

TRIES TO WRECK TRAIN.

Enraged Man Makes Attempt Near Atalissa.

Muscatine.—Enraged because he had been put off a fast Rock Island train at Atalissa, a man, giving his name as J. E. Williams, attempted to wreck train No. 8, which passed a short time later.

He placed boards on the track, and when the train passed, he bombarded the cars with rock. Several passengers were badly bruised and cut by flying rocks and broken glass and a panic was caused in the observation car when a large stone was heaved through a big window.

Marshal Wiley, of West Liberty, was notified, and after a wild run in a lone engine, captured the man.

Iowan Makes Money on Wool.

Atlantic.—W. D. Shaw, a farmer and stock raiser living near Brisco, has just marketed two car loads of wool, it being the product of two thousand sheep which he recently shipped to Chicago. Mr. Shaw realized about $7,250 from the wool, which sold at 25 cents per pound. He will continue to keep sheep on his farm, as he has found them the most profitable crop he can raise.

NUNS TO LOCATE IN IOWA.

Headquarters Moved from France to This State.

Des Moines.—According to rumors afloat in Catholic circles, the Carmelite Sisters, one of the most prominent orders of the church in France, is about to move to the United States and establish the "Mother house" at Marshalltown.

The removal from Paris where the order has maintained its headquarters for many years is the result of the persecution to which they have been subjected in the recent struggle between the church and state in France, Iowa being considered their new refuge.

The convent or school which the Carmelite Sisters conducted was considered the leading seminary or young women's institution in France until it was closed by order of the French government after the controversy between church and state was inaugurated.

Mother Marie de Zion, who is at the head of the order, has announced that arrangements have been made for establishing the "Mother house" at Marshalltown and that other convents or schools will be established throughout the west.

A number of the sisters who were formerly teachers in the school at Paris have been in America for some time. Mother Marie de Zion is remaining in Paris in hopes of being able to save the property of the order there which, up to date, has not been confiscated by the government as has been much of the church's property.

LASHES TIED TEAM.

Davenport Detective Lands Big Diamond Thief.

Davenport.—After an exciting chase through the business section of the city, J. Bennett Jones, alias William B. Harris, who robbed a Cedar Rapids residence of $2,000 worth of diamonds, was captured here by Detective Thomas Shanley.

The detective found Jones attempting to sell a large diamond at the Siegel pawnshop. At sight of the officer he ran, the chase leading through streets and alleys until Jones jumped through a window into the Masonic temple.

Running through the building, he leaped into a carriage standing in front of it, grasped the whip and lashed the horses. They were tied to a post, however, and could not break away. By this time Detective Shanley had arrived with drawn revolver and Jones was handcuffed and taken to the police station. He had the stolen diamonds on his person, except the largest stone, which he claimed to have lost.

HAILSTONE INJURES FARMER.

Mason City Man is Knocked From Seat While Mowing.

Mason City.—While mowing William Jennings, a farmer, was knocked from his machine by hail stones during a hail storm and was found several hours afterwards unconscious. His head was badly lacerated by hail, the storm lasting nearly half an hour. The team ran away and in circling narrowly averted cutting him into pieces. The swath showed where the sickle moved almost under the body.

The Iowa, one of the large steam passenger boats on Clear Lake, sunk Tuesday evening in a cyclone, is not yet located. It is part of the Stevens fleet and a fast boat.

Gasoline Injures Sisters.

Bedford.—Lizzie and Myrtle Guilemont, aged 18 and 22, respectively, were frightfully burned in a gasoline stove accident. They were ironing and Myrtle, the younger, attempted to fill the tank of the stove with the usual result. Just as she began pouring the gasoline it took fire and in an instant her clothes were a mass of flames. Her sister rushed to her assistance and she was also badly burned. The young women are suffering severely, but it is not thought that either is fatally inured. Their faces and arms are the worst burned. Both will probably be disfigured, but the surgeon is of the opinion that neither will lose their eyesight.

Uncover Thieves' School.

Cedar Falls.—A Fagin school for thieves was diclosed here in the arrest of John Lockerby, who has had ten boys stealing systematically for him. Lockerby, who is 72 years old, was arrested on an information sworn out by officers of the Illinois Central railway, charged with stealing iron and brass from the company's car standing on side tracks near the city. Nearly a hundred have been put out of commission by the old man and his young pupils.

Johnson County Man Suicides.

Iowa City.—Frank Ratzlaff, 50 years old, a prominent Johnson county farmer and church worker of Sharon township, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. Domestic troubles are the alleged cause of the act. He leaves a wife, a son and four daughters.

A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.

How a Veteran Was Saved the Amputation of a Limb.

B. Frank Doremus, veteran, of Roosevelt Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., says: "I had been showing symptoms of kidney trouble from the time I was mustered out of the army, but in all my life I never suffered as in 1897. Headaches, dizziness and sleeplessness, first, and then dropsy. I was weak and helpless, having run down from 180 to 125 pounds. I was having terrible pain in the kidneys, and the secretions passed almost involuntarily. My left leg swelled until it was 34 inches around, and the doctor tapped it night and morning until I could no longer stand it, and then he advised amputation. I refused, and began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The swelling subsided gradually, the urine became natural and all my pains and aches disappeared. I have been well now for nine years since using Doan's Kidney Pills."

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SETTING THE BRIDE AT EASE.

"Widder's" Sympathy Went Out to Fellow Passenger.

A couple recently married had just entered the train that was to bear them to the mountains on their honeymoon, when they became aware of the close scrutiny of them by a female passenger, who had evidently "spotted" a bride and groom. The young wife, on opening her handbag, let fall some rice on the floor, and the woman smiled. The other passengers regarded the couple with interest. Seeing that the bride was every moment becoming more flushed and uncomfortable by reason of their scrutiny, the woman in the goodness of her heart, leaned across the carriage.

"Never mind, my dear!" she said. "I'm a widder now, but by this time next week I'll be in the same fix myself!"

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Depends on the Dogs.

Asa Goddard, of the American Automobile association, was recounting in Worcester some of his touring adventures.

"One summer morning," he said, "the approach of a great flock of sheep obliged me to pull off the narrow country road. I halted my car, and watched with interest the passage of the sheep, the intelligent dogs and the shepherd.

"I had a short talk with the shepherd about his odd and difficult trade.

"'Look here,' I said, 'what do you do, driving sheep like this on a narrow road, when you meet another flock coming in the opposite direction?'

"'Well,' said the shepherd, 'ye just drive straight on, both of ye, and the one that has the best dogs gets the most sheep.'"

A Nice Sentence.

"You have a pleasant home and a bright fireside, with happy children sitting around it, haven't you?" said the judge.

"Yes, sir," said the prisoner, who thought he saw a way out of the difficulty.

"Well," said the judge, "if the happy children sit around the cheerful fireside until you return, they will stay there just 42 days."

Tokio's New Harbor Works.

The new harbor works at Tokio will cost $10,000,000. The money is being raised by the Japanese government by foreign loan.

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"THERE'S A REASON."

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No, Not as a Rule.

George P. Angell, Boston's brilliant and powerful defender of animals from cruelty, was talking about nature faking.

"My friend, Will Long is no nature faker," he said, "but I admit that many of our myriad nature writers are. These men's idea of a lie seems too closely to resemble that of a little boy I know.

"The boy's teacher said from her desk one afternoon:

"'I want every pupil who has never told a lie to hold up his hand.'

"There was a doubtful pause. Two or three hands were raised. Then my little friend piped out:

"'Teacher, is it a lie if nobody finds it out?'"

The extraordinary popularity of fine white goods this summer makes the choice of Starch a matter of great importance. Defiance Starch, being free from all injurious chemicals, is the only one which is safe to use on fine fabrics. Its great strength as a stiffener makes half the usual quantity of Starch necessary, with the result of perfect finish, equal to that when the goods were new.

What Caused the Lynching.

Out at Stafford the other day a group of farmers met a train, and when a tall, sunburned man stepped off the car they all grabbed him and shook his hand warmly. The man looked them over calmly and then said: "Gentlemen, I am sorry to disappoint you. I know you think I am a harvest hand, but you are mistaken. I am a lightning rod agent."—Kansas City Star.

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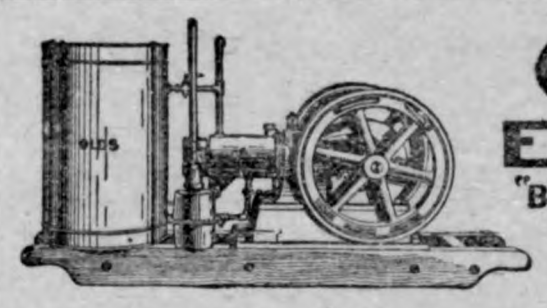

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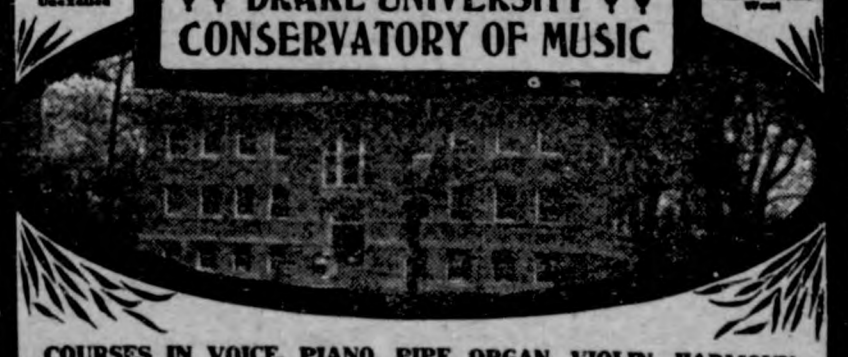

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NO BACKING DOWN NOW

Railway Organization Offers Financial and Moral Aid—Press Operators' Demands.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 12.—The strike of the union commercial telegraph operators will be universal throughout the United States and Canada within twenty-four hours, according to National Secretary Russell of the telegraphers' organization.

This statement was made by Mr. Russell after he had been informed of the action taken by New York, where at a meeting yesterday it was decided to have a walkout in every branch.

"This strike movement," said Mr. Russell yesterday, "hascome to the point where there can be no backing down. The telegraphers have been troden on long enough, and now that we have the opportunity we are going to use all our strength to enforce our demands. For several weeks President Small and myself have been holding the men back and have been advising conciliation, but they have taken matters in their own hands and we are going to stand by them. No union man will be allowed to work with any one not belonging to our organization, and this means that tomorrow morning when the business of the week begins, that the strike will become universal.

"We can't go half way in this matter now. The strike has been precipitated by the men without the sanction of the national officers but we now are working in unison."

This announcement was made by Mr. Russell at a mass meeting of striking persons and so great was the demand for accommodations that several hundred were unable to gain admbittance.

The Order of Railway Telegraphers was represented by National Secretary Quick.

Mr. Quick informed the strikers that his organization was at their disposal both morally and financially.

"We have $1,000,000 in our treasury," said he, "and it is at your disposal. Your fight is ours and we will stand with you to the end."

Before the mass meeting a meeting of 320 union telegraphers employed by companies using leased wires was held. At this gathering brokers, news agencies and commercial organizations including the big packing houses, were represented.

A resolution was adopted declaring that this class of labor was underpaid and that the various firms would be asked to sign a wage schedule and also to employ none but union telegraphers.

It was decided to let the private wire men prepare and present their own schedules to their employers. The broker men will also present their own schedules to their employers at 10 o'clock this morning. They will ask for a minimum wage of $30 a week.

The men employed by the press associations presented their request at 7:30 o'clock last night and the employers were given twenty-four hours to consider the request. The schedule calls for $35 a week for six nights a week and 75 cents an hour overtime, eight hours to constitute a day's work, with half an hour for lunch. The day operators employed by the news companies and newspapers will ask $30 a week and 60 cents an hour overtime, eight hours to constitute a day's work and the regular lunch hours.

Perhaps 5,000 men are already on strike and many thousands more will follow.

HUNDREDS INJURED IN BLAST.

Boulder, Colo., Aug. 11.—Fire of known incendiary origin that started at 1 o'clock yesterday morning in the Colorado & Southern freight depot here destroyed the depot with a vast quantity of freight and spreading a distance of 100 feet enveloped a powder house containing 1,000 pounds of dynamite, which exploded with tremendous shock, injuring perhaps 100 persons and breaking the plate glass in every business house in the city as well as that in hundreds of residences. It is believed that two of the injured will die. The property loss is estimated at $250,000. The fire was placed under control at 3:30.

Twenty-five of the injured were taken to local hospitals. The others were either removed to their homes or were able to go there themselves.

Peary's Dash Is Postponed.

New York, Aug. 11.—Commander Peary's dash for the pole has been postponed.

Failure to complete the repairs on his ship, the Roosevelt, has compelled the explorer to put off his trip until next year. Through the Peary Arctic club the explorer last night gave out the following:

"Owing to the failure of the contractors of the Roosevelt's new boilers to live up to their agreement, the main expedition of the Peary Arctic club will be postponed and the Roosevelt, when the repairs are completed, will go north on a flying trip to deposit my proposed coal depot at Etah, Greenland, returning the last of September."

HIS FOOT ON THE TREADMILL.

Mr. Joacker Tells of One Sentenced to Hard Labor for Life.

Said Mr. Joacker, who was reading the paper: "Another poor wretch has been given a life sentence at hard labor."

Said Mrs. Joacker, who was embroidering blue roses: "Probably he deserves it. What is he guilty of."

"Fraud and no visible means of support. He obtained clothes and a fine turnout with no money and nothing collectible. He seems to be larger and stronger than most of that class, yet it is plain that he has never done a tap of work, though he has managed to live well, so far. But the poor fellow takes his sentence hard and cries piteously, protesting his innocence."

"The wretch! He must have dealt with perfect fools!"

"No, his victim is our own friend, Jack Smith."

"That clever lawyer! Do read to me all about it!"

"'Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, a 12-pound boy.'"—The Bohemian.

Sheer white goods, in fact, any fine wash goods when new, owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equally satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work.

The Limit.

Biggs—The Dopsons are very exclusive, I understand.

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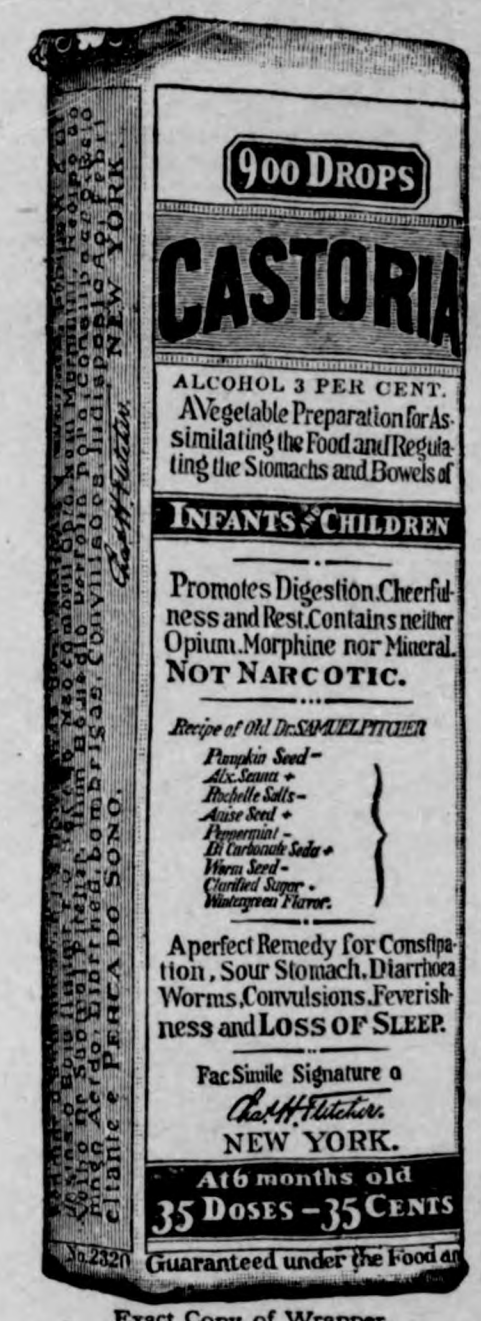
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Iowa Exhibitors Lead.

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Iowa people do not look to other states for the finest and best of everything. They get it at home. In live stock for instance. Iowa is right to the front. This year the entries in the cattle class at the State Fair are fully two-thirds by Iowa farmers and the horse department the showing is nearly as favorable to Iowa progress and enterprise. In one class of cattle the Angus, every entry except 2 is by an Iowa exhibitor, yet only a few years ago it was almost impossible to secure entries of this breed from Iowa farmers.

The cattle this year show that the shorthorns are still the favorites, 300 entries being made in this class, and yet will be the best shorthorn contest ever seen in the west. Other breeds are entered as follows: Angus 120, herefords 100, jerseys 58, galloways 70, red polled 57, polled durham 48, holsteins 41, steers 50. Over 800 cattle entrirs were made and there is such distribution among the classes as to assure a well balanced exhibit.

There was also an increase in entries in the horse department about 450 entries being made by 75 exhibitors, which includes animals from the finest farms of country. All leading breeds will be represented and the horse show will be evenly balanced. In hogs, sheep and poultry the Iowa exhibitors also lead all others and this year they are making more entries than ever before.

The demand for space in the machinery, implement and other departments for the Iowa fair indicate that the fair of 1907 will be if peoperly supported by the people, one of the very best in the seate's history. All the amusement and musical features will be of the best.

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Twin Lake Township.

Mr. Mason threshed for Geo. Platt, Saturday.

Gertrude Wendel left for St. Louis, Thursday.

Etna Suckow is working for Mrs. J. Tanner this week.

Frank Tanner made a pleasure trip to this section Sunday.

Chas. Gibbs is going to run the engine for the Twin Lake Threshing Co.

Six of the township farmers purchased the Katter Henry threshing machine.

Adolph Schlichting and family took a pleasure trip to Germantown Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. G. Tanner attended the ladies ade at Mrs. Lew Sampson of Germantown Monday.

Tell Fred Schuldt the choke cherries are ripe in Butterfield's grove if he inquires about them.

H. Schroeder took a flying trip in this township Monday with his meat wagon, he was going some.

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The Child's Viewpoint.

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Birds Not Afraid of Man.

Among southern African birds which manifest wonderful tameness is the Cape wagtail, which not only penetrates to the living room in search of flies, but will pick them from the old Boer's veischoons as he sits on his stoep, and perch about his chair.

NO USE.

Mamma — When that boy threw stones at you, why didn't you come and tell me, instead of throwing them back?

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Arriving there the man saw the house, loaded it on his wagon and started for home.

On the way he met a man in uniform with the words, "Station Agent" on his cap.

"Say, hold on. What have you got on that wagon," he asked.

"My chicken house, of course," was the reply.

"Chicken house be jiggered," exploded the official. "That's the station."

Attention

FARMERS

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2nd " "	" Allee Trophy	"	250
3rd " "	" Wallace's Farmer Trophy	"	200
4th " "	" Farmers Tribune Trophy	"	150

These are very beautiful trophies and as we are always pleased to advance the interest of our immediate vicinity and to impress upon our farmers the importance of growing more and better corn from year to year, we are taking the liberty of offering additional prizes to the farmars of Hancock county who are winners of the above trophies as follows:

Winner of the	Whiting Trophy will receive	$25 in cash
" "	Wallace Farmer Trophy "	20 "
" "	Farmers Tribune Trophy "	15 "
" "	Allee Trophy will receive	12 "

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Last week Friday, Aug. 16th S. G. Fuller who lives in Avery Center five mile south of Klemme, met with a very heavy loss by fire. Fire was first discovered in the kitchen near the chimney, a prompt alarm was made and all the neighbors assisted in helping extinguish the fire and thinking that they had the fire out left for their respective homes. This occurred at near 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Later again fire was discovered and another alarm for help was made and all the neighbors again assisted in trying to save the house but to no avail, however most of the household goods were saved but more or less damaged. The next effort was made to save the barn which was filled with hay. All his stock was taken out in time and the doors closed and supposing that they could save the barn, but at once fire was discovered coming through the roof and it was but a short time until the barn was burnt to the ground, also several other building went in ashes.

The loss estimated to his house, barn, partial loss to hog house and household goods will reach close to $2,000. He was however very fortunate that he carried insurance thru' G. W. Kluckhohn, agent for the Anchor Insurance Co. of Des Moines, the same company who sustained heavy losses by wind and hail of July 3rd. This company was very liberal in adjusting these losses and also in the loss of S. G. Fuller.

Over 200 people were at the scene in the evening. One is to be pitied who meets misfortune of this kind, even tho' if one carries insurance one will not realize any compensation for his labor and especially in the busy time of the year. The entire community is in sympathy with Mr. Fuller and family.

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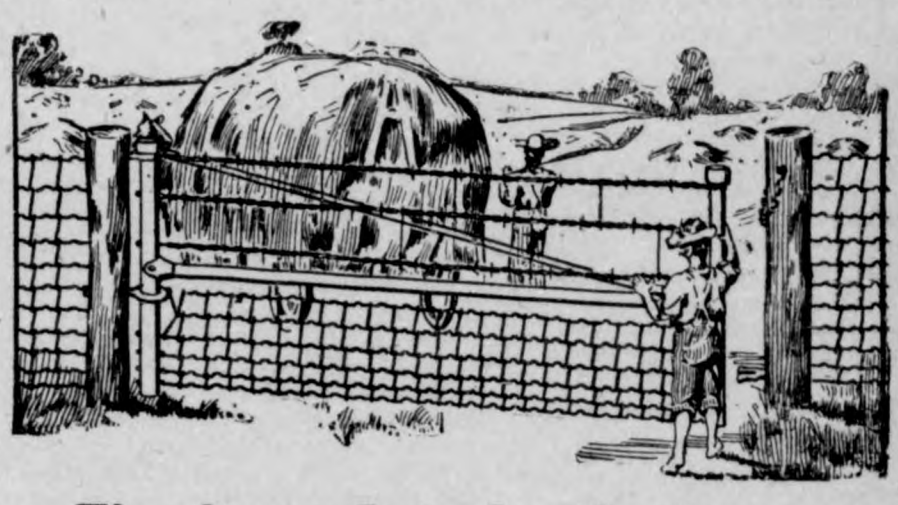

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ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

Complete Review of Happenings of Greatest Interest from All Parts of the Globe—Latest Home and Foreign Items.

STRIKE OF TELEGRAPHERS.

President S. J. Small's order for a general strike of commercial telegraphers did not seem to meet with the response the union officials had expected. In Chicago the additions to the strikers' forces were few, and in New York the order had little apparent effect on the situation. The strikers said nearly all union men were out already. President Small said a fund of $2,000,000 would be raised within two months. After he and Samuel Gompers had conferred the talk of arbitration was revived.

President S. J. Small, of the Commercial Telegraphers' union, arrived in Chicago, conferred with Samuel Gompers and other leaders and then issued a general strike order calling out all commercial operators not working under union contracts. It was decided that the railway telegraphers should not strike.

Commercial Telegraphers' union sent a warning to all boards of trade and commercial bodies to adjust their affairs in preparation for a general walkout. President Roosevelt would not interfere in the strike, referring numerous appeals to Labor Commissioner Neill. The operators employed by Armour & Co. at Chicago and in the Union Stock yards at East St. Louis quit their keys.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Criminal and civil proceedings against all persons concerned in the fraudulent transactions in connection with the construction and furnishing of Pennsylvania's $13,000,000 capitol were recommended in the final report of the capitol investigation commission, made to Gov. Stuart, who promised that action should be prompt and vigorous.

That the practices of the Marathon County Railroad company, owned by Lieut. Gov. W. D. Connor, are "unlawful, inequitable and socially and economically parasitic" was the conclusion of a decision handed down by the Wisconsin railroad commission.

J. Warren Hastings, since 1864 a trusted official at the United States subtreasury in Boston, was arrested on the charge of embezzling $3,000 from the government.

Several thousand gallons of gasoline in the Standard Oil company's tank at Brodhead, Wis., exploded, destroying the tank and causing a panic in the town.

A suit to annul the franchises of 1900 which were granted to the Milwaukee Electric Railway & Light company was begun in the circuit court at Milwaukee by Attorney General F. L. Gilbert on behalf of the state of Wisconsin.

A fake check for the exact amount of the fine recently imposed upon the Standard Oil company by Judge Landis at Chicago was received at the treasury department in Washington from an unknown sender. It was mailed at Toledo, O.

Miss Elizabeth Gallighan, of St. Louis, leaned too near a fast revolving fly wheel in the shoe factory in which she is employed and her entire scalp was torn from her head. The scalp was removed from the fly wheel intact and surgeons performed a rare operation by sewing it back in place.

Attorney General Bonaparte, replying to criticisms of Wall street, asserted that his department would continue to prosecute wealthy men and corporations that violate the laws, and that honest business men should be glad of it.

The Burlington Railroad company was found guilty of violating the eight-hour telegraphic law and was fined $200 by Judge Crall at Chillicothe, Mo

During an excursion of the Vermont Association of Boston, to South Hero island, Lake Champlain, George Couture, of Burlington, was drowned and Mrs. Fletcher D. Proctor, wife of the governor of Vermont, narrowly escaped death.

Assessor Henry Alexander of Absecon, N. J., has raised the taxes of wealthy bachelors in his district $100 because of the fact that they are bachelors.

Receivers were appointed for the assigned estate of Alexander Crow, Jr., a mill owner of Philadelphia. The liabilities are placed at $597,533, but it is believed the assets will nearly cover this amount.

The Republic Iron and Steel company and the Western Bar Iron association at Pittsburg have agreed to the scale approved by the board of conciliation.

Lipman's dry goods store at Beloit, Wis., was robbed of $2,000 worth of silks and furs.

J. Ogden Armour has bought two English gray shires and will exhibit them in Chicago.

Diamonds and other precious stones, valued at $35,000, were stolen from the mansion of Count Seckendorf, at Ramseys, N. J.

Three big thread factories at New York, the greatest of their kind in the world, locked up their doors for ten days, because their employes demanded a vacation on threat of strike.

Robert Fitzsimmons, the pugilist, has been asked to accept the position of physical director in the school of instruction for policemen just organized by Mayor Charles J. Fisk of Plainfield, N. J.

Will Clifford, colored, who had confessed to assaulting and killing two white women was lynched at Maple, Ky.

Five persons were killed and many injured by the collapsing of a tenement building during a windstorm in Chicago.

Fires have destroyed about 1,500 acres of woodland on Cape Cod, the damage amounting to many thousands of dollars.

King Edward arrived at Ischl, Austria, on his visit to Emperor Francis Joseph. The exchanges between the two monarchs were cordial and certain political matters were discussed and cleared up satisfactorily.

George Wasser, 57 years of age, murdered his wife and was in turn slain by his daughter at the home of the women in New York. Wasser fired upon his wife and then exchanged shots with the daughter. The latter was not wounded.

Vice Admiral Philibert reported isolated attacks on Casablanca which the troops easily repulsed, being assisted by the shell fire of the French cruiser Gloire.

A work train on the Long Island railroad backed into a crowded street car at a crossing in Brooklyn, hurling the trolley from its tracks and causing the death of three passengers and the injury of 16 others.

Seventeen summer hotels, 16 summer cottages and a score of buildings occupied by stores were burned in a fire which swept the eastern section of Old Orchard, Me., causing a loss estimated at half a million dollars. An unknown man was killed and two others were injured severely by a soda water tank which exploded in a burning drug store.

The fast Burlington train from Denver to Chicago was wrecked a mile east of Russell, Ia., injuring 11 persons, two of whom may die.

Burlington passenger train No. 20, south-bound, was wrecked near Weston, Mo., resulting in the death of one man and serious injury to four other persons.

The Belfast strike was settled, the men receiving more pay but giving up the "closed shop."

Miss Kate C. Knight, of Pittsburg, Pa., prominent as a club woman and philanthropist and president of 20 women's clubs about the country, died at a sanatorium at Danville, Pa., of paralysis.

Eight persons were killed, 14 were severely and 61 slightly injured as a result of an explosion in a dynamite factory in Doemitz, Germany.

With an attendance surpassing all other notable day celebrations and estimated at 40,000 North Carolina day was observed at the Jamestown exposition.

Justice Warren G. Foster of New York settled the bigamy case of Hermann Keuhn by decreeing that he should live with one of his wives and support them both.

H. A. Crow of Connellsville, Pa., former captain of the Tenth Pennsylvania Volunteer infantry, was elected commander-in-chief of the Society Army of the Philippines at Kansas City, Mo. The meeting next year will be at Galesburg, Ill.

The American government will establish a great training school for the coast artillery at Fort Monroe.

The strike of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen members employed by the Colorado & Southern railroad was settled by the granting of one cent an hour increase to yardmen and switchmen. It was agreed to arbitrate the demand for another cent.

An heir to William Waldorf Astor's millions was born at Cliveden. He is the son of Waldorf Astor, Jr., and will be called Waldorf III.

The lives of 60 strike breakers in the Erie machine shops at Susquehanna, Pa., were imperiled when the mammoth storehouse of the company was destroyed by fire.

Capt. C. E. Fox is to command the cruiser South Dakota as soon as that vessel is put into commission as one of the new cruiser squadron intended for the Pacific coast.

David E. Evans, president of the Maryland Telephone company at Baltimore, Md., died of peritonitis.

City Food Inspector W. P. Cutler of Kansas City, Mo., has notified the national government that his test of California and Arkansas dried fruit, cured with sulphine, shows that the fruit when cooked is entirely wholesome.

Mrs. Helen Odell of Chicago and four other women were injured in a street car accident at Oshkosh, Wis.

Distrust of the government's attitude toward the corporations, a threatened monetary stringency in all the leading markets of the world and the financial embarrassment of the Pope Manufacturing company combined to demoralize the stock market in New York. Prices melted in sensational fashion and the average level of declines was below that reached in the memorable Northern Pacific panic of May, 1901. Stocks were sold lower than ever before in their history.

The Maryland Republican convention made the following nominations: For governor, George R. Gaither; for attorney general, Hammond Urner; for comptroller, James P. Baker; for clerk of court of appeals, Thomas Parran.

Nathan Jaffa, of Roswell, N. M., was appointed secretary of New Mexico to succeed Secretary Reynolds, resigned.

The primary election in San Francisco resulted in a sweeping victory for the Republican league or Ryan ticket, which stood for earnest support of the bribery graft prosecution and the present mayor and board of supervisors.

Lord Ashtown, one of the Irish landlords whose activity in the cattle grazing war has aroused bitter animosity, narrowly escaped death from the explosion of a bomb which partly destroyed the hunting lodge where he was sleeping.

Receivers for the Pope Manufacturing company and its subsidiary company, the Pope Motor Car company, which are engaged in the manufacture of automobiles and bicycles, with main offices and plant at Hartford, Conn., were appointed in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Massachusetts. The failure was ascribed to the stringency of the money market.

J. W. Meyer, of Chicago, was elected worthy grand president of the Sons of St. George, Illinois district, at Rockford convention.

French officials denied that France intended to embark on a conquest of Morocco. Thousands of Moors renewed the attacks on the French camp at Casablanca and were repulsed with heavy loss.

Judge Landis adjourned the grand jury investigation of the Alton road until September 3 to give the government's legal department a chance to convince him that the promise of immunity should be fulfilled.

It has been learned that Caid Sir Harry MacLean, Englishman in the service of the Sultan of Morocco, who has been a prisoner of the bandit Raisuli since early in July, has not been set at liberty, as previously reported.

Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, head of the Christian Scientist church, underwent a mental examination by the masters who had been appointed to determine her competency in business matters. The examination was made at Mrs. Eddy's home, Pleasantview, in Concord, N. H.

Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou has decided to distribute government funds to aid the movement of this year's crops. The plan pursued last year, with some modifications, is to be followed.

The Hotel Brooklyn, at Central Moriches, L. I., was destroyed by fire. There were 300 guests in the hotel. No one was injured.

Attorney General Bonaparte is reported to have decided that the International Harvester company belongs to the class of "bad trusts" and that it is the duty of the government to prosecute.

The former Chilean warship, Magallanes, which fired the first shot in the Peruvian-Chilean war, later converted into a lumber ship, foundered at sea. The crew was saved.

Roger Wetmore, son of Senator Wetmore of Rhode Island, was arrested in Washington, D. C., charged with having run down and seriously injured Mrs. Mary Chase with his automobile.

So great is the demand for the government's book on "Special Diseases of the Horse" that over 1,000,000 copies have been printed and a new edition of 250,000 copies is being prepared.

Officers in the artillery service at New York say that Maxim, Colt, Millimeter and Gatling guns will soon be turned over to infantry and cavalry commands.

Edward M. Morgan was appointed postmaster of New York city to succeed W. R. Willcox, who resigned to become a member of the New York city public utilities commission.

The Wisconsin Central Railway company has taken an appeal from the decision of Judge Page Morris in the United States court, fining that railway $17,000 for granting rebates to Minneapolis grain firms.

DES MOINES LETTER

Items of Interest From Our Correspondent at the State Capital.

Fire Companies Have Withdrawn.

Des Moines.—Ole O. Roe, in charge of the insurance department of the officer of the auditor of state, is in receipt of information to the effect that the fire companies have decided to withdraw from all effort to inject the "three-fourths" clause into their policies.

Iowa's administration of the insurance department has recently opposed the insertion of this clause in fire policies. Information from the companies of their intention to accept the view of the Iowa department is gratifying, of course, to the officials.

In effect the three-fourths clause was co-insurance. Under it the company might write a policy for $4,000 but would pay but $3,000 in consideration of having charged a low rate, the company expecting the insured to carry a part of the risk or insure in some other company.

It has been the view of the Iowa department that this would lead to confusion and misunderstanding on the part of the insured and might result in unnecesary litigation. Therefore the embargo which has been recognized by the companies.

Coordinated Reports.

S. L. Lupton of Washington will be sent to the western states by the interstate commerce commission soon to confer with the state railroad commissioners with respect to making a co-ordinated system of reports from the railroads, that may be adopted by all of the states.

H. C. Adams, statistician of the interstate commerce commission, has prepared a letter to the state boards in which he says that he hopes the result of the visit of Mr. Lupton may be the creation of a system which will be comprehensive, which may be used by all of the states and the interstate commerce commission and may avoid duplication, thus relieving the carriers of an expensive burden.

Mr. Adams discloses the purposes of the inquiry to be made by Mr. Lupton, however, in the paragraph of his letter in which he states that it also is of the greatest importance that some general rule be adopted for dividing earnings and expenses of railroads by state lines. Iowa has several trunk lines passing from and to other states through this state. What share of the system's earnings and expenses should be classified as earnings and expenses within Iowa? An additional complication arises in dividing the earnings and expenses of intrastate and interstate business.

It was because the commission consideration this matter of vast importance that it appointed Mr. Lupton special agent to investigate the various states.

Nearly Half Fail to Pass.

Out of the 202 persons who took the July teachers' examination in Polk county 123 received certificates. The percentage of successful candidates was about the same as in the June examination.

County Superintendent Huegle has just received the markings of the papers from the state board of readers at the state house.

Ten of the teachers were awarded first grade certificates, seventy-four were second grade, thirty-five were third grade and four were special certificates. A good many of those who took the second examination failed to secure certificates from the first held in June. Mrs. Huegle thinks that most of those who took the examination for the second time were successful.

In June seventy-eight certificates were issued to the 150 teachers who wrote in Polk county. Two of them were first grade, fifty-eight were second grade and eighteen were third grade.

State Superintendent Riggs has authorized Mrs. Huegle to hold a provisional examination in order to give the teachers who failed another chance to secure certificates. Unless more teachers are secured it is expected that there will be a shortage in Polk county during the coming term.

Double Track for Car Lines.

Every foot of the street car lines within the city limits will be double tracked, beginning early in 1908.

This announcement has been made by one of the officials of the Polk electric lines and disclosed the determined policy of the management.

It contemplates an improvement which will cost more than $500,000 and may be completed within the year.

There are about eighty miles of street railway in Des Moines at this time. Perhaps twenty or twenty-five miles have been double tracked. This does not include the side tracks. It is estimated that double tracking will cost $12,000 or $14,000 a mile, as most of it is on paved streets. At this rate it would require an expenditure in excess of half a million dollars. Side tracks or turn out tracks could be utilized, however, for a portion of the improvement.

President's Visit to Iowa.

President Roosevelt's visit to Iowa Oct. 1 may have a bearing on the honor bestowed on Iowa congressmen by Speaker Cannon at the opening of the next congress in December.

It is understood that Congressman Birdall of the Third district has it in mind to try to get a membership on the rivers and harbors committee of the next congress, the retirement of Chairman Burton making an assignment thereon for an Iowa man entirely feasible.

President Roosevelt comes to Iowa Oct. 1 to travel down the river to Memphis to be present at the opening of the great river improvement convention. This convention is the occasion for his western visit. It involves the interests of the whole Mississippi river valley, as well as to honor the chief executive and on account of this fact the governors of eighteen states will meet the president at Keokuk and accompany him down the river to Memphis.

Among the governors will be the chief executive of Iowa, who will introduce the president for his address at Keokuk. Iowa will not only honor the president on this occasion but it will disclose and develop the interest which Iowa has in river improvements.

It will furnish the occasion for making plain the desire of Iowa for membership on the rivers and harbors committee of the house in congress.

Iowa Law Good in Missouri.

"Iowa's new law prohibiting the C. O. D. shipment of liquors to points within the state has been completely vindicated and is being followed to the letter," said Attorney General Byers.

"The law was tested in the district court in Kansas City and has resulted in a decision sustaining the Iowa law, which is in line with the federal court decision when the similar law of Kansas was tested.

"Under the decision, the courts hold that a common carrier is not obliged to accept C. O. D. liquor shipments, and that it does this merely as a matter of accommodation. The Harvester King Distillery company brought suit against he Adams Express company to compel the Kansas City agent to accept 199 shipments of C. O. D. liquor for Iowa points. The company contended that under the Iowa law they would be liable to a fine of $600 for each package handled, and appealed to the court to settle the validity of the law. The court decided that the Iowa law was all right and it is now being complied with by the express companies."

Both Shiloh Speeches Recognized.

At the final meeting of the Shiloh battlefield commission at the Chamberlain it was decided by the commissioners recommended that the speeches made by Col. W. B. Bell for the Eight and Col. W. T. Shaw for the Fourteenth Iowa regiments relative to Hornet's Nest at Shiloh be included in the official report of the dedication of the battlefield monuments last November, just as they were delivered.

It was disclosed at the meeting that it will be able to turn back into the state treasury about $2,000 of its appropriations. The members have been men of the highest standing and they have conducted its business on the best possible business basis.

At the meeting of the commission on the 15th resolutions were adopted thanking Governor Albert B. Cummins and the members of the Iowa congressional delegation for their earnest, faithful and successful efforts to secure justice in the matter of placing correct inscriptions on the monuments of the Fifteenth and Sixteenth Iowa at Shiloh.

Gopher Killing Is Too Costly.

So rapidly are the county expenditures for gopher scalps piling up that the board of supervisors is considering cutting the bounty per gopher from 10 cents down to 5 cents. The law which took effect July 4 providing for gopher bounties, says that the amount to be paid for the claws of the animals shall be fixed by the supervisors as any amount up to 10 cents. In many counties in the state supervisors fixed the amount at 5 cents, but in Polk county the board went the limit. Already almost 1,000 gopher bounties have been collected here and the county has paid out almost $100.

Postmasters Meet Here.

The postmasters of the fourth class will hold their annual meeting in the new Polk county court house at Des Moines, Iowa, August 27 and 28. Hon. Lafayette Young, National President Jameson and several department officials will be present to address the meetings.

THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES
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CHAPTER XXI.—Continued.

Pickering's face grew white and his eyes started, and when he tried suddenly to speak his jaw twitched. The room was so still that the breaking of a blazing log on the andirons was a pleasant relief. We stood, the three of us, with our eyes on Pickering, and in my own case I must say that my heart was pounding my ribs at an uncomfortable speed, for I knew Larry was not sparring for time.

The blood rushed into Pickering's face and he turned toward Larry stormily.

"This is unwarrantable and infamous! My relations with Mr. Glenarm are none of your business. When you remember that after being deserted by his own flesh and blood he appealed to me, going so far as to intrust all his affairs to my care at his death, your reflection is an outrageous insult. I am not accountable to you or any one else!"

"Really, there's a good deal in all that," said Larry. "We don't pretend to any judicial functions. We are perfectly willing to submit the whole business and all my client's acts to the authorities."

(I would give much if I could reproduce some hint of the beauty of that word authorities as it rolled from Larry's tongue!).

"Then, in God's name, do it, you blackguards," roared Pickering.

Stoddard, seated on the table, knocked his heels together gently. Larry recrossed his legs and blew a cloud of smoke. Then, after a quarter of a minute in which he gazed at the ceiling with his quiet, blue eyes, he said:

"Yes; certainly, there are always the authorities. And as I have a tremendous respect for your American institutions I shall at once act on your suggestion. Mr. Pickering, the estate is richer than you thought it was. It holds, or will hold, your notes given to the decedent for $320,000."

He drew from his pocket a brown envelope, walked to where I stood and placed it in my hands.

At the same time Stoddard's big figure grew active, and before I realized that Pickering had leaped toward the packet, the executor was sitting in a chair, where the chaplain had thrown him. He rallied promptly, stuffing his necktie into his waistcoat; he even laughed a little.

"So much old paper! You gentlemen are perfectly welcome to it."

"Thank you!" jerked Larry.

"Mr. Glenarm and I had many transactions together, and he must have forgotten to destroy those papers," continued Pickering.

"Quite likely," I remarked. "It is interesting to know that Sister Theresa wasn't his only debtor."

Pickering stepped to the door and called the sheriff.

"I will give you until to-morrow morning at nine o'clock to vacate the premises. Those claims are utterly worthless, as I am ready to prove. The court understands the situation perfectly."

"Perfectly, perfectly," repeated the sheriff.

"I believe that is all," said Larry, pointing to the door with his pipe.

The sheriff was regarding him with particular attention.

"What did I understand your name to be?" he demanded.

"Laurance Donovan," Larry replied coolly.

Pickering seemed to notice the name now and his eyes lighted disagreeably.

"I think I have heard of your friend before," he said, turning to me. "I congratulate you on the international reputation of your counsel. He's esteemed so highly in Ireland that they offer a large reward for his return. Sheriff, I think we have finished our business for to-day."

He seemed anxious to get the man away, and we gave them escort to the outer gate where a horse and buggy was waiting.

"Now, I'm in for it," said Larry, as I locked the gate. "We've spiked one of his guns, but I've given him a new one to use against myself. But come, and I will show you the Door of Bewilderment before I skip."

CHAPTER XXII.

A Prowler of the Night.

Down we plunged into the cellar, through the trap and to the Door of Bewilderment.

"Don't expect too much," admonished Larry; "I can't promise you a single Spanish coin."

"Perish the ambition! We have blocked Pickering's game, and nothing else matters," I said.

We crawled through the hole in the wall and lighted candles. The room was about seven feet square. At the farther end was an oblong wooden door, close to the ceiling, and Larry tugged at the fastening until it came down, bringing with it a mass of snow and leaves.

"Gentlemen," he said, "we are at the edge of the ravine. Do you see the blue sky? And yonder, if you will twist your necks a bit, is the boathouse."

"Well, let the scenic effects go and show us where you found those papers," I urged.

"Speaking of mysteries, that is where I throw up my hands, lads. It's quickly told. Here is a table, and here is an old despatch box, which lies just where I found it. It was closed and the key was in the lock. I took out that packet—it wasn't even sealed—saw the character of the contents, and couldn't resist the temptation to try the effect of an announcement of its discovery on your friend Pickering. Now that is nearly all. I found this piece of paper under the tape with which the envelope was tied, and I don't hesitate to say that when I read it I laughed until I thought I should shake down the cellar. Read it, John Glenarm!"

He handed me a fragment of legal-cap paper on which was written in the unmistakable handwriting of John Marshall Glenarm, these words:

HE LAUGHS BEST WHO LAUGHS LAST.

"What do you think is so funny in this?" I demanded.

"Who wrote it, do you think," asked Stoddard.

"Who wrote it, do you ask? Why Jack's grandfather wrote it! John Marshall Glenarm, the cleverest, grandest old man that ever lived, wrote it!" declaimed Larry, his voice booming loudly in the room. "It's all a great big game, fixed up to try you and Pickering,—but principally you, you blockhead! Oh, it's grand, perfectly, deliciously grand,—and to think it should be my good luck to share in it!"

"Humph! I'm glad you're amused, but it doesn't strike me as being so awfully funny. Suppose those had fallen into Pickering's hands; then where would the joke have been, I should like to know!"

"On you, my lad, to be sure! The old gentleman wanted you to study architecture; he wanted you to study his house; he even left a little pointer in an old book! Oh, it's too good to be true!"

"That's all clear enough," observed Stoddard, knocking upon the despatch box with his knuckles. "But why do you suppose he dug this hole here with its outlet on the ravine?"

"Oh, it was the way of him!" explained Larry. "He liked the idea of queer corners and underground passages. This is a bully hiding place for man or treasure, and that outlet into the ravine makes it possible to get out of the house with nobody the wiser. It's in keeping with the rest of his scheme. Be gay, comrades! Tomorrow will likely find us with plenty of business on hands. At present we hold the fort, and let us have a care lest we lose it."

We closed the ravine door, restored the wall as best we could, and returned to the library. We made a list of the Pickering notes and spent an hour discussing this new feature of the situation and speculating as to the hiding place of the remainder of my grandfather's fortune. Larry and Stoddard both declared their intention of remaining until my troubles were ended in spite of my protests. Stoddard stayed for dinner, and afterward we began again our eternal quest for the treasure, our hopes high from Larry's lucky strike of the afternoon, and with a new eagerness born of the knowledge that the morrow would certainly bring us face to face with the real crises. We ranged the house from tower to cellar; we overhauled the tunnel, for, it seemed to me, the hundredth time.

It was my watch, and at midnight, after Stoddard and Larry had reconnoitered the grounds and Bates and I had made sure of all the interior fastenings, I sent them off to bed and made myself comfortable with a pipe in the library.

"A Lantern Flashed Blindingly in My Face."

I was glad of the respite, glad to be alone,—to consider my talk with Marian Devereux at St. Agatha's, and her return with Pickering. Why could she not always have been Olivia, ranging the woodland, or the girl in gray, or that woman, so sweet in her dignity, who came down the stairs at the Armstrongs'? Her own attitude toward me was so full of contradictions; she had appeared to me in so many moods and guises, that my spirit ranged the whole gamut of feeling as I thought of her. But it was the recollection of Pickering's infamous conduct that colored all my doubts of her. Pickering had always been in my way, and here, but for the chance by which Larry had found the notes, I should have had no weapon to use against him.

The wind rose and drove shrilly around the house. A bit of scaffolding on the outer walls rattled loose somewhere and crashed down on the terrace. I grew restless, my mind intent upon the many chances of the morrow, and running forward to the future. Even if I won in my strife with Pickering I had yet my way to make in the world. His notes were probably worthless,—I did not doubt that. I might use them to procure his removal as executor, but I did not look forward with any pleasure to a legal fight over a property that had brought me only trouble.

Something impelled me to go below, and, taking a lantern, I tramped somberly through the cellar, glanced at the heating apparatus, and, remembering that the chapel entrance to the tunnel was unguarded, followed the corridor to the trap, and opened it. The cold air blew up sharply and I thrust my head down to listen.

A sound at once arrested me. I thought at first it must be the suction of the air, but Glenarm House was no place for conjecture, and I put the lantern aside and jumped down into the tunnel. A gleam of light showed far away for an instant, then the darkness and silence were complete.

I ran rapidly over the smooth floor, which I had traversed so often that I knew its every line. My only weapon was a heavy hickory club. Near the Door of Bewilderment I paused and listened. The tunnel was perfectly quiet. I took a step forward and stumbled over a brick, fumbled on the wall for the opening which we had closed carefully that afternoon, and at the instant I found it a lantern flashed blindingly in my face and I drew back, crouching involuntarily, and clenching the club ready to strike.

"Good evening, Mr. Glenarm!"

Marian Devereux's voice broke the silence, and Marian Devereux's face with the full light of the lantern upon it, was bent gravely upon me. Her voice, as I heard it there,—her face, as I saw it there,—are the things that I shall remember last when my hour comes to go hence from this world. Her slim fingers, as they clasped the wire screen of the lantern, held my gaze for a second. The red tam-o'-shanter that I had associated with her youth and beauty was tilted rakishly on one side of her pretty head. To find her here, seeking, like a thief in the night, for some means of helping Arthur Pickering, was the bitterest drop in the cup. I felt as though I had been struck with a bludgeon.

"I beg your pardon!" she said, and laughed. "There doesn't seem to be anything to say, does there? Well, we do certainly meet under the most unusual, not to say unconventional, circumstances, Squire Glenarm! Please go away or turn your back. I want to get out of this donjon keep."

She took my hand coolly enough and stepped down into the passage. Then I broke out stormily.

"You don't seem to understand the gravity of what you are doing! Don't you know that you are risking your life in crawling through this house at midnight?—that even to serve Arthur Pickering a life is a pretty big thing to throw away? Your infatuation for that blackguard seems to carry you far, Miss Devereux."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Confidences of a Codfish

Capt. Collins, a well known fisherman of the banks, was persuaded into buying a large codfish by a fish pedler. After the departure of the pedler he saw it was not fit to be eaten, so it was thrown away.

In a few days the pedler again stopped at Collins' door. The captain went out to his cart and began to examine his fish. Suddenly leaning down, he placed his lips close to a large cod and began whispering to it.

The pedler looker rather astonished at this, and as soon as the captain raised his head he asked what he did that for.

Well," replied Collins, "I was just askin' him how his relatives were, out in the old ocean."

"And what did he say?" asked the pedler.

"He said," replied Collins, "that when he left them they were in good health, but as he hadn't seen them for two weeks, he did not know whether they were alive or dead at the present time."—Boston Herald.

An Optimist.

Hawker—"I'm going to take a vacation now for two weeks."

Walker—"Is that so? Isn't it queer that your employer should let you go now, just at the busiest season of the year?"

Hawker—"O, well, they've got another man in my place. They told me I needn't come back."

Hint for a Short Sermon

About 25 years ago the annual session of the Maine Methodist conference was held in Portland. The Rev. John Collins, a canny Scot, was then in his prime and a member of the conference. He was called on to open with prayer one of the afternoon sessions, which was to be addressed by a minister whom we will call Mr. M., a man who was well known as a lengthy sermonizer.

Remembering this failing in the course of his prayer "Uncle John" exclaimed: "Oh, Lord, bless Brother M. who is to preach to us; may he preach the everlasting gospel, but may he no be everlastingly about it."

Bad for Witch Doctor.

While invoking his deity to send rain a Pondoland (South Africa) witch doctor was struck dead by lightning and his fate profoundly impressed the superstitious natives.

LEFT IT TO THE OLD HENS.

Amateur Fancier Thought His Responsibility Had Ended.

An Indiana man tells of the efforts of an author belonging to the Hoosier school of historical novelists to put in his leisure time as a "hen farmer" in that state. The literary person's venture afforded his agricultural neighbors no end of amusement.

During the first year the amateur farmer discovered that all his little chickens, which were confined in coops, were languishing at the point of death. The novelist went over his "hen literature" to locate the cause of the trouble, but to no avail.

Finally he called upon an old chap named Rawlins, to whom he put the question:

"What do you suppose is the matter with those chickens?"

"Well, I dunno," said Rawlins. "What do you feed 'em?"

"Feed them!" exclaimed the novelist-farmer. "Why, I don't feed them anything!"

"Then, how'd you suppose they was a-goin' to live?"

"I presumed," replied the literary person, "that the old hens had milk enough for them now."—Lippincott's Magazine.

BABY TORTURED BY ITCHING.

Rash Covered Face and Feet—Would Cry Until Tired Out—Speedy Cure by Cuticura.

"My baby was about nine months old when she had rash on her face and feet. Her feet seemed to irritate her most, especially nights. They would cause her to be broken in her rest, and sometimes she would cry until she was tired out. I had heard of so many cures by the Cuticura Remedies that I thought I would give them a trial. The improvement was noticeable in a few hours, and before I had used one box of the Cuticura Ointment her feet were well and have never troubled her since. I also used it to remove what is known as 'cradle cap' from her head, and it worked like a charm, as it cleansed and healed the scalp at the same time. Mrs. Hattie Currier Thomaston, Me., June 9, 1906."

The Manchester canal was built at a cost of $75,000,000 to reduce freight rates for a distance of 35 miles, and, while it did not prove a good interest bearing investment on such a large expenditure, its indirect and more permanent benefits are said to have warranted it.

Germany has 3,000 miles of canal, carefully maintained, besides 7,000 miles of other waterway. France, with an area less than we would consider a large state, has 3,000 miles of canal; and in the northern part, where the canals are most numerous, the railways are more prosperous. England, Germany, France, Holland and Belgium are all contemplating further extension and improvement of their canal systems.—Century Magazine.

Her Secret Sorrow.

"That woman over there has some hidden sorrow," declared the sympathetic one, as she came in and took her seat at a table not far away. "I have often noticed her. See. Her companion orders everything she could possibly want, and yet she sits there silent with a face like a mask. I am awfully sorry for her."

"Don't you worry," advised her pessimistic friend. "That's her husband with her. She's bored, that's all."

WHAT'S THE USE?

To Pour in Coffee When It Acts as a Vicious Enemy.

Fasters have gone without food for many days at a time but no one can go without sleep. "For a long time I have not been sleeping well, often lying awake for two or three hours during the night but now I sleep sound every night and wake up refreshed and vigorous," says a Calif. woman.

"Do you know why? It's because I used to drink coffee but I finally cut it out and began using Postum. Twice since then I have drank coffee and both times I passed a sleepless night, and so I am doubly convinced coffee caused the trouble and Postum removed it.

"My brother was in the habit of drinking coffee three times a day. He was troubled with sour stomach and I would often notice him getting soda from the can to relieve the distress in his stomach; lately hardly a day passed without a dose of soda for relief.

"Finally he tried a cup of Postum and liked it so well he gave up coffee and since then has been drinking Postum in its place and says he has not once been troubled with sour stomach."

Even after this lady's experience with coffee her brother did not suspect for a time that coffee was causing his sour stomach, but easily proved it.

Coffee is not suspected in thousands of cases just like this but it's easily proved. A ten day's trial works wonders. "There's a Reason."

Read the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

PRESENTING HIS BILL.

Which would remind you that now is the time to order screens for the house. You're certain to need them before the season is over. So why not buy them at once and get the full benefit of them? They'll cost as much after while as they do now. We have a complete stock of all sizes. Good heavy white pine frames and the best wire screens. Make a memo of the number and the sizes you want and let us quote you next time you come to town. And don't forget to let us figure on that lumber you are going to use. We have the choisest stock in this section.

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Remember we also pay CASH for cream.

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To all those who are subscribers to THE TIMES that will pay all arreages on same and one year in Advance, we will make them the following very low rates.

THE TIMES	and Daily St. Paul Dispatch	$4 00
" "	and Farmers' Weekly Dispatch	1 25
" "	and Homestead	1 55
" "	and Wallaces' Farmer	1 80

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For All Live Stock

EASY AND SAFE TO USE.

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Three years ago we had three doctors with our little boy and everything that they could do seemed in vain. At last when all hope seemed to be gone we began using Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy and in a few hours he began to improve. Today he is as healthy a child as parents could wish for. Mrs. B J Johnston, Linton, Miss. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

ENDORSED BY THE COUNTY.

The most popular remedy in Otsego county and the best friend of my family writes Wm. M Dieta editor and publisher of the Otsego Journal, Gilberts, N. Y. is Dr. King's New Discovery. It has proved to be an infallible cure for coughs and colds making short work of the worst of them. We always keep a bottle in the house I believe it to be the most valuable prescription known for lung and throat diseases. Guaranteed to never disappoint the taker by J L Harr & Co. drug store. Price 50c and $1 00. Trial bottle free.

Your Bed.

There's a time for work,
and a time for play,
and a time to go to bed they say.

So work while you work,
and play while you ply,
but when it's night—
make your bed right.

If you would awake,
and feel rested and glad,
read Wellemeyer's ad.

REGULAR AS THE SUN

is an expression as old as the race. No doubt the rising and setting of the sun is the most regular performance in the universe unless it is the action of the liver and bowels when regulated with Dr. King's lew life pills. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. druggist, 25c.

Ell Center.

Mrs. Tom Nelson was at Klemme Friday.

Mrs. Braund was a Garner visitor last Friday.

Henry Josten delivered poultry at Klemme Friday.

Mrs. Harry Nesbit visited Mrs. Kuck one day last week.

Mrs. Marion Carroll of Omaha, Neb. is visiting Mrs. Hod Lawhorn.

Lela Haskin returned to her home at Klemme after spending two weeks with Ell Center friends.

Mrs. T. M. Stoker and family of Miller, Iowa, were Sunday visitors at Hod Lawhorn's. Leretta Lawhorn returned with them for a week's visit.

FOR AN IMPAIRED APPETITE.

To improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion try a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. J. H. Seitz, of Detroit, Mich., says: They restored my appetite when impaired, relieved me of a bloated feeling and caused a pleasant and satisfactory movement of the bowels. Price, 25 cents. Samples free. J L Harr & Co.

Hancock County Fair

September

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Good Purses,
Good Amusements,
Good Races.

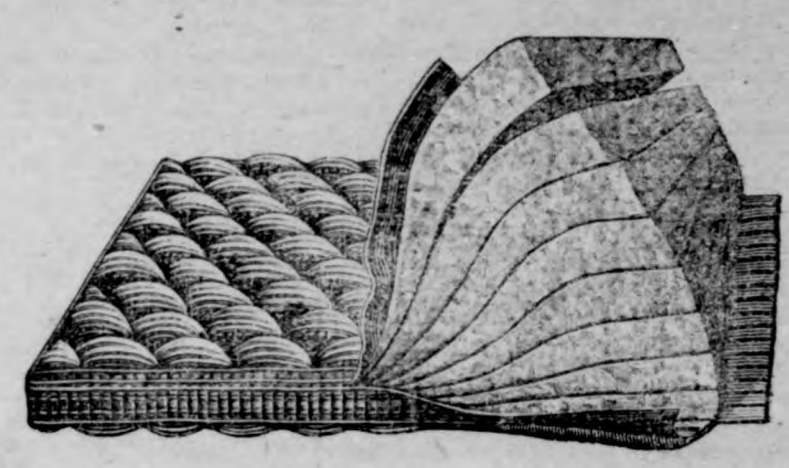
COME!

SLEEP IN A GOOD BED.

The better the bed on which you sleep, the better you will rest and the stronger and happier you will be in the morning and the more you can accomplish that day in both work and play.

Yes! It is very important that you sleep in a good bed, and the most important part of your bed is the mattress and the best mattress of any kind or at any price is our

"ROYAL" Felt Mattress.



IT IS the most comfortable, the most elastic and the most durable mattress of its kind and will not mat or get flat and hard after continued use.

It can be bought for **$15.00** at Mason City, Iowa, can also be bought for **$10.00** at Klemme, Iowa at

Arthur Wellemeyer.

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Those knowing themselves to be indebted several years on subscription to The Times, are requested to settle for same at once otherwise we will hand in your account for collection. Please attend to this matter at ONCE.

Sour Stomach

No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol for dyspepsia does not only relieve indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy helps all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Mr. S. S. Ball, of Ravenswood, W. Va., says:—"I was troubled with sour stomach for twenty years. Kodol cured me and we are now using it in milk for baby."

FOR BACKACHE--WEAK KIDNEYS, TRY DeWITT'S KIDNEY and BLADDER PILLS—Sure and Safe

Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., Chicago

Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Attention Farmers.

When in need of any Farm Machinery, go to H. Lau & Son.

You can get all kinds of farm goods, thrashing machines, powers, gas engines, binders, mowers, wagons all kinds. Surreys and buggies of the best. Windmills and steel towers. Three kinds of cream separators. The Kemp & Ross manure spreader. The Kingman manure loader the best. Cyclone fence and gates. Plows of all kinds. See us.

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C. H. MANN & Co.
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KLEMME MARKET.

Cream No. 1	23
Eggs fresh	13
Butter roll	17
Corn	40 to 45c
Oats	22 to 36c
Wheat	70 to 80c
Barley	30 to 35c
Hay	6 00 to 7.00
Hogs	5.00 7.00
Cattle	3.00 to 4.50

LOCAL NEWS

Read the market report.

Mrs. J. Gruetzmacher was at Garner, Wednesday.

C. W. Wiles was a Goodell visitor last week Saturday.

F. H. Ridder put in a cement walk in front of his blacksmith and machine shop.

Milton Parker left last week Friday for a visit with his mother at Waterville, Kansas.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

Arthur Gibbs was in charge of J. L. Harr & Co's store while Mr. Harr and children were at Alden, Iowa.

Mrs. Chas. Behrens and son of Garner, visited Wednesday with her brothers John and George Waterman and families.

Look here, stock raisers. We have the Dipolene which is good for hogs, sheep and ary other animals. H. Lau & Son.

Keep the pores open and the skin clean when you have a cut, burn, bruise or scratch. Dewitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve penetrates the pores and heals quickly. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

ESTRAY—Came to my farm a week ago one 2-year old red and white heifer. Owner can have same by paying for keeping and advertising. W. S. Glanville.

Harve Allen and force are laying a cement walk for Grandma Lau on main street. C. W. Wiles will also have a walk put in front of his pool hall. This will complete the north side with a cement walk.

Judge Adams and son Johnnie arrived from Kalamazoo, Mich. Tuesday for a visit with W. R. Bloom and family. The Judge is a brother of Mrs. Bloom. We presume W. R. will show the Judge a jack rabbit hunt before his return.

I'll stop your pain free. To show you first—before you spend a penny—what my pink pain tablets can do I will mail you free a trial package of them—Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Neuralgia, headache, toothache, period pains, etc., are due alone to blood congestion. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets simply kill pain by coaxing away the unnatural blood pressure. That is all. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Sold by All Dealers.

See Ell Bros. for ice.

Schroeder & Son shipped two loads of hogs Sunday morning.

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

W. H. Ramsay and S. W. Merten drove down from Garner last week Saturday.

Dewitt's Little Early Risers don't sicken or gripe. Small Pills, easy to take. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The Misses Reed of Garner, visited with the Schoper sisters last week Thursday and Friday.

H. T. Schneider and daughter drove down from Garner Saturday last week. They also drove to Goodell.

Don't forget that ad of State Savings Bank, a complete change—it will more than repay you for your time spent in reading it.

Elmer Boughton and wife drove up from Belmond Sunday for a visit with C. C. Suckow and family. Their daughter who had been visiting here returned with them.

The dance at the C. Wiles Hall last week Thursday evening was well attended and all had a good time and good order was had. The Nihoof Bros. and Lewick orchestra furnished excellent music.

John Riha, a prominent dealer of Vining, Ia, says: "I have been selling DeWitts's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. There are a dozen people here who have used them and they give perfect satisfaction in every case. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by J L Harr & Co.

George W. Kluckhohn was near Kanawha and Twin Lakes Tuesday. He adjusted a loss for C. A. Barz who carried insurance in the Anchor Insurance Co. His loss was to his barn by a wind storm on Aug. 7. The same barn was blown down July 3rd and was re-built again when the wind storm of Aug. 7th blew it down again so there were two losses paid for the same barn.

Free, for catarrh, just to prove merit, a trial size box of Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Let me send it now. It is a snow-white creamy, healing antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as oil eucaliptus, thymol, menthol, etc, it gives instant relief to catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Adress Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50c. Sold by All Dealers.

H. T. Schneider's moving picture machine was with us Monday and Tuesday evenings of this week. He showed in his tent. His many late and up-to-date pictures were well worth the price of admission, also his illustrated songs. From here he left for Belmond where he showed during the Baseball Tournament on Aug. 21, 22 and 23. Herman is a jolly good fellow and we wish him success.

I will mail you free to prove merit, samples of my Dr. Shoop's restorative and my book on either dyspepsia, the heart or the kidneys. Troubles of the stomach, heart or kidneys, are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailment and not the cause. Weak stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean stomach weakness, always. And the heart and kidneys as well have their controling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves, and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the inside nerves. Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's restorative. Write me to day for sample and free book. Dr. Shoop Racine, Wis. The restorative is sold by All Dealers.

Read Wellemeyer's ad.

Read the Klemme Times ad. opposite local page.

It is up to you to read that ad of the State Savings Bank.

The Gruetzmacher Bros. are having their store reshingled.

Get your refrigerater filled with ice regulary by Ell Bros.

Earl Mann visited with his grandparents at Garner last week Friday and Saturday.

Now is the time of the year to buy cream separators and gas enginesat H. Lau & Son tf.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

H Beohm, father of Mrs. Aug. Lau and Mrs. John Waterman arrived from Elkport, Iowa, Tuesday for a visit.

J. L. Harr and children returned Tuesday afternoon from Alden, Iowa where they visited with F. Zufall and family.

Miss Mary Reid and Miss Annie Sullivan drove from Garner last week Friday and were the guests at the Wm. Smith home.

A. Shoop moved his family from Clear Lake the latter part of last week and are occupying the rooms over F. Gruetmacher store. We welcome them with us.

Mrs. M. Haskin and daughter Nettie left last week Friday for Mason City. Mrs. Haskin returned Sunday and Nettie left for Greene, Iowa to visit with relatives.

Ben Lau arrived from Cedar Rapids where he is taking a business course in a college, this week Monday He has a vacation until Sept. 3rd when he exprets to return.

G. R. Waterman and family are the possessors of a new Hamilton piano which they purchased of J. L. Harr & Co. How Geo. will play high class music wont be so slow.

The concrete gang of Estherville, are cementing the Rock Island stock yards of this place. In about two weeks a carpenter gang will also enlarge the yards. This will be a great improvement to what it has been.

The article in last week's Times in regard to buying "Tin Pan" pianos, we wish to say to our home dealers in the same occupation, that it isn't any of their business of whom we buy our pianos. We are well satisfied with our instrument.

G. Schroeder and family.

Don't accept a cough cure that you may be told is just as good as Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup, because it isn't just as good—there is quite a difference. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently upon the bowels and clears the whole system of coughs and colds. It promptly relieves inflamation of the throat and allays irritation. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

We are pleased to inform our readers that the State Savings Bank has again entered the field of again awarding additional prizes to winners of the prizes offered by the Iowa Corn Growers Association of Ames, Iowa. See their bank ad for full particulars.

Those who have stomach trouble no matter how slight should give every possible help to the digestive organs so that food may be digested with the least effort. This may be done by taking something that contains natural digestive properties—something like Kodol for indigestion and dyspepsia. Kodol is a preparation of vegetable acids and contains the very same Juices found in a healthy stomach. It digests what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Mrs. Asa Gibbs was at Garner Wednesday between trains.

DeWITT'S CARBOLIZED WITCH HAZEL SALVE For Piles, Burns, Sores.

N. L. Palmer and F. J. Wenck were at Garner last week Friday.

Miss Mabel Blackstone of Garner, visited with friends in Klemme, Tuesday.

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

Monday and Tuesday nights were rather cool, a light frost was reported on Monday morning.

Herman Miller spent over Sunday with Ben Lau at Cedar Rapids and returned with Ben on Monday.

Miss Francis Blanchard arrived from Chariton, Iowa Wednesday for a visit with J. L. Harr and family.

Mr. L. Mann, father of this scribe made us and family a visit from last week Saturday until Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. W. Stiehl left Wednesday for Laporte City, Iowa, for a visit with Mr. Stiehl's sister Mrs. G. A. Hartz and family.

Henry Lewis, John Velau and Clarence Kluckhohn took in the sights in Avery Center and Goodell and vicinity last Sunday.

John Braund and family who are visiting here from Webster City visited with relatives at Garner the latter part of last week.

T. M. Hamilton and wife of Avery Center are the proud parents of a little son who came to stay with them Wednesday last week.

Tom Blank and family and Wm. F. Lau and family drove to Belmond Sunday, and visited with Mr. Blank's brother and family.

We never repent of eating too little was one of the ten rules of life of Thomas Jefferson, president of the United States, and the rule applies to every one without exception during this hot weather, because it is hard for food even in small quantities, to be digested when the blood is at high temperature. At this season we should eat sparingly and properly. We should also help the stomach as much as possible by the use of a little Kodol For Indigestion and Dyspepsia, which will rest the stomach by digesting the food itself. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Hancock County Fair at Britt Sept. 3, 4, 5. The race program:

Second day—Wednesday, Sept. 4, '07
2:30 pace $200.00
County harness race, pace or trot $100
Farmers running race $25

Third day—Thursday, Sept. 5th. '07
2:15 pace $250.00
2:25 trot $200.00
Hhal mile running and repeat .. $75.00

Notice—PAY UP.

All parties owing me on account MUST settle by cash or notes on or before Sept. 5th.

DR. GEO. ZINN.

ECZEMA.

For the good of those suffering with eczema or other such trouble, I wish to say, my wife had something of that kind and after using the doctors remedies for some time concluded to try Chamberlain's salve and it proved to be better than anything she had tried. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

POULTRY MARKET AT ELL BROS.

Good until Wednesday, 8, 27

Hens	9c
Spring chickens	10c
Old roosters	4c
Ducks young and fat	8c
No. 1 old hen turkeys	9c
No. 1. young hen turkeys	7c
Old tom turkeys	7c
Geese	5c

ATTENTION!

We buy hogs six days in the week, but want them delivered only on Tuesdays and Saturdays of each week. Highest market price will be paid for hogs and all kinds of grain, also No. 1 hard and soft coal for sale at bottom prices at the North Elevator. Yours for business,

AUG. LAU & SON.

REMEMBER

that I am in the junk business I have been buying in this vicinity for years.

I buy iron, metals, rags and rubbers. I pay cash, no tin ware exchanged for your goods.

Address me at Goodell, Ia.

K. Friedman.

J. F. NISSEN

Say! Where are you going to have your blacksmithing done?

Why at J. F. Nissen, ofcourse. He can do my blacksmithing good enough for me and in fact good enough for anybody.

He also has a good wood shop in connection. Give him a trial he will surely please you and satisfaction guaranteed.

J. E. BAUMGARTNER

The Tonsorial Artist

Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.

Good Bath Room In Connection.

2nd door west of State Savings Bank

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THE LIMIT OF LIFE.

The most eminent medical scientists are unanimous in the conclusion that the generally accepted limitation of human life is many many years below the attainment possible with the advanced knowledge of which the race is now possessed. The critical period that determines its duration seems to be between 50 the proper [illegible] this urg to after tific every by J

Fresh Fuel.

The scrap between the married couple had died down to a few listless mutterings, and the canary bird in the cage was beginning to think about singing again, when she remarked, as a sort of afterthought:

"At any rate, everybody in my family thinks I am very intelligent."

"Yes, by the side of them you are," he replied with a bitter snort.

After this the scrap was renewed jubilantly.

The extraordinary popularity of fine white goods this summer makes the choice of Starch a matter of great importance. Defiance Starch, being free from all injurious chemicals, is the only one which is safe to use on fine fabrics. Its great strength as a stiffener makes half the usual quantity of Starch necessary, with the result of perfect finish, equal to that when the goods were new.

Never Touched Him.

"I have brought back the lawn mower I bought of you last week," said the man with the side whiskers. "You said you would return my money if it wasn't satisfactory."

"Yes, that's what I said," replied the dealer, "but I assure you the money was perfectly satisfactory in every respect."

CHEAP IRRIGATED LAND.

Grand opening Sept. 5th under Carey Act. Little Snake River Valley, Routt County, Colo. $25.50 per acre for land and water. $5.25 per acre down. Excursion rates. Routt County Development Co., 814 17th St., Denver, Colo.

The Reason Why.

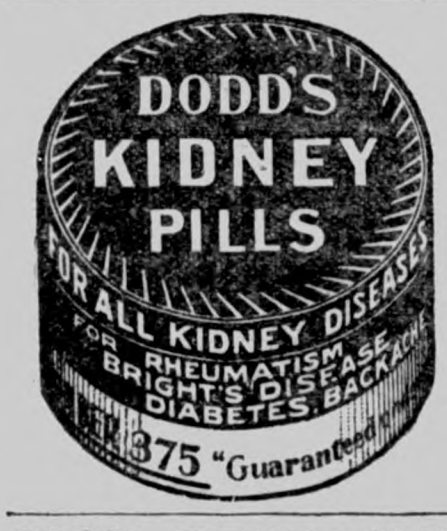
"How did you come here?" said one Mexican bull to an old acquaintance, as they met in the arena.

"How?" replied the other, with a glance around "I may say I was roped in."

That an article may be good as well as cheap, and give entire satisfaction, is proven by the extraordinary sale of Defiance Starch, each package containing one-third more Starch than can be had of any other brand for the same money.

Novel Excuse of No Avail.

A Lander (Colo.) man called to serve on a jury tried to get off by claiming he was too big for such work.



SICK HEADACHE

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature

Brent Good

REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

TEXAS OKLAHOMA AND INDIAN TER'Y.

You Will Prosper in the Southwest

If you purchase a farm now, while the land is cheap, you will soon see grow up around you a community of prosperous, energetic men, who, like yourself, have seen the possibilities of the Southwestern farmer, and have taken advantage of them. This very condition, which is rapidly forming all over the Southwest, makes the value of land increase rapidly, to the certain profit of those who own it. The Southwest will be as well settled in a few short years as the older States are today, and those who see this condition now will have cause to rejoice then.

VERY LOW RATES

will be in effect from the North, on the first and third Tuesdays of each month, to Texas, Oklahoma and Indian territory, via M., K. & T. Ry. Why not investigate the possibilities of this wonderful land? Go and see the country for yourself. Write now for particulars, address

W. S. ST. GEORGE,
General Passenger Agent,
Wainwright Bldg.,
St. Louis, Mo.

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IOWA NEWS

With the entire upper part of her body covered with burns and the hair on her head singed and in some places burned entirely off, Nellie Donahue, the 11-year-old daughter of Andrew Donahue of Des Moines, is lying at her home in a critical condition and suffering intense pain. Her clothing caught fire while she was preparing dinner.

Burglars dynamited the safe in James Sweeney's general store in Chillicothe, and secured $75 in cash. The postoffice is located in the store. Besides the cash, the thieves got some cigars and tobacco. They were tracked to the Black Hawk bridge at Ottumwa and the police of that city are looking for them. Mrs. J. B. Kitterman and her son saw the burglars at work but she would not let her son leave until after they escaped.

At a special election Deep River township of Powesheik county voted a 5 per cent tax on the taxable valuation of the property of the township to aid the Marengo & Midland interurban. The tax was carried in four of the six precincts along the line and lost in two. However, in the two where the vote was adverse, the citizens have indicated their intention of subscribing for all stock necessary to meet the requirements of the bonding company. Montezuma voted the tax some time ago.

The last of the $35,000 which was Chariton's contribution to the new railroad fund has been raised and the building of the new railroad, the Waterloo, Pella & Southwestern, through Chariton is now a sure thing. Several other towns were asked for different contributions, all of which have been either part or wholly secured. E. A. Harris, a Des Moines man, is one of the promoters of the new road. Work will probably be begun soon, as Chariton was assured that when the $35,000 was raised the railroad would build.

Two thousand members of the German American alliance and allied societies in Davenport paraded behind a band of 150 musicians a few nights ago in protest against the present attempt to put the Davenport saloons under the Iowa mulct law. Transparencies carried proclaimed that, "Sane laws we uphold, but insane restrictions we will fight;" "Our liberties we prize and our rights we will maintain," and "Davenport is not the place for tyrannical Sunday laws." A monster open air meeting was later addressed by prominent citizens.

By the accidental capsizing of a row boat at Des Moines, Roy Ratcliff and has fiancee were both drowned within sight of help at Thompson's bend, about three-quarters of a mile above the dam in the Des Moines river. Ratcliff died loyally endeavoring to save the young girl, but in her excitement she greatly handicapped his movements and both went down together. Both bodies were recoverd. Ratcliff was a clerk at the freight office of the Great Western railway company in Des Moines. Miss Howard was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Howard, who conduct the Howard restaurant.

For the first time in thirty-seven years, since he forsook the world to become a Trappist monk, Brother Timothy of the monastery near Dubuque, visited his native home in Dyersville, a few days ago, to enjoy the pleasures of a family reunion with his brothers and sisters. The reunion was one of the happiest events of the monk's life. Brother Timothy guest master of the old monastery, is one of the best known members of the great order of Trappist monks and is known far and wide for his genial and engaging hospitality. The rule of silence does not lie on him and his is the duty of welcoming guests to the home of the Trappists, of making pleasant the visit of the outsider. Thirty-seven years ago Brother Timothy gave up the world with what it held for him of youthful anticipation and happiness and went into the cloistered home, entered into the heart of the spiritual life apart from the things that distract from the purely religious; gave up the dreams of a future in the world to know only the ways of meditation and prayer.

Hanging at the top of a windmill tower for several minutes with the fingers of one hand crushed in the gearing, waiting a gust of wind to start the mill and release him, was the excruciating experience of O. M. Beach of Fayette, a few days ago. He had been repairing a mill on a tower at Hawkeye, and having finished his work, started to oil the mill head. He tested the brake to make sure of safety in case a breeze should spring up. The brake seemed to be in satisfactory condition, and the mill was stationary. Then he reached up and caught hold of the gearing with his right hand in order to steady himself as he climbed a step higher. No sooner had he done so than a gust of wind whirled the mill, in spite of the brake, and caught the second, third and fourth fingers in the cogs. Then the mill stopped. He attempted to draw his hand away, but the flesh was too firmly wedged in the gearing. There he was obliged to hang, enduring the pain of the smashed fingers until another puff of wind started the mill onward and released him.

Dr. Donald Macrae, Sr., of Council Bluffs, died a few days ago, death resulting from heart trouble. Few physicians were as well known in the territory of the Missouri Valley. He held various civic and public offices in the thirty years of his residence in Council Bluffs and was most successful as a physician.

B. J. Miles was superintendent of Eldora when the board of control took charge of it in 1898. Following his resignation, Colonel Drake, who had built the Missouri institution at Booneville, was elected, and his administration began in great enthusiasm. He was assisted by Mr. Kuser, effectively. Early in the spring Superintendent Drake resigned, and since then the position has been held open.

Arthur Johnson, aged 10 of Marshalltown, is out of the amateur circus game for a while. He was nearly killed in doing a "slide for life" on a wire rope before an admiring crowd of boy friends. Arthur is a son of C. B. Johnson, who arranges juvenile carnivals, and the boy has attained some proficiency in tumbling, etc., under his father's direction. The accident was a dreadful one, the lad's side being literally torn open, and fifteen stitches had to be taken in the armpit.

E. S. Blydenburgh, once convicted of the atrocious murder of his wife, and soon to be retried, is thriving in jail and looking surprisingly well. He is cheerful and confident that at his next trial he will be acquitted. He has demanded, and will receive his trial at the term which begins in Eldora August 26, and Judge Wade of Iowa City, assisted by Charles A. Rogers of Eldora, will defend. Blydenburgh weighs about 200 pounds and is in the pink of condition and best of health. He spends his time reading and writing and conferring with his attorneys and Sheriff Walsh has placed him in the best ward in the county jail which, barring the prison features, is an inviting place.

Everett Looney, the alleged assailant of 13-year-old Lena Derby of Keota, lies in the county jail at Sigourney, having been captured in the timber. The circumstances of the assault are terrible. The girl, who lives about two miles from Keota, had been on a visit to the home of her uncle and had gone to the Keota church. Looney started to walk home with her and the assault took place on the way home in a clump of timber. The girl, who staggered into the nearest farmhouse, told her story and a party started out at once to hunt for Looney, whom the girl named as her assailant. Looney was hiding under a fallen tree when run down. The girl's life is despaired of, for her condition is critical.

Judge W. P. Helscher of Ackley failed to find, on examination, sufficient evidence to hold Joe Stonebreaker of Iowa Falls for stealing the pocketbook of Miss Letta Sluter, a pretty school ma'am of Ackley. It is stated that the couple had been keeping company for some time, and that the young lady was in Iowa Falls recently. She handed her companion, Mr. Stonebreaker, her pocketbook, containing about $10, to carry until she went home. When the time came for the train to leave for Ackley the pocketbook which had been placed in the young man's coat could not be found. The young lady accused the young man of purloining the purse and filed an information in Judge Helscher's court to that effect, and a warrant was issued. Stonebreaker says he remembers nothing of the purse after he placed it in his pocket.

While sitting on the Burlington track east of Fairfield dozing, Flagman E. S. McLaughry of Burlington, was struck and killed by train No. 1. McLaughry was employed with a working crew and his business was to flag west bound trains approaching the construction work that is in progress east of Fairfield. He had just flagged a train, and he sat down on the track and apparently fell into a doze. He was not aroused by the coming of the east bound train No. 10, nor did the engineer see him until too late, because of a curve at that point. The train bore down upon McLaughry and struck him without his making any effort to save himself. He was terribly bruised and unconscious when picked up, and he did not regain consciousness before his death, which occurred a few hours later. McLaughry was a young man about 23 years old and had no family as far as learned.

After a long illness, the death of George E. Clarke, of Algona, occurred on the 12th. Mr. Clarke was probably the best known lawyer in northern Iowa. He went to Algona in the winter of 1869-'70, and for nearly forty years had been a well known figure in every court room in the northeastern counties. He was born in Sangerville, Piscataquis county, Maine, March 19, 1845, being but 62 at the time of his death. In 1866 he came to Iowa and taught school in Red Oak, where he formed the acquaintance of Smith McPherson, then like him, just beginning his career. Reading law while he taught he was admitted to the bar. In 1877 he became the northern Iowa attorney of the Milwaukee railroad. There are five brothers of the family, lawyers in Iowa at one time, Whiting S. Clarke in Des Moines, Charles A. Clarke in Cedar Rapids, George E Clarke in Algona, William G. Clarke in Cedar Rapids and E. H. Clarke in Algona. Their father was considered the leader at the bar in Piscataquis county.

TRY THIS ASPARAGUS LOAF.

New and Delicious Way of Preparing the Vegetable.

Cook three cups of asparagus tips until tender, then drain. Cream two teaspoons each of flour and butter; add one-half teaspoon of salt, a dash of paprika and a cup of hot milk. Add the milk slowly, stirring all the time. Cook for five minutes. Remove from the range; add four well-beaten eggs, a cup of asparagus tips and a teaspoon of chopped parsley. Butter well a small bowl and line it with the remainder of the asparagus tips. If the tips will not adhere readily to the sides of the bowl dip them in the sauce. Now pour in the asparagus and sauce; cover with a piece of oiled paper; stand bowl in hot water and cook in cool oven for 15 minutes. Turn out of the bowl and serve with the following sauce:

Beat two teaspoons of butter to a cream; beat in the yolks of two eggs, one at a time, and beat with the butter very thoroughly. Add also a few grains of the salt and pepper. Place the bowl containing this over hot water and add slowly a cup and a half of boiling water. As soon as the mixture thickens remove and add a tablespoon of lemon juice.

DIRECTIONS FOR VEAL SAVORY.

An Appetizing Dish If Prepared in Proper Manner.

Veal savory, according to Vogue, is after these directions: Cut three pounds of raw veal and half as much ham into small pieces. Cut six hard-boiled eggs into slices, lay part of them in the bottom of a well-buttered earthenware dish (it must be rather deep), sprinkle with a little minced parsley, then put in a layer of the veal and ham, with salt and pepper to season. Proceed with these alternate layers until all is used, then add just enough water to cover it, and one tablespoonful of butter rolled in one tablespoonful of flour and divided into tiny portions, dotted over the top. Tie a buttered paper over the dish and bake one hour or a little longer in a good oven. Remove the paper, lay a plate over the meat with a weight to keep it in place and let it remain another hour in a very slow oven. When quite cold turn it out on a silver dish and garnish with small lettuce leaves filled with a spoonful of cold cooked peas dressed with a little mayonnaise.

Nasturtium Salad.

This is a delightfully spicy salad and most decorative for the Sunday or company dinner. Pick a goodly number of leaves and blossoms, wash well in cold water and shake dry. Arrange in a shallow glass dish, leaves and flowers forming a border and stems running to the center of the dish. Take two or three cold boiled potatoes and slice thin. Take an equal number of tomatoes and slice. Then arrange potatoes and tomatoes in alternate circles, covering the stems of the nasturtims and sprinkle with a little minced onion and parsley. Dress with French dressing and serve very cold.

Raspberry Popovers.

Beat three eggs light, but not as light as for cake; add two cupfuls of milk and beat again, then add two cupfuls of sifted flour, a little salt and beat all smooth. Pour into hot buttered gem pans and bake in a moderate oven. Take from the oven when done and with a sharp knife split one side and fill with sweetened raspberries. Dust powdered sugar over and serve at once.

Home-Made Counterpane.

Buy a pair of lace curtains and fasten them together with a strip of lace insertion. The ruffled ends will fall over the sides and ends of the bed. A cambric cover to harmonize with the tone of the room will add to the effect when placed under the muslin one.

Fried Tomatoes and Eggs.

Cut some thick slices of tomato, dip each into flour seasoned with salt and pepper, and fry. Make some rounds of toast; butter these, lay the tomatoes on them, and put a poached egg on each; sprinkle with chopped parsley.—Harper's Bazar.

For the Dressing Table.

A piano stool makes an excellent chair for use at a dressing table. The stool turns easily and one is then able to get a view from all points without rising.

French Dressing.

With many people the French dressing is usually hit or miss. There is, however, a set formula that insures having the proportions right every time. Put into a bowl or bottle a half teaspoonful of salt and a saltspoonful pepper. And four teaspoonfuls olive oil, stir with a fork or shake if in a bottle. Add one tablespoonful lemon juice or vinegar, mix thoroughly and pour over the salad.

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Mrs. Margaret Emmerich, of Clinton St., Napoleon, O., says: "For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from kidney troubles. My back pained me terribly. Every turn or move caused sharp, shooting pains. My eyesight was poor, dark spots appeared before me, and I had dizzy spells. For ten years I could not do housework, and for two years did not get out of the house. The kidney secretions were irregular, and doctors were not helping me. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me quick relief, and finally cured me. They saved my life."

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He Was Not to Blame.

Little Bartholomew's mother overheard him swearing like a mule driver, says the Cleveland Leader. He displayed a fluency that overwhelmed her. She took him to task, explaining the wickedness of profanity as well as its vulgarity. She asked him where he had learned all those dreadful words. Bartholomew announced that Cavert, one of his playmates, had taught him. Cavert's mother was straightway informed and Cavert was brought to book. He vigorously denied having instructed Bartholomew, and neither threats nor tears could make his confess. At last he burst out: "I didn't tell Bartholomew any cuss words. Why should I know how to cuss any better than he does? Hasn't his father got an automobile, too?"

Used Ink for Bluing.

"One can never be too careful about apparently harmless articles setting about the house," said a housewife the other day. "Not long ago my husband brought home one of those big tall bottles of ink from the office. It had got to be such a nuisance buying one of the small five-cent bottles every time we ran out of ink, that he said he would bring home a supply.

"About a week after that I got a new maid, and when she did the washing she took the big bottle of ink for bluing. Of course every stitch of our white clothes in the washing was ruined."

Left Army for Pork Trade.

Aladar Stolincki, an aristocratic lieutenant of a Hungarian hussar regiment, has resigned his commission to become an apprentice to a pork butcher in Budapest. He says he can not live on his pay—$400 a year—and that he considers a man of intelligence and energy can do well in the pork trade.

Man does what he can, and bears what he must, and the name by which he calls the result is left to each to decide; a clever man calls it happiness.—Goethe.

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CABINET MAY SPLIT

EFFECT ON ADVISORS OF STRENUOUS POLICY IS DISCUSSED.

LITTLE HARMONY NOW EXISTS

Cortelyou's Ambition and Taft's Not Conducive of Perfect Accord in the Cabinet.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 18.—What will be the effect of a vigorous prosecution of anti-trust and anti-rebate laws on the cabinet, is a matter that is being much talked here.

There are persistent reports of a split in the cabinet, but they are met with official denials and cannot be fully verified. There is not much doubt that one wing of the cabinet does not look with pleasure on Attorney General Bonaparte's vigorous pronouncements to the effect that he will keep on with the trials of lawbreakers, particularly of wealthy individuals and corporations that have been persistent law violators.

Secretary Root is understood to feel that the administration's anti-trust policy is being carried too far. Secretary Cortelyou is said to be of the same mind.

On the other hand there appears no doubt that the president will insist upon the department of justice going ahead in its work against trusts and against rebating with all reasonable vigor, and that Secretary Taft also feels this should be done.

Both the president and Secretary Taft in their forthcoming speeches are not expected to give Wall street much comfort. It is hardly expected that the differences in the cabinet will extend to the point of resignations of either Secretary Root or Secretary Cortelyou, but at the same time there are evidences of such division of opinion that it might well come to the point of disruption.

Aside from the difference caused by the financial situation and the administration's corporation and railroad policies, there is always present Mr. Taft's candidacy and Mr. Cortelyou's own ambitions.

Another interesting phase of cabinet matters relates to Secretary Metcalf.

The president is planning on a reorganization of the navy department before his term ends, there is reason to believe that Secretary Metcalf is not of that degree of effectiveness to meet the president's ideas for undertaking so vast a job.

There are many evidences of conflict of the board and demoralization in the navy department. It needs a thorough overhauling, and the expectation now is that the president will undertake it.

Assistant Secretary Newberry of Michigan is suggested to head the department in case Metcalf goes.

SMALL IN NEW YORK.

Chief of Telegraphers Shifts Headquarters.

New York, Aug. 18.—The early arrival of President Small and the consequent shifting from Chicago to this city of executive direction of the strike is awaited expectantly by the idle telegraphers of the east.

Just when Mr. Small will reach here the union men could not say last night. They have received no word from him, but expect that he will be here within a few days. They hope that the president will be able to bring about a better situation from the strikers' standpoint.

There were few developments yesterday. One Wall street broker firm refused the demands asked by its eight operators, and when the latter quit immediately filled their positions with nonunion men. The Western Union and the Postal Telepragh companies reiterated tonight that they were doing business without serious inconvenience.

The strikers for their part still insisted that the situation was satisfactory.

The press and other wire service is fast reaching a normal basis.

TWENTY-FIVE MORE AT WORK.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—The Western Union yesterday added twenty-five operators to its working force in the main office in this city. The men arrived at 5 o'clock, all of them coming from New York, and were at once set to work. A number of strikers applied for their old positions during the day.

Auto Jurisdiction Worries.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 10.—Secretary Taft after a conference respecting the conflicting claims of federal and Maryland state officials to exclusive jurisdiction over the conduit road between this city and Great Falls, Md., directed Mayor Crosby, engineer officer in charge of the Washington aqueduct to confer with the officials of the department of justice and United States Attorney Rose of Baltimore, with a view of making up a test case to finally determine this question, which has assumed a national importance, as far as the automobilists of the country are concerned.

Late Already.

Five minutes after the tardy gong had struck, the principal of the school was walking through the lower hall when he saw a pudgy little fellow scampering toward the first grade room as fast as his fat legs could carry him. "See here, young man, I want to talk to you," called the principal to the late comer. "I hain't got time to talk to you; I'm late already," replied the breathless beginner as the door of his classroom closed.—The Circle.

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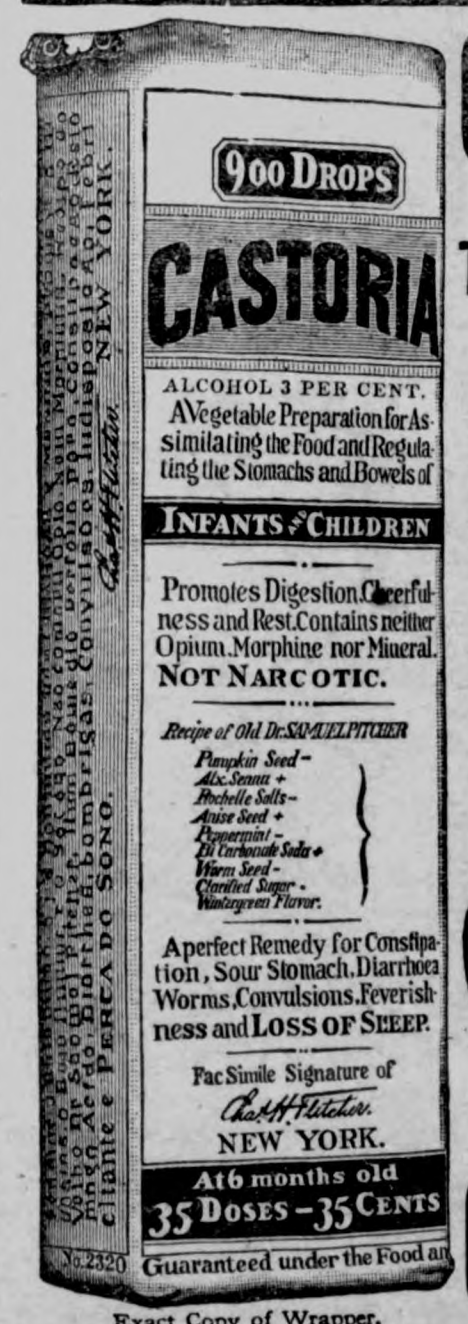
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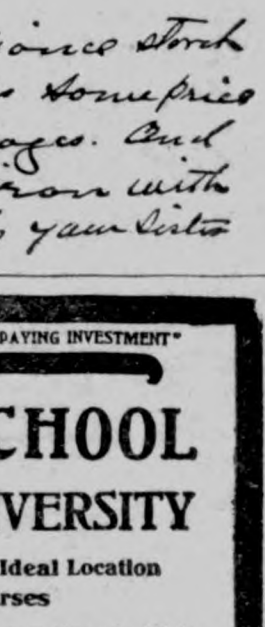

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German M. E. Church Items

Threshing machines are humming in every direction.

Aug. Wenz returned last Saturday from a pleasant vacation.

Mrs. Carl Wellemeyer is enjoying a visit of a sister from Colesburg.

Oscar Donath of Garner, painted W. F. Stille's buildings this week.

The quarterly meeting in Germantown last Sunday was well attended.

Emelia Lenz accompanied her sister Mrs. Ridder to Fenton last Friday.

Miss Rest who visited Mrs. Wessel a few weeks, went to Garner today.

Otto Martin is assisting W. F. Stille with his farm work during the threshing season.

A goodly number from Klemme attended the quarterly meeting in Germantown last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vietmeier of Rockford, called on relatives and friends last week Friday and Saturday.

F. C. Griewe left for Dakota on Wednesday where he is selling apples for Mr. Dusenberg of Garner.

Ida Schwichtenberg underwent an operation for catarrh and throat trouble in Mason City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sampson of Colesburg, arrived Monday and are visiting their friends and relatives around here.

Rev. Jacob Schaefer of Milwaukee, will fill the pulpit in the Klemme church on Sunday morning. Come and hear him.

Chas. Schoenwetter was quite badly hurt last week while cutting grain. A part of the machine broke and struck him on the hip.

The Womans Missionary Society of Klemme, will give a program Sunday evening in which the children and young people will assist.

Rev. Berg and wife of Dowds. are expected the end of this week and unless the Reverend disappoints us, he will fill the pulpit Sunday morning in Klemme.

John Schwichtenberg went to Colesburg last Friday to call on relatives and on his way stopped off at Manchester to consult a physician of whom he is taking treatment.

Rev. Jacob Schaefer of Milwaukee, for many years a prominent minister in the Ger. M. E. church is visiting his relatives in this county. He lost his sight years ago and is entirely blind

The following "Ernte Denk Fest" has been arranged for Sunday evening Sept 1st:

Opening—Aug. Wenz.
Song by the choir.
Declamation—Grace Blank.
Reading—Sarah Ludeke.
Duet—Minnie Lau and Ella Griewe.
Declamation—Leonard Sampson.
Reading—Hulda Gruetzmacher.
Trio—Emelia Lenz, Huld Gruetzmacher and Clara Griewe.
Declamation—Clara Griewe.
Violin trio—Ludeke Bros.
Declamation—Nellie Lau.
Reading—Amanda Arnold.
Song by the choir.

We recently heard a speaker say: "The child is a hero-worshiper, and if you do not give him a true hero, he will set up in the sanctuary of his heart a tawdry imitation." Yet how negligent most parents are in allowing their children to live face to face with the impurest, low degrading influences of the community and modeling after them. Keep them under the home influence, give them suitable employment, work and play and supply them with good books. Let your boy escape for a time from mean associates and let him roam the woods with Hiawatha, sail the seas with Sinblad, build stocades with Crusoe, fight dragons with Jason, joust with Galahad; let him play quoits with Odysseus and at foot ball with Tom Brown. These are playmates who will never quarrel with him nor bully him, but from whom he will learn to be brave, self-reliant, manly, quick to do for others and set his face toward the light. The child who lives on terms with such heroes can not fail to be strong and true.

Honors Easy.

People who were present smiled at the little passage of arms which took place between two young ladies at a luncheon recently. One of them, a bride, shaking hands in her characteristically cordial way, said to the other:

"I'm so glad to meet you! You have afforded me so very much amusement just lately."

"Amusement?" said the other.

"Oh, yes," went on the bride. "I've been through my husband's desk, and I've read all his old love letters. I found several very affectionate letters from you, and I enjoyed reading them, really, ever so much."

"I'm so glad you enjoyed them," purred the other. "But do come and see me very soon. Here is my card. I have the answers to all those letters and you might like to read them as well. Mr. X——'s letters are so much more affectionate than those I wrote to him. I know you'll enjoy reading them ever so much more than you did mine."

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The hostes who wishes something different is asked to try using striped and fancy grasses, rushes and little wild foliage plants that grow in damp places and along streams. A table can be made very pretty with these, using no flowers. Try it.

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1st winner carries away	Whiting Trophy	val. at	$450
2nd " "	" Allee Trophy	"	250
3rd " "	" Wallace's Farmer Trophy	"	200
4th " "	" Farmers Tribune Trophy	"	150

These are very beautiful trophies and as we are always pleased to advance the interest of our immediate vicinity and to impress upon our farmers the importance of growing more and better corn from year to year, we are taking the liberty of offering additional prizes to the farmars of Hancock county who are winners of the above trophies as follows:

Winner of the	Whiting Trophy will receive	$25 in cash
" "	Wallace Farmer Trophy "	20 "
" "	Farmers Tribune Trophy "	15 "
" "	Allee Trophy will receive	12 "

The winner of a district first premium will receive $10 in cash. Not more than one bank award shall go to one exhibitor and not more than three awards shall be made by this bank. The order above named shall designate precedence. The winning corn must be grown by the exhibitor—a resident of the county in which this bank is located.

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STATEMENT

of the condition of the

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organized under the laws of Iowa, located at Klemme, in the county of Hancock, at the close of business on the 22nd day of Aug., A. D., 1907, made to the Auditor of State as required by law.

ASSETS

Amount of Bills, Bonds and other evidences of debt discounted or purchased actually owned by the Bank (carried out)		$107,067 57
Amount of cash on hand described as follows:		
Gold coin,		
Silver coin and bullion	467 07	
Legal tender and national bank notes and subsidar coin	2,618 00	
Drafts and checks on other solvent banks and other cash items not dishonored on hand and belonging to the bank	767 68	3,385 68
		3,852 75
Amount subject to be drawn at sight on deposit with solvent banks or bankers (specifying names and locations of the banks):		
Continental Nat'l Bk. Chicago, Ill.	1,803 47	
Merchants Nat'l Bk. Cedar Rapids, Iowa	820 79	
Drovers Deposit National Bk Chicago, Ill	2,337 98	
Farmers Nat'l Bk. Garner, Iowa	2,975 82	
Century Savings Bk. Des Moines, Iowa	835 73	8,773 79
Overdrafts secured		1,242 87
Value of real property (owned by the Bank)	8,963 57	
Value of personal property [owned by the bank]	1,784 92	10,748 49
Total assets		131,685 47

LIABILITIES

Amount of capital stock actually paid up in cash		15,000 00
Total amount due depositors, as follows:		
Amount sight deposits	50,517.50	
Amount time deposits	61,872.11	112,389.61
Indebtedness of every kind, due banks, bankers, or persons other than regular depositors:		
Bills payable		
Surplus fund	4,000 00	
Other profits on hand (after deducting taxes and expenses)	295 86	4,295 86
Total Liabilities		131,685 47
Amount of all liabilities to the Bank on part of its directors:		
As borrowers	4,943 85	
As endorsers	3,767 95	8,711 80

STATE OF IOWA } ss.
HANCOCK COUNTY. }

We, W. R. Bloom, President, D. D. Ross, Vice President and P. M. Griesemer, Cashier, of the Bank above named, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is full, true and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief, that the assets therein set forth are bona fide the property of said Bank in its corporate capacity and that no part of the same has been loaned or advanced to said Bank for the purpose of being exhibited as a portion of its assets.

W. R. BLOOM, President.
D. D. ROSS, Vice President.
P. M. GRIESEMER, Cashier.

SEAL

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence by W. R. Bloom D. D. Ross and P. M. Griesemer, this 28th day of August, A. D. 1907.

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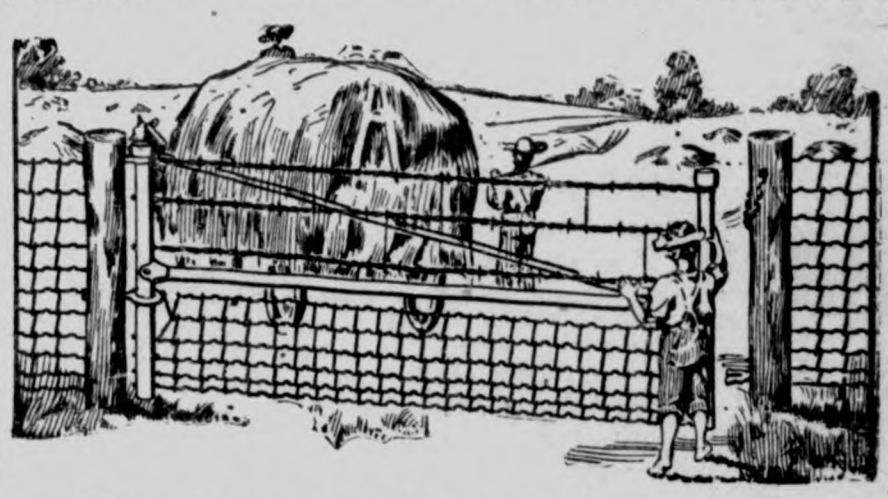

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Literary Criticism.

Mr. Shan F. Bullock complains that literary criticism is becoming namby-pamby. "Considerateness" is the prevailing fashion in it. One English journal, noted for its trenchant reviews of books, was rebuked for its harshness the other day by a brother editor, who innocently observed that the publishers would soon cease sending volumes for notice, if nicer things were not said about them. Critics must be "considerate." This is a variant of the old phrase to the effect that they must be "constructive." Honestly interpreted, that meant that the author must be coddled, not told of his faults; and that the public must be fed on sugar-plums, not warned of impure or indigestible food. Considerateness, as Mr. Bullock remarks, is a most excellent thing. We ought all to be as kind as we can. But there are higher virtues, sterner obligations. One of them is to be sincere. And if a critic feels that he is set for the defense of the truth, and has a literary standard to maintain, instead of merely making himself a bait for advertisements, he will often discover that the truest kindness is to be severe. The older and more savage criticism may have sometimes been unfair, but at any rate it was never insipid or dull. This, says the New York Post, cannot be said of the new style of "considerate" criticism. It may create new geniuses every week, out of the most unpromising material, and may note the appearance of 20 masterpieces in a single publishing season, but it certainly does cloy one. It makes many of us look back, with Mr. Bullock, "longingly" to the old "ramping days of Henley," the "roaring Nineties," when "the artists of the rapier and the bludgeon had their way."

The common custom of that part of the world which calls itself civilized is to seclude its choicest art products in museums and galleries, where they are seen only by the small proportion of people willing to go out of their way and to spend time and money in visiting them. Japan and some other countries, which, according to prevailing Anglo-Saxon ideas, have not yet fully emerged from a state of barbarism, have made art a part of the common life, so that even the humblest citizen is familiar with beautiful handwork. It has occurred to some leaders of thought in Denmark that acquaintance with artistic achievements should belong to the general education, and to that end a plan is being developed for displaying the work of Danish railroad stations. If the scheme materializes it will be interesting to watch results. At least the public will learn to know what artists are doing, and if it is really true that art, hung on the walls, is educative and uplifting, then people will derive a benefit they do not get from museums.

Berlin has recently been astonished by the appearance of messenger boys in the American style, to take the place in some respects of the red-capped Dienstmanner who have so long done the errands of that city. At a loss for a word to describe these new arrivals, the Berlin public has had to use the English words, after trying all sorts of substitutes, such as Eilbuben (Hurry-boys)—which plainly does not apply; and Berliner Blitzhasen (lightning hares)—obviously sarcastic. But "Messenger boys" is a pretty hard combination for the Berliners to master, and it is rapidly becoming Messing-boys, which, literally translated, means "boys of brass"—by no means an ill-fitting designation if the Berlin youngsters, are like their New York confreres. At first the general public mistook them for English naval cadets or a new division of the Salvation Army. Now their mission is recognized, and so far as the experiment has gone, they bid fair to become a permanent institution.

The Kokomo movement for a special fee from lovers who use the telephone lines will meet general approval, remarks the Indianapolis Star. On party lines it has become an insufferable nuisance. If they ever said anything worth while it would be different, but to keep a dozen people hanging to receivers in hopes of useful information and give them only "sweet nothings" is an imposition that calls for redress.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

ALLISON IS CANDIDATE.

Definite Statement Is Given Out At Dubuque.

Dubuque.—Senator William B. Allison Thusrday announced that he will be a candidate to succeed himself in the United States senate. The senator gave a formal announcement of his candidacy to The Associated Press in the following words:

"The Associated Press is authorized to announce that I will be a candidate before the primaries for the republican nomination for the United States senate to succeed myself.

"I have invariably so indicated to friends when interrogated on the subject, and I have supposed it generally so understood throughout the state that I was a candidate for reelection; but it having been intimated in certain quarters lately that there was doubt on the subject, I feel that justice to all calls for this definite statement."

While there has been little doubt in Dubuque that the senior Iowa senator would be a candidate, yet the friends of the senator are glad of the explicit announcement. It is believed here that the senator has been advised by political friends that further delay in the matter would injure his prospects and it is stated that others besides National Committeeman Hart of Council Bluffs have urged him to come out.

It is thought by his friends that the announcement will end newspaper gossip of potential candidacies of all other besides that of Governor Cummins, and it is at least hoped so by his friends. No statements are forthcoming as to how active a campaign the senator will pursue, but it is confidently believed that he will take the stump if his opponent does and that consummation is generally expected here.

Those not committed to the senator will hasten to point out that if doubt has arisen, it is because the senator has delayed making a definite public statement up to this time.

EXPLOSION IN CEDAR FALLS.

Fire Broke Out and Completed Awful Destruction.

Cedar Falls.—An explosion in the Sheerer Hardware company's store here Sunday night, wrecked that and two other buildings and started a blaze that has already done damage to the extent of practically $110,000.

The explosion occurred shortly after 10 o'clock and at midnight, though the flames are under control, it is impossible to accurately estimate the loss. Three of Cedar Falls' finest building are heaps of ruins. Windows are broken througout that section of the town and other buildings in the vicinity are damaged by heat and water. It is said that the insurance on the buildings and contents will not cover more than two-thirds the loss.

The origin of the flames, aside from the fact that it was an explosion in the hardware store, is not known. It is believed by many that a quantity of dynamite that was kept in stock in some manner was jarred, causing it to explode. Another theory is that escaping gas ignited and set fire to the building, setting off the dynamite.

CONTRACTOR LOST TO SIGHT.

Burlington Man Mysteriously Disappears in Middle of the Day.

Burlington.—Robert Newbanks, one of the best known contractors in the city, has disappeared and his whereabouts are a mystery. He was last seen a day or so ago, but he dropped out of sight in the midst of superintending the erection of the Churchill building. His son has about concluded that his father has become mentally unbalanced and wandered away in that condition and will no doubt turn up at some time in the near future ready for business but with no knowledge of his career during the time he was among the missing. It is now known Newbanks has been worrying considerably about the Churchill contract. He is an energetic man, of rather nervous temperament. If he had any object in disappearing he would have no doubt taken a different method than he did going away in midday, wearing his working clothes.

Sues Estate of Host.

Ottumwa.—Fred Stevens, whose wife and little daughter were drowned in the launch disaster here on the night of Aug| 1, has filed suits in the district court against the Powell estate for alleged damages to the extent of $20,000. The suits are against George Haw, Jr., administrator of the estate of W. H. Powell, andC. O. Arnold, adminstrator of the estate of Hallie Powell. In his petitions Stevens claims criminal negligence on the part of the Powels in failing to equip their launch with an anchor and other precautionary appliances. Each suit is for $10000. The Powells all perished in the launch disaster along with Stevens' wife and child.

BUXTON MINERS STRIKE.

Bad Ventilation in Mines Camplaint Made.

Buxton.—Fifteen hundred miners employed in the mines in this city and vicinity have struck. Bad ventilation in the mines which the men claim the companies have persistently refused to remedy are given as the grounds for the strike. The strike was determined upon at a mass meeting of miners. Indications are that the strike will be of short duration for officers of the companies have signified their willingness to meet the miners this afternoon and arrange for an adjustment of the troubles complained of. Edwin Perry, president of the miners' federation, and Vice President W. W. Wise, both of Oskaloosa, are to arrive this afternoon and assist in the adjustment of the differences. It is expected that the men will go back to work in the morning.

ROOT INSISTS ON OWN PLAN.

Instructs Delegates Not to Vote.

The Hague, Aug. 24.—General Horace Porter at yesterday's session of the committee charged with the examination of obligatory arbitration proposals announced that Secretary Root had instructed the American delegation not to vote on the lists prepared by the various powers giving the subjects they would agree invariably to submit to arbitration, but to insist on the American proposition regarding general arbitration as being more likely to be approved and also to keep the proposition regarding international debts separate from obligatory arbitration.

MOWER CUT FOOT OFF.

Was Cutting Weeds Along Illinois Central Right of Way.

Fort Dodge.—Charles Bedel, a farmer, aged about 65 years, living at Breda this state while mowing the right of way along the Illinois Central near Yetter, was fatally cut on the leg. The machine had become clogged and the farmer was attempting to remedy the trouble when the horses started and the knives of the mower cut deep into his leg near the ankle, nearly severing the foot. Tying the wound as best he could, he hurried for medical aid and the cut was dressed. Later the man was put aboard a train and brought to this city. The loss of blood and the shock proved too much for him and he died on the way from the depot to the city hospital. The remains were taken back to Breda and the funeral will be held there. He is survived by a wife and family. His wife and brother accompaned him to this city.

LIGHTNING STRIKES HAY LOFT

Wealthy Farmer and Son of Sheffield Meet Instant Death.

Sheffield.—August Storck, a prominent and wealthy farmer living two miles east of town, and son, Harvey, were instantly killed by lightning Wednesday. Mr. Stock and son were up in the hay loft trying to shut a large door and another son, Otto, was at the bottom of the barn pulling on a rope trying to help them. The lightning hit the father and son in the top of the barn, killing them instantly. It also ran down the rope, burnng Otto's hands and side. Seeing the barn on fire, Otto rushed to the loft and threw the dead bodies of his father and brother downstairs, then carrying them away from the burning building, he ran into the barn and loosened the horses and drove out the cattle. The clothing on the father was partly torn off, and the boy's clothing was completely torn to shreds. The barn was built about four year ago, at a cost of over two thousand dollars and it was insured in the County Mutual for $1,700.

MOVILLE LAD IS A RUNAWAY.

Skips Out When Grandmother Comes to See Him.

Moville.—Frank Condit is looking for his 16-year-old son, Christie, who has run away from home. Advertisements say that the lad's grandmother Mrs. Louise Condit, of Des Moines 71 years of age, and feeble, has come here to see him and is greatly depressed because he cannot be found. Since the boy's mother died, eight years ago, the grandmother has shown a special interest in him. He was last heard from a few weeks ago when he was employed on the farm of Bert Mahin, south of here. Young Condit has run away several times before.

Flames Ravage Mason City.

Mason City.—The mammoth barn at the Northwestern States Cement plant was destroyed by fire at 5 o'clock Thursday. The loss is estimated at $8,000. A vast quantity of hay, grain, harness wagons and other articles besides neighboring cottages were consumed. A terrific wind drove the flames across the road to the smaller buildings. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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SOLDIERS ARE ASKED FOR

WIRE COMPANIES APPEAL TO MISSISSIPPI GOVERNOR.

Claim Their Officers Are In Danger — Citizens of Greenwood Threaten Manager.

Jackson, Miss. — Gov. Vardaman was asked Thursday to call out troops to protect the telegraph offices at Holly Springs, Grenada and Greenwood. The appeal was made by Supt. Terhune of the Western Union company, who said the operators had been driven from the office in the two towns first named and that the manager at Greenwood had been threatened and abused by the citizens of that place.

The governor replied that Supt. Terhune should appeal to the courts, and if they are unable to enforce the law, he will adopt special measures for protection.

President Small's Challenge.

Chicago. — Officials of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies were called upon Thursday to prove to the public their oft-repeated claims that they are handling all their business satisfactorily.

President Small of the Telegraphers' union said the companies were not telling the truth, and he challenged them to throw open their operating-rooms for inspection by an impartial committee of business men, that the public might know the real facts about existing conditions.

Mr. Small says such a committee will find the operating-rooms filled with managers of branch offices, company officials and dummies, with here and there a "real operator," and that only such business as makes the best showing of results—the tickers and the work of the great business houses—is being cared for, while the public at large is not getting service.

When President Small's suggestion was conveyed to the company officials the statement was made that investigation must be made from outside the operating-rooms, and the decision must rest with the business community at large, which, they assert, is regaining confidence and turning in more and more business.

EX-SPEAKER MILLER IS DEAD.

Was Driven from Chair When Mueller Bill Was Passed in 1903.

St. Louis. — John Henry Miller of McLeansboro, Ill., who was speaker of the Illinois house of representatives in 1903, when the Mueller law was passed, died here at the Washington hotel of acute pancreatic affection. He came here ten days ago from Chicago.

Miller was driven from the speaker's chair to permit the passage of the Mueller enabling law in a tempestuous session. He was literally chased out of the assembly hall by infuriated members, after the gavel had been snatched from his shaking hands.

Several of Miller's friends shielded him from from the fists of the irate members, but a score were hurt in the melee, and when it was all over, "Charlie" Allen was chosen speaker pro tem. and the Mueller law was passed.

Try to Dynamite Train.

Cripple Creek, Col.—An attempt was made about noon Thursday to blow up the incoming Short Line passenger train with dynamite at St. Peter's Dome, midway between Cripple Creek and Colorado Springs. Every window in the last car was broken. A similar attempt was made to blow up the same train at Duffield Wednesday. The dynamiters escaped, but the sheriff is on their trail.

MORE MONEY IN LOW FARES.

Effect of the Two-Cent Law in Minnesota Shown.

St. Paul, Minn.—Though the injunction suits now in the federal court in which the state has been made a defendant are principally directed at the commodity rate law, the two-cent passenger law is also involved and, in anticipation of trouble, Attorney General Young and his assistants have just compiled figures covering the passenger law that are startling.

The figures are the roads' own compilations, furnished at the request of the railway and warehouse commission, and show that the two-cent passenger law, instead of being confiscatory, is directly the reverse. The figures furnished the commission are the passenger revenues for the months of May and June, and compared with an average two months' business for the previous year, show a marked increase for all roads with the exception of three, the Soo, Minneapolis & St. Louis and the Great Western.

STRIKERS TO STATE CASE.

President Small Decides to Hold Monster Mass Meeting.

Chicago.—A monster mass meeting at which the cause of the striking telegraphers is to be laid before the business men of Chicago has been decided on by President Small of the Commercial Telegraphers' union.

Mr. Small said Friday that as the time had come when both sides were determined, and it might seem to the public that the strikers' attitude was mere stubbornness, the telegraphers should go before the community and present their case fully.

The plan was taken up by Mr. Small as the result of a private conversation in which President Sager, of the board of trade, expressed a desire to look at the case from the point of view of the telegraphers, and said that he would attend one of their meetings.

INSANE PRISONERS SHOT.

Desperate Outbreak in Clinton Prison At Dannemora, N. Y.

Schenectady, N. Y.—One of the worst outbreaks among the insane prisoners in the history of Clinton prison at Dannemora occurred Wednesday night. As a result Isaac DuBois, one of the inmates, is dead, shot through the heart by a guard.

The insane prisoners were being marshalled for bed when at a given signal they rushed into the two big lower dormitories and slammed the doors in the faces of the guards. Having locked the doors they proceeded to set about making their escape by smashing the doors and sawing the bars. The guards were finally obliged to use rifles and pistols and it was after midnight before the uprising was quelled. Besides DuBois, who was killed, several other prisoners were seriously wounded.

Forest Fires in Michigan.

Marquette, Mich. — Serious forest fires have been raging in the western end of the upper peninsula during the last week. Reports from various localities indicate that much timber has been burned. The damage will run into the millions. A number of logging camps have been destroyed with their equipments.

Baby Drowns In Can of Milk.

Washington, Pa.—Raymond Lane, one year old, fell head foremost into a full can of milk in his father's dairy while no one was about. The child was wedged fast and was drowned.

THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES
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CHAPTER XXII.—Continued.

She swung the lantern at arm's length back and forth so that its rays at every forward motion struck my face like a blow.

"It isn't exactly pleasant in this cavern. Unless you wish to turn me over to the lord high executioner, I will bid you good night."

"But the infamy of this—of coming in here to spy upon me—to help my enemy—the man who is seeking plunder—doesn't seem to trouble you."

"No. Not a particle!" she replied quietly, and then, with an impudent fling, "Oh, no!" she held up the lantern to look at the wick. "I'm really disappointed to find that you were a little ahead of me, Squire Glenarm. I didn't give you credit for so much—perseverance. But if you have the notes—"

"The notes! He told you there were notes, did he? The coward sent you here to find them, after his other tools failed him?"

She laughed that low laugh of hers that was like the bubble of a spring.

"Of course no one would dare deny what the great Squire Glenarm says," she said witheringly.

"You can't know what your perfidy means to me," I said. "That night at the Armstrongs', I thrilled at the sight of you. As you came down the stairway I thought of you as my good angel and I belonged to you,—all my life, the better future that I wished to make for your sake."

"Please don't!" she exclaimed sorsowfully, the mirth all gone. I felt that my words had touched her; that there were regret and repentance in her tone and in the gesture with which she turned from me.

She hurried down the passage toward the chapel, swinging the lantern at her side, and I followed, still mystified, and angered by her composure. She even turned, with pretty courtesy, to hold the light for me at the crypt steps,—a service that I accepted perforce and with joyless acquiescence in the irony of it. I knew that I did not believe in her; her conduct as to Pickering was utterly indefensible,—I could not forget that; but the light of her eyes, her tranquil brow, the sensitive lips, whose mockery stung and pleased in a breath,—by such testimony my doubts were alternately reinforced and disarmed. Swept by these changing moods I followed her out into the crypt.

"You seem to know a good deal about this place, and I suppose I can't object to your familiarizing yourself with your own property. And the notes—I'll give myself the pleasure of handing them to you to-morrow. You can cancel them and give them to Mr. Pickering,—a fitting pledge between you!"

I thrust my hands into my pockets to give an impression of ease I did not possess.

"Yes," she remarked in a practical tone; "$320,000 dollars is no mean sum of money. Mr. Pickering will undoubtedly be delighted to have his debts canceled—"

"In exchange for a life of devotion," I sneered. "So you knew the sum—the exact amount of these notes. He hasn't served you well. He should have told you that we found them to-day."

"You are not nice, are you, Squire Glenarm, when you are cross? But Mr. Pickering wasn't kind not to tell me. Why, I might catch a dreadful cold down here!"

She was like Olivia now. I felt the utter futility of attempting to reason with a woman who could become a child at will. She walked up the steps and out into the church vestibule. Then before the outer door she spoke with decision.

"We part here, if you please! And—I have not the slightest intention of trying to explain my errand into that passage. You have jumped to your own conclusion, which will have to serve you. I advise you not to think very much about it,—to the exclusion of more important business,—Squire Glenarm!"

She lifted the lantern to turn out its light, and it made a glory of her face, but she paused and held it toward me.

"Pardon me! You will need this to light you home."

"But you must not cross the park alone!"

"Good night! Please be sure to close the door to the passage when you go down. You are a dreadfully heedless person, Squire Glenarm."

She flung open the outer chapel door and ran along the path toward St. Agatha's. I watched her in the starlight until a bend in the path hid her swift-moving figure.

Down through the passage I hastened, her lantern lighting my way. At the Door of Bewilderment I closed the opening, setting up the line of wall as we had left it in the afternoon, and then I went back to the library, freshened the fire and brooded before it until Bates came to relieve me at dawn.

CHAPTER XXIII.

Besieged.

It was nine o'clock. We had swallowed some breakfast, though I believe no one had manifested an appetite, and we were cheering ourselves with the idlest talk possible. Stoddard, who had been to the chapel for his usual seven o'clock service, was deep in the pocket Greek testament he always carried.

Bates ran in to report a summons at the outer wall, and Larry and I went together to answer it, sending Bates to keep watch toward the lake.

Our friend, the sheriff, with a deputy, was outside in a buggy. He stood up and talked to us over the wall.

"You gents understand that I'm only doing my duty. It's an unpleasant business, but the court orders me to eject all trespassers on the premises, and I've got to do it."

"The law is being used by an infamous scoundrel to protect himself. I don't intend to give in. We can hold out here for three months, if necessary, and I advise you to keep away and not act as a tool for a man like Pickering."

The sheriff listened respectfully, resting his arms on top of the wall.

"You ought to understand, Mr. Glenarm, that I ain't the court; I'm the sheriff, and it's not for me to pass on these questions. I've got my orders and I've got to enforce 'em, and I hope you will not make it necessary for me to use violence. The judge said to me, 'We deplore violence in such cases.' Those were his honor's very words."

"You may give his honor my compliments and tell him that we are sorry not to see things his way, but there are points involved in this business that he doesn't know anything about, and we, unfortunately, have no time to lay them before him."

The sheriff's seeming satisfaction with his position on the wall and his disposition to parley had begun to arouse my suspicions, and Larry several times exclaimed impatiently at the absurdity of discussing my affairs with a person whom he insisted on calling a constable, to the sheriff's evident annoyance.

"You, sir,—we've got our eye on you, and you'd better come along peaceable. Laurance Donovan; the descriptions fits you to a 't'."

"You could buy a nice farm with that reward, couldn't you—" began Larry, but at that moment Bates ran toward us calling loudly.

"They're coming across the lake, sir," he reported, and instantly the sheriff's head disappeared, and as we ran toward the house we heard his horse pounding down the road toward St. Agatha's.

"The law be damned. They don't intend to come in here by the front door as a matter of law," said Larry. "Pickering's merely using the sheriff to give respectability to his maneuvers."

It was no time for a discussion of motives. We ran across the meadow past the water tower and down to the boat-house. Far out on the lake we saw half a dozen men approaching the Glenarm grounds. They advanced steadily over the light snow that lay upon the ice, one man slightly in advance and evidently the leader.

"It's Morgan," exclaimed Bates. "And there's Ferguson."

Larry chuckled and slapped his thigh.

"Observe that stocky little devil just behind the leader. He's my friend from Scotland Yard. Lads! this is really an international affair."

"Bates, go back to the house and call at any sign of attack," I ordered. "The sheriff's loose somewhere."

"And Pickering is directing his forces from afar," remarked Stoddard.

"I count ten men in Morgan's line," said Larry, "and the sheriff and his deputy make two more. That's 12, not counting Pickering, that we know of on the other side."

"Warn them away before they get much nearer," suggested Stoddard. "We don't want to hurt people if we can help it,"—and at this I went to the end of the pier. Morgan and his men were now quite near, and there was no mistaking their intentions. Most of them carried guns, the others revolvers and long ice hooks.

"Move If You Dare, and I'll Plug You with Your Own Gun."

"Morgan," I called, holding up my hands for a truce, "we wish you no harm, but if you enter these grounds you do so at your peril."

They had paused at a word from Morgan and listened sullenly.

"We're all sworn deputy sheriffs," called the caretaker smoothly. "We've got the law behind us."

"That must be why you're coming in the back way," I replied.

The thickset man whom Larry had identified as the English detective now came closer and addressed me in a high key.

"You're harboring a bad man, Mr. Glenarm. You'd better give him up. I've got my papers and the American law supports me. You'll get yourself into trouble if you protect that man. You may not understand, sir, that he's a very dangerous character."

"Thanks, Davidson!" called Larry. "You'd better keep out of this. You now I'm a bad man with the shillalah!"

"That you are, you blackguard!" yelled the officer, so spitefully that we all laughed.

I drew back to the boat-house.

"They are not going to kill anybody if they can help it," remarked Stoddard, "any more than we are. Even deputy sheriffs are not turned loose to do murder, and the Wabana county court wouldn't, if it hadn't been imposed on by Pickering, lend itself to a game like this. And this business here is only a private affair between Pickering and the sheriff."

"Now we're in for it," yelled Larry; and the 12 men, in close order, came running across the ice toward the shore.

"Open order, and fall back slowly toward the house," I commanded. And we deployed from the boat-house, while the attacking party still clung together,—a strategic error on their side, as Larry assured us.

"Stay together, lads. Don't separate; you'll get lost if you do," he yelled derisively to the enemy.

Stoddard bade him keep still, and we soon had our hands full with a preliminary skirmish. Davidson, the detective, seemed disgusted at Morgan's tactics, openly abused the caretaker, and ran ahead of his column, revolver in hand, bearing down upon Larry, who held our center.

The Englishman's haste was his undoing. A light fall of snow a few days before had gathered in the little hollows of the wood deceptively. The detective plunged into one of these and fell sprawling on all fours—a calamity that caused his comrades to pause uneasily. Larry was upon his enemy in a flash, wrenched his pistol away and pulled the man to his feet.

"Ah, Davidson. There's many a slip! Move, if you dare, and I'll plug you with your own gun." And he stood behind the man, using him as a shield while Morgan and the rest of the army hung near the boat house uncertainly.

"It's the strategic intellect we've captured, general," observed Larry to me. "You see the American invaders were depending on British brains."

Morgan now acted on the hint we had furnished him and sent his men out as skirmishers. The loss of the detective had undoubtedly staggered the caretaker, and we were slowly retreating toward the house, Larry with one hand on the collar of his prisoner and the other grasping the revolver, with which he poked the man frequently in the ribs. We slowly continued our retreat, fearing a rush, which would have disposed of us easily enough if Morgan's company had shown any fighting spirit. Stoddard's presence rather amazed and intimidated them, I think, and I saw that the invaders kept away from his end of the line. We were now far apart, stumbling over the snow-covered earth and calling to one another now and then that we might not become too widely separated. Davidson did not relish his capture by the man he had followed across the ocean, and he attempted once to roar a command to Morgan.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Folding Sheep by Hand

Ab Wade, a well known character of Ashland, Mass., was in his early days a farmer's boy. One day the farmer, a large cattle owner, said:

"Abner, after yer chores is done you jest put th' sheep in fold."

"Yes, zir," replied Ab, in his soprano drawl. Toward sundown the farmer, going around to see that everything was secure, heard the plaintive bleating of a lamb. He located the sound, and ran caross Ab with a ewe across his knee, doing his best to break it in two.

"Confound yer!" roared the farmer, "what yer doin'?"

Ab dropped the bleating lamb and staggered a few feet away from his irate master.

"Well, zir, y' said t' put 'em sheep in fold, an' I was doin' my best without a foldin' machine."

Musicians Black-Ball Strauss.

Like Wagner, Humpendinck and Joachim before him, Richard Strauss, composer of "Salome," and many other noted works, has been rejected as a member of the senate of the Berlin Academy of Arts, an institution corresponding to the French academy. All the sculptors, painters and other artists voted in his favor. The musicians alone black-balled him.

The Walker Family Clashes

John T. Walker, of Turner, Me., is a character whose sayings are reported and whose doings told of pretty much all over that section of the state. Mrs. John, who is, by the way, John's only intellectual peer in those parts, one day discovered a hen's stolen nest containing 14 eggs. Upon examination, however, the eggs proved to be too aged for culinary purposes. Then these two intellects clashed.

Said the lady: "Tha' ain't no use wastin' uv 'em so we might's well set 'em."

"Huh!" retorted John, "what's the usen settin' uv 'em? They won't hatch; an' ef they do they'll all be fools."

IN THE HOUSEHOLD

VARIOUS MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

Special Costume for Wear in Kitchen or While at General Work—Proper Way to Clean Matting—For the Invalid.

The houseworker's costume is now an established thing. All careful women keep special gowns of washable cotton to wear in the kitchen or at their housework. Nothing is smarter than a plain striped or checked calico or gingham, made with a short skirt and simple blouse attached to the skirt band with large pearl buttons. The sleeves are short and not too full, with cuffs that do not get in the way. A simple band is best, and the collar is of the comfortable kind—a Dutch neck or a Peter Pan for hot weather. The buttons hold waist and skirt neatly together, and make the garment one to get into quickly. For such work as frying or mixing dough, a large, capacious, but not too full, apron is worn. The old way of wearing out old clothes and semi-soiled blouses in the kitchen is gone. One cannot wear old clothes at all these days, but must give them away. The gain is perceptible to the receivers, for these rejected garments do not get much worn before they are out of date, and, after all, the family laboratory, where the family food is prepared, is no place for worn finery or soiled, unsuitable clothing. So the gain is in neatness and sweetness, and the greater joy of the rest of the household.

To clean matting, sweep it thoroughly first with a stiff broom, following carefully the grain of the straw, heat up a soft broom in warm water and brush across the grain. Finally wash the matting off with warm water, in which a handful of salt has been dissolved. If light in color borax will aid in brightening and preserving the shade.

For an invalid with literary or artistic taste nothing could be more entertaining that to provide means of extra-illustrating some favorite book. A pile of miscellaneous magazines containing art or scenery articles illustrated with cuts and photographs, a pair of scissors and a roll of narrow gum tissue paper will prove a mine of interest. An article on Cornwall will add realistic views to "Lorna Doone," or "Armorel of Lyonesse," while historical portraits can easily be found for Scott's novels, or modern medieval romances. When chosen to be fastened in the book, a thin strip of the gummed paper will hold it in place. A dollar's worth of penny reproductions of famous pictures is a good prescription for increasing the patient's interest in life.

Forcemeat Pudding.

Soak two tablespoonfuls of tapioca for an hour in enough cold water to cover it. Prepare forcemeat balls by rubbing two tablespoonfuls of butter into two cupfuls of bread crumbs, and mixing with them one small boiled beet, chopped fine; two button onions boiled and minced; a tablespoonful of parsley, and salt and pepper at discretion. Bind the mixture with two well-beaten eggs. Form into rather small balls with the hands and lay in a deep pie dish or shallow pudding dish. Mix with them three hard-boiled eggs cut into small pieces, pour over them the soaked tapioca, cover with pastry and bake.

Egg and Tomato Pudding.

Boil six eggs hard, cut each into eighths, lay them in a well-buttered pudding dish, pour over them two cupfuls of stewed tomatoes, thickened with a tablespoonful of flour rubbed in two tablespoonfuls of butter; season with a teaspoonful of onion juice, pepper and salt; strew the top with bread crumbs and bits of butter and brown in the oven.

Veal Stewed With Parsnips.

Scrape and cut into dice two medium sized parsnips and half a dozen roots of salsify. Pare one celery root and cut it quite fine. In the bottom of a stewpan put four thin slices of salt pork, lay on this one pound of lean veal or a small knuckle, add the vegetables and sufficient boiling water to partly cover. Simmer slowly for two hours, transfer the veal to a hot platter, arrange the vegetables around it, squeeze over it the juice of one-half of a sour orange, and cover it with the hot liquor.

Cherry Salad.

Remove the stones from the cherries and fill the cavities with chopped nut meats. Arrange on a bed of lettuce leaves and select a few handsome cherries from which the stems have not been removed, and use them as a garnish. Serve with the boiled dressing without adding cream, or with a French dressing.

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Checks and other cash items		445 00
Notes of other National banks		112 85
Fractional paper currency nicels and cents		
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Specie	$ 5,046 80	
Legal tender notes	1,130 00	6,176 80
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer		1,250 00
Total		172,537 14

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Capital stock paid in	25,000 00
Surplus fund	601 15
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	1,207 37
National bank notes outstanding	24,406 00
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Hogs	5 40 5.80
Cattle	3.00 to 4.50

LOCAL NEWS

Read the market report.

A few from here attended the dance at Wm. Yohn's last week Friday evening.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

Dewitt's Little Early Risers don't sicken or gripe. Small Pills, easy to take. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Remember the dance at the C. W. Wiles Hall on Saturday evening Aug. 31st. Admission and dance only 50c.

Look here, stock raisers. We have tne Dipolene which is good for hogs, sheep and ary other animals. H. Lau & Son

Keep the pores open and the skin clean when you have a cut, burn, bruise or scratch. Dewitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve penetrates the pores and heals quickly. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

ESTRAY—Came to my farm a week ago one 2-year old red and white heifer. Owner can have same by paying for keeping and advertising. W. S. Glanville.

M. Parker who has been visiting with his mother at Waterville, Kansas the past few weeks, returned Tuesday. On his return he also stopped over in Omaha and other large cities.

John Riha, a prominent dealer of Vining, Ia, says: "I have been selling DeWitts's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. There are a dozen people here who have used them and they give perfect satisfaction in every case. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by J L Harr & Co.

John Bock, Jr. made a renewal on the Times Thursday. John also purchased an organ from Geo. Waterman and will try his skill at music. As Geo. has been making good progress on his new piano Mr. Bock is going to try it on the organ Here's success to both of them.

I'll stop your pain free. To show you first—before you spend a penny—what my pink pain tablets can do I will mail you free a trial package of them—Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Neuralgia, headache, toothache, period pains, etc., are due alone to blood congestion. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets simply kill pain by coaxing away the unnatural blood pressure. That is all. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Sold by All Dealers.

See Ell Bros. for ice.

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

Ell Bros. shipped a car of poultry to Chicago Sunday morning. E. G. went along.

J. A. Young, V. S. of Garner, did some vetinary work at the D. D. Ross farm last week Friday.

Harve Allen, Wm. Quigley and C. W. Wiles are doing the mason work on the N. L. Palmer residence.

J. W. Waterman and son Clarence left last week Saturday for Luzerne, Iowa where they are visiting with relatives.

Rev. Wessel left Tuesday evening for LeMars, Iowa, where he will attend conference. He will preach there Saturday evening.

Grandma Lau and Miss Martha Lau were at Mason City last week Thursday where Mrs. Lau consulted Dr. Murphy in regard to her eyes.

Don't accept a cough cure that you may be told is just as good as Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup, because it isn't just as good—there is quite a difference. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently upon the bowels and clears the whole system of coughs and colds. It promptly relieves inflamation of the throat and allays irritation. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

School opens Monday, Sept. 2 It is hoped that every one intending to enter school will do so the first day. One more grade has been added to the course for this year. Tenth grade pupils should bring Myers General History, Milm's Higher Algebra and Wentworth's Geometry. Ninth grade bring Milm's Elementary Algebra, Iowa and the Nation. Eighth grade bring Montgomer'y History. Any other books may be had after school opens. G. G. Washburn

Free, for catarrh, just to prove merit, a trial size box of Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Let me send it now. It is a snow-white creamy, healing antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as oil eucaliptus, thymol, menthol, etc, it gives instant relief to catarrh of the nose and throat, Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Adress Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50c. Sold by All Dealers.

In this issue of the Times in another column appears a statement of the conditions of the State Savings Bank as reported to the Auditor of State on August 22nd, 1907. This statement shows a marked increase of business and shows that the State Bank is enjoying a conservative and progressive growth. The officers of the bank are to be congratulated upon their good work and commend is unnecessary as the statement itself is evidence of greater commendation then we could express.

I will mail you free to prove merit, samples of my Dr. Shoop's restorative and my book on either dyspepsia, the heart or the kidneys. Troubles of the stomach, heart or kidneys, are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailment and not the cause. Weak stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean stomach weakness, always. And the heart and kidneys as well have their controling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves, and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the inside nerves. Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's restorative. Write me to day for sample and free book. Dr. Shoop Racine, Wis. The restorative is sold by All Dealers.

STOP

I am not only in the painting business, but am also prepared to take your pictures. Copying a specialty. Prices reasonable.

JOE MILLER.

Read the Klemme Times ad. opposite local page.

Get your refrigerater filled with ice regulary by Ell Bros.

G. A. Griswold and wife of Garner, drove to Klemme last Sunday.

Arthur Wellemeyer and John Baumgartner were at Garner Monday.

Thos. Monaghen of Goodell, was transacting business in this vicinity Tuesday.

Now is the time of the year to buy cream separators and gas enginesat H. Lau & Son tf.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

In another column appears the statement of the First National Bank. This bank also shows an increase of business and growth.

I will have a very fine display of fall and winter millinery. First showing of street hats about Aug. 31st. An apprentice wanted to learn millinery apply at once. Mrs. J. Josten.

A surprise party was given at the W. R. Bloom residence Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Gail Bloom and her cousin Johnnie Adams. All their playmates were invited and a pleasant evening was spent. Ice cream, cake and other good things were served after which the youngsters departed for their homes.

Following are the names of those who won prizes for largest loads of poultry brought in last week with the number of pounds brought by each:

Frank Yahnke	1st,	$5.00	488 lbs.
Wm. Schlawein	2nd	3.00	336 "
Jno. Bock	3rd	2.00	274 "

We will load another car before long, watch for our advertising. It will pay you to sell to us. At present we are paying 9c for hens, 10c for springs, 7½c for ducks and 4c for roosters. These prices are good up to and including Wednesday, Sept. 4th.

Miss Rosa Herz formerly living in Hancock county but now of Vivian, S. Dak., was in Klemme visiting her acquaintances. This office also received a friendly call. Miss Herz took up a claim in S. Dak. and now has a deed of 160 acres. She says that she got used to the frontier life and she looks the pink of health. We wish her success.

Those who have stomach trouble no matter how slight should give every possible help to the digestive organs so that food may be digested with the least effort. This may be done by taking something that contains natural digestive properties—something like Kodol for indigestion and dyspepsia. Kodol is a preparation of vegetable acids and contains the very same Juices found in a healthy stomach. It digests what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

More hitching posts are being placed on our side streets and the hitching rings on main street are being removed. Some of the rings were removed willingly and some mysteriously, however it is a good idea as there is more room now for traffic when teams are not hitched on main street and less accidents, especially when an automobile passes thru' main street. Other towns have done likewise and found it to be a good idea.

We call your attention to Joe Miller's ad. on local page.

Wellemeyer's ad. is well worth the time reading this week.

Joe Miller made us a kind renewal on the Times this week.

Rev. Wm. Koerner arrived from Reinbeck, Iowa, Monday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Fred Ridder, Aug. Ridder and Chas. Stiehl left for Des Moines Monday evening where they are taking in the State Fair.

We never repent of eating too little was one of the ten rules of life of Thomas Jefferson, president of the United States, and the rule applies to every one without exception during this hot weather, because it is hard for food even in small quantities, to be digested when the blood is at high temperature. At this season we should eat sparingly and properly. We should also help the stomach as much as possible by the use of a little Kodol For Indigestion and Dyspepsia, which will rest the stomach by digesting the food itself. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Hancock County Fair at Britt Sept. 3, 4, 5. The race program:

Second day—Wednesday, Sept. 4, '07

2:30 pace	$200.00
County harness race, pace or trot	$100
Farmers running race	$25

Third day—Thursday, Sept. 5th, '07

2:15 pace	$250.00
2:25 trot	$200.00
Hhal mile running and repeat	$75.00

Notice—PAY UP.

All parties owing me on account MUST settle by cash or notes on or before Sept. 5th.

DR. GEO. ZINN.

ECZEMA.

For the good of those suffering with eczema or other such trouble, I wish to say, my wife had something of that kind and after using the doctors remedies for some time concluded to try Chamberlain's salve and it proved to be better than anything she had tried For sale by J L Harr & Co.

A Genuine Japanese Entertainment.

Misses S. Murota and T. Hori and Mr. C. Kondo, Tokyo, Japan will give their Japanese entertainment at the Eng. M. E. church Thursday, Sept. 5. The program is as follows:

1—Tableux represented by Misses Murota and Hori.

a. Japanese table manners. Scene inside of dining room in their native ways.

b. Guest receiving. Scene in parlor, salutation, sitting, talking, tea drinking, etc.

c. Japanese wedding scene.

2—Japanese girls and women with stereopticon views by Miss Hori.

3—Japanese songs by three.

4—Old and new Japan by Kondo.

5—Motion pictures from Japan.

The two girls are the students of Cornell College at present. The Japanese tea party is also given by them in the afternoon at the church from 4 to 5. They charge no admission for the party but will exhibit many Japanese curios. Everybody is cordially invited. Mr. Kondo is a graduate student at our State University of Iowa and he excels as a public speaker.

Their entertainment is highly recommended by the pastors and the papers where they have been. It will certainly be a life character. Be sure and bring your sweet heart with you.

Go to the parsonage and buy your tickets before the entertainment.

Adults 20c	Children 10c
At door adults 25c	Children 15c

EVERYBODY SHOULD KNOW

says C G Haes a prominent business man of Rluff, Mo. that Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the quickest and surest healing salve ever applied to a sore, burn or wound or to a case of piles. I used it and know what I'm talking about. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. druggists, 25c.

POULTRY MARKET AT ELL BROS.

Good until Wednesday, 9, 4th

Hens	9c
Spring chickens	10c
Old roosters	4c
Ducks young and fat	7½c
Geese	5c

ATTENTION!

We buy hogs six days in the week, but want them delivered only on Tuesdays and Saturdays of each week. Highest market price will be paid for hogs and all kinds of grain, also No. 1 hard and soft coal for sale at bottom prices at the North Elevator. Yours for business.

AUG. LAU & SON.

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that I am in the junk business I have been buying in this vicinity for years.

I buy iron, metals, rags and rubbers. I pay cash, no tin ware exchanged for your goods.

Address me at Goodell, Ia.

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J. F. NISSEN

Say! Where are you going to have your blacksmithing done?

Why at J. F. Nissen, ofcourse. He can do my blacksmithing good enough for me and in fact good enough for anybody.

He also has a good wood shop in connection. Give him a trial he will surely please you and satisfaction guaranteed.

J. E. BAUMGARTNER

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Will give you an easy shave or a nea hair cut.

Good Bath Room In Connection.

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THE LIMIT OF LIFE.

The most eminent medical scientists are unanimous in the conclusion that the generally accepted limitation of human life is many many years below the attainment possible with the advanced knowledge of which the race is now possessed. The critical period that determines its duration seems to be between 50 and 60, the proper care of the body during this decade cannot be too strongly urged, carelessness then being fatal to longevity. Natures best helperr after 50 is Electric Bitters the scientific tonic medicine that revitalizes every organ of the body. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. druggists. 50c.

It Cures While You Walk.

Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for hot, sweating, callous, and swollen, aching feet. Sold by all Druggists. Price 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Few Runaways in New York.

Although New York is a "hitching postless" city there are fewer runaway horses in its streets than in the average city of one-tenth of its population.

Busy Diamond Industry.

There is a factory in Amsterdam, Holland, which cuts and polishes 400,000 diamonds annually. About 20 women do most of the actual cutting of the stones.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Places of Interest Neglected.

Two of the most attractive places for instruction in New York city are the Metropolitan Museum of Art and the American Museum of Natural History, yet there are thousands of residents of New York who have never been in them, and more than half of their daily visitors are strangers in the city.

Sheer white goods, in fact, any fine wash goods when new, owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equally satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work.

Peculiar Medical Remedy.

It was stated at an inquest on a peasant in a Servian village that the man died from swallowing too many bullets, which he was accustomed to take, in common with all the peasants in that district whenever he felt ill.

Bobbin Boys' Wages.

John B. Lennon, treasurer of the American Federation of Labor, delivered recently an address on strikes.

Turning to the amusing features of the strike question, Mr. Lennon said:

"I remember a strike of bobbin boys, a just strike, and one that succeeded. These boys conducted their fight well, even brilliantly. Thus the day they turned out they posted in the spinning room of their employers' mill a great placard inscribed with the words:

"'The wages of sin is death, but the wages of the bobbin boys is worse.'"

Punctured His Eloquence.

A lawyer in Johnstown, N. Y., while defending a little boy who had been apprehended in the act of making a surreptitious entrance under the fair grounds fence, drew for the jury a most pathetic picture of the prisoner's "poor old widowed mother with the tears streaming down her face and her gray head bowed in sorrow at the thought of her little boy being incarcerated." The youthful offender cut in at this point with "Please, sir, Mr. Lawyer, my mother ain't a widow." "Shut up, darn you," said the lawyer. "I'm trying this case, not you."—Law Notes.

It's a Good Time now

to see what a good "staying" breakfast can be made without high-priced

Meat

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A Little Fruit,
A Dish of Grape-Nuts and Cream,
A Soft-Boiled Egg,
Some Nice, Crisp Toast,
Cup of Postum Food Coffee.

That's all, and all very easy of digestion and full to the brim with nourishment and strength.

REPEAT FOR LUNCHEON OR SUPPER,

and have a meat and vegetable dinner either at noon or evening, as you prefer.

We predict for you an increase in physical and mental power.

"There's a Reason."

Read the "little health classic," "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

FATAL EXPLOSION

ITALIANS FEAR REPETITION OF EARTHQUAKE AND STAMPEDE

USE KNIVES IN MAD RUSH

Shock of Explosion at Dupont Works Frightens Employes at Canning Factory Miles Away.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 26.—Three tons of nitroglycerin exploded at the Dupont Powder company's works at Sobrante bay, sixteen miles north of Berkley today, killing two persons there, destroying three buildings and causing a frenzied fight among Italian laborers at the factory of the Fruit Canneries association, several miles distant.

When the shock of the first explosion was felt at the canning factory, several men rushed out into the street to investigate the cause. They reentered the building and cried that it was an earthquake. There was a general rush for the doors and a second and third explosion followed, throwing the Italian laborers into a panic.

Men and women fought to escape from the building, fearing a recurrence of the horrors of the recent earthquake. Knives were drawn and men cut and slashed their way to the exits, tramping the injured under their feet.

At least thirteen persons were badly injured but, though many of the knife wounds are serious, it is believed that none will prove fatal. Six of the injured are women. They were taken to the Central Emergency hospital, where it was found that one, whose name cannot be learned, is suffering from internal injuries, the result of being trampled upon. Another's skull is fractured from a blow.

At the Dupont Powder works the wreck is almost complete. Two men are dead, others are injured and the monetary loss is estimated at $50,000.

TAFT AGAINST ADOPTION.

Advises Oklahomans to Reject Guthrie Document.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 26.—Secertary of War Taft in a speech here Saturday night in Convention hall to 10,000 persons advised the citizens of Oklahoma and Indian territory to reject the constitution recently adopted by the convention at Guthrie for the proposed new state of Oklahoma and declared that the next session of congress would pass a new enabling act.

Secretary Taft explained with emphasis that he was not here as the representative of President Roosevelt and the views he expressed were entirely his own and in no sense should be considered as being inspired by the president. The greater part of Secretary Taft's address was confined to state issues. The warmth with which he spoke against the adoption of the constitution was a surprise to most of the party leaders present.

Secretary Taft discussed national issues along the same lines as in the Ohio speech.

Secretary Taft took up the tariff and reiterated his former statements regarding a revision of it, the policy with respect to the dependencies in the Philippines, the question of whether we should have government ownership or railway regulation, the treatment by the present administration of trusts, the foreign policy and the navy, and urged the new state of Oklahoma to range itself under the progressive principles of Theodore Roosevelt, who did things, rather than in the ranks of a party of inefficiency and negation like the democracy which had the support only of the state of the solid south, united by the ghost of a past issue in the unfounded fear of so-called "negro domination."

COMMENDS SECRETARY'S ACTION

Cortelyou to Help During Crop Moving Period.

Wahington, D. C., Aug. 26.—Controller of Currency Ridgley, in a statement, commends as wise and timely Secretary Cortelyou's plans for preventing a serious money stringency in the crop moving period by depositing public funds from week to week for some time with national banks.

He says one of the great disturbing actors in the annual crop moving stringency has been the uncertainty as to when and how the secretary of the treasury would take action and that it is sometimes charged that all rates have been manipulated to fictitious heights to force action. This Secretary Cortelyou has prevented by anticipating the needs of the crop moving season, and telling just what he would do to relieve those needs. Mr. Ridgley thinks there is no need for apprehension in the present financial situaton.

Noel Nomination Conceded.

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 26.—Hon. E. R. Noel of Holmes county has been nominated for governor of Mississippi in the democratic primary held in Mississippi last Thursday. Earl Brewer, his opponent, in an address to the people of Mississippi, concedes the nomination of Noel and asks all the democrats to support him. The nomination is equivalent to an election.

CALLS THE NEGROES GUILTY

GEN. MYER'S REPORT TOUCHES ON BROWNSVILLE AFFAIR.

Garrison Removed From Fort Brown as Result—Commander Urges Better Pay and Canteen.

Washington. — That Brig. Gen. Albert L. Myer, commanding the department of Texas, thinks the colored troops "shot up" Brownsville, Tex., last August is shown by his annual report. After calling the affray "a lamentable occurrence which is still shrouded in mystery to a great extent," he says:

"However, it seems to have been established that on the night in question a few enlisted men of the first battalion, Twenty-fifth infantry, then garrisoning Fort Brown, did go armed into Brownsville and do some promiscuous firing resulting in the death of one civilian, one horse and the wounding of one policeman. It has been impossible to identify the individuals who actually did the firing. Undoubtedly there was at the time mutually bad blood between a part of the garrison of Fort Brown and some of the citizens of Brownsville and this fact must, to some extent, account for the occurrence."

As a result of the occurrence, Fort Brown has been deprived of a garrison and the reservation has been temporarily transferred to the department of agriculture.

In line with other department commanders, Gen. Myer takes the ground that the pay of enlisted men should be increased, particularly of non-commissioned officers. He favors legislation increasing the infantry by at least ten regiments of full peace strength, and he declares that the continuing absence of so many officers renders more apparent and evident the necessity for some legislation giving two officers at least to a company or troop at all times.

Gen. Myer renews the recommendation of most of his predecessors relative to the removal of the canteen restrictions on the sale of malt liquors. He says there has been about 8 per cent. decrease in the number of trials by court martial, and the number of trials for desertion far exceeds that of any other crime or charge.

EDDY CASE ENDS SUDDENLY.

"Next Friends" File Motion to Dismiss Their Plea.

Concord, N. H.—A sudden, though not wholly unexpected, ending of the masters' hearing in connection with the suit in equity brought by relatives of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, leader of the Christian Science faith, came in the superior courtroom here Wednesday.

Former Senator William E. Chandler, senior counsel for the relatives, or "next friends," announced to the board of masters that they had filed a motion with the superior court to dismiss their action.

The suit was brought on the ground that Mrs. Eddy, being incompetent, on account of age and infirmities, to manage her own affairs, was the victim of persons associated with her in Christian Science work, who were named as defendants in the equity suit. The masters were appointed by the superior court to determine the question of Mrs. Eddy's competency and hearings before them have been in progress for several days.

The reason for the petition for dismissal, as made known at the hearing Wednesday by Mr. Chandler, was the belief that success along the lines desired could not be obtained, and the unprofitableness of any immediate result of a decision in favor of the next friends in the exact issue as now framed, compared with the burdens and disadvantages to be endured both before and after such a decision.

Paymaster Shot and Robbed.

Philadelphia.—William H. Hicks, paymaster for the Schaum & Uhlinger company, textile machinists in the northeastern section of the city, was held up and robbed of $6,000 within a short distance of the machine shops Wednesday by two highwaymen, one of whom shot him in the right arm. Mill hands pursued John Posicki, said to be the robber. He jumped on a street car but the pursuers pulled down the trolley pole and caught him. The stolen money was found lying in an open lot across which Posicki had fled.

Cortelyou Will Try New Plan.

New York.—Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou announced Friday a new plan of depositing government funds in New York, Boston and other cities, to afford relief to the money market in the approaching crop movement period. Mr. Cortelyou will, commencing next week, place each week, at such points in the country as he shall designate, government funds to such an amount as he deems sufficient to prevent an acute monetary stringency and possible panic when the demand for money is greatest.

ROOT IS RECOVERING

REGAINING HIS HEALTH AND ENERGY AT MULDOON'S.

NO OCCASICN FOR WORRY

Has Spent Three Weeks at Sanitarium Unknown to Public—Received One Visit from the President.

New York.—Secretary of State Elihu Root, who has already spent three weeks at the farm-sanitarium of William C. Muldoon, ex-champion wrestler, near White Plains, taking Mr. Muldoon's course of athletic treatment for a severe attack of nervous exhaustion, expects to complete his cure in two weeks more. He is now well on the road to complete recovery and all reason for apprehension about his health seems to have disappeared.

On the quiet farm among the West Chester hills, so secluded that the secretary of state was enabled to pass three weeks there and be visited by the president of the United States before his whereabouts were discovered by the public, Mr. Root has fleshed up, put on a healthy coat of tan, lost the drawn, worried look of the early summer, and will go back to Washington, as Mr. Muldoon phrases it, "the strongest member of the cabinet, not even barring Taft."

During the first two weeks of his stay he gained a pound a day, acquiring therewith such a stock of energy that he was able Friday to ride 18 miles, walk three miles and in addition to the usual course of exercise with the big medicine ball, box 15 vigorous minutes with Muldoon.

When visited Friday on the veranda of the Muldoon residence, his face showed good color, his eyes were clear and his hand steady. He looked a trifle tired but otherwise well. Mr. Root asked to be excused from talking about his health, but his appearance was a sufficient contradiction of the exaggerated reports of a complete breakdown. His physician visited him but left without making any arrangements for his return.

According to Mr. Muldoon, Secretary Root, when he arrived, was suffering from nervous exhaustion, the result of overwork and strain.

COSTLY BLAZES IN PITTSBURG.

Two Fires Cause Damage Estimated at $250,000.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Two fires Thursday caused by the explosion of gasoline in clothes pressing establishments caused damage estimated at $250,000 and for a time threatened the entire east end section of this city.

The first fire broke out shortly before noon in the Club Pressing & Cleaning company's place at 6339 Penn avenue. The three story brick building was destroyed and 14 employes were rescued from the windows by firemen.

The second fire was more serious and before it was controlled seven buildings were wiped out. The blaze started in the Enterprise Pressing company's shop at 5975 Center avenue about two o'clock and spread with great rapidity east and west.

A number of automobile garages in the neighborhood had quantities of gasoline on hand and barrels and tanks of the fuel were removed from the vicinity. A hundred or more automobiles were run out of the garages and for a time lined either curb of a block, several blocks from the burning district.

The flames made a great roar and leaped into the air 50 feet above the burning buildings. Between the burning block and the handsome East Liberty market house only a narrow lot intervened and grave fears were entertained lest the market should catch. This building escaped, however, but for the scorching of the east side and the shattering of the windows. Shortly after four o'clock the fire was declared to be under control.

Four firemen were hurt during the fighting of the fire.

Swedish Prince at Newport.

Newport, R. I.—The Swedish armored cruiser Fylgia, with Prince Wilhelm of Sweden on board, arrived here Thursday from Jamestown, Va. The prince was entertained at dinner by Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, and later attended a dance given by Mrs. Edward J. Berwind. Salutes were exchanged between the cruiser and Fort Adams and the Reina Mercedes, flagship of Rear Admiral John Merrill, commanding the second naval district, as the cruiser entered the harbor.

Money for Crop Movements.

New York. — The first considerable transfer of currency to the west for the movement of crops and other interior needs of the country was made by the subtreasury Friday. Five hundred thousand dollars was transferred to Chicago and another half million to San Francisco.

MAN-A-LIN

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GIFTS THAT ARE WELCOME.

Lavender in Bulk Is One and Hop Pillow Another.

If one wants to be generous and give a city friend a supply of lavender for her linen closet, give it in bulk rather than in made sachets. The lavender is so delightful sprinkled directly on sheets and pillow cases. So make a bag of crepe tissue paper and fill it with lavender, tying it loosely at the top with a ribbon.

For a sleepless friend or one afflicted with that unromantic but distressing affliction, toothache, a pillow filled with hops will prove to be both "grateful and comforting." The hops should be gathered when quite green and dried quite slowly, so that none of their soothing virtue be lost. Such a pillow should be quite small, not more than eight inches long by six broad, as it is intended only to be slipped under the cheek. A fine handkerchief lawn makes the best covering for such a pillow.—Harper's Bazar.

Tutti Frutti Cream Cake.

Three-quarters cup butter, two cups sugar, one-half cup milk, 2½ cups pastry flour, one-half teaspoon soda, 1½ teaspoon cream of tartar, whites eight eggs, one-half teaspoon each lemon, rose and almond.

Filling—One-quarter cup figs, chopped, one-quarter cup grated cocoanut, one-half cup raisins, chopped, one-half cup walnut meats, chopped, one cup sugar, one-quarter cup water, white of one egg.

Mix the cake in the order given, divide into three parts, and flavor each differently. Bake in three long shallow pans. For the filling, simmer the sugar and water until it threads. Pour it into the white (beaten till foamy) beat well, and stir in quickly the chopped mixture. Put this between the layers, then frost on top and sides

Summer Soup.

Take one pint of fresh vegetables (or one can), one pint of boiling water, one pint of hot milk, one tablespoonful of flour and also of butter, a small teaspoonful of salt and a small quantity of white pepper. Cut the vegetables into bits and cook 20 minutes, or, if you use canned vegetables ten minutes. While it is cooking make the milk, flour and butter into white sauce. Melt the butter, rub in the flour, add the hot milk and salt and stir and cook till smooth. Then press as much as possible of the vegetables through a wire sieve and stir in and strain again, and it is done. Put a cupful of whipped cream into the soup tureen, if convenient, and pour the soup over it.

Beef A La Mode.

Take ten pounds of roast beef from round; extract bone; remove fat and make seasoning in following proportions: Half pound beef suet; half pound bread crumbs powdered; yolks of three hard-boiled eggs; two tablespoonfuls sweet majoram, sweet basil and ground mace mixed; four small onions minced, season to taste with salt and cayenne. Stuff this mixture into boned cavity; make cuts in meat and stuff them also. Tie into shape; put into braising pan; pour over a pint of port wine; cover tightly and bake slowly five hours or until thoroughly done. Remove fat from gravy and stir in beaten yolks of two eggs. When onions are disliked substitute minced oysters.

Schenken Noodles.

Beat one egg slightly, add one quarter teaspoonful of salt, the same quantity of baking powder, one tablespoonful of cold water and flour sufficient to make a stiff dough. Mark and knead until elastic, roll to the thinness of a sheet of paper, dredge thickly with flour, roll up and out from the end in thin slices, shake in lengths and drop into boiling water for eight minutes cooking. Drain and place on a buttered pudding mold. Beat two eggs add one cupful of milk, one cupful of finely chopped cooked ham and one tablespoonful of parsley. Turn over the noodles, lifting them with a fork Set in a moderate oven until the custard is cooked.

Prune Pie.

Prunes are excellent baked in a pie. Line a pie plate with pastry, fill with uncooked rice or dried bread crumbs and bake. When done empty out the rice, and fill with chopped stoned prunes that have been soaked and cooked until tender and rich. Sweeten slightly, flavor with grated orange peel, cover with latticed strips of pastry, and return to the oven to bake the crust. The pie when done should be well browned and juicy.

To Make Summer Pies.

Some one gives a recipe for the summer pie that may be interesting to the housewife. Bake a number of puffy paste shells, or they can be bought at the baker's, and fill them with fruit allowing them to remain in the stove for a short time. The uncooked fruit is very much more digestible this time of the year.

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A noble heart, like the sun, showeth its greatest countenance in its lowest estate.—Sidney.

WHAT THE WOMEN WORE.

Of Course the Story Teller Didn't Really Mean Just That.

A gentleman recently returned from that quiet little Maryland resort, Ocean City, has a tale to tell of conditions that are really sensational. And the worst of it was that he did not know they were sensational at all. He was out calling the other evening, and the conversation started with the shirtwaist man, who, the returned wanderer said, was to be found in great quantities at the summer resort. Then he told about the habit everybody down there had contracted of going without hats. This is the way he told it to an interested company:

"You see everybody down there going about just the same. The men never wear coats; they go about in just their shirts and trousers, and the women are just like them."

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President Castro's Conceit.

Many stories have been told of Cipriano Castro, president of Venezuela, and of his monumental conceit. During the Russo-Japanese war the fall of Port Arthur was being explained to him.

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Castro was so pleased at what was intended to be sarcasm that, it is said, the diplomat succeeded next day in securing satisfaction of a claim that his government had been vainly pressing for years.

Nature's Gift Wasted.

A Scotchman who recently took the street car trip on the gorge route, the New York side of Niagara river, was much disgusted with the hawkers of views and "Teddy bears," who make the afternoon hideous and do their best to spoil nature's grandeur. As he alighted from the car he looked angrily at the shouting venders and then at the Whirlpool rapids. "What's the use of having a big river like that," he asked, "if you don't drown those fellows in it?"

Animal Intelligence in Massachusetts.

John Talbot of Rock Knolls, Mass., enjoys the distinction of having a trained hen that will jump over his clasped hands, even if held quite high from the ground. Uncle John trained the hen himself. A cat is owned by a Byfield man that will eat raw green corn, and will even strip down the husks in the field in an effort to get the corn.

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"Indeed, I began to feel I had all the troubles that human flesh could suffer, but when a friend advised me to leave off coffee I felt as if he had insulted me. I could not bear the idea, it had such a hold on me and I refused to believe it the cause.

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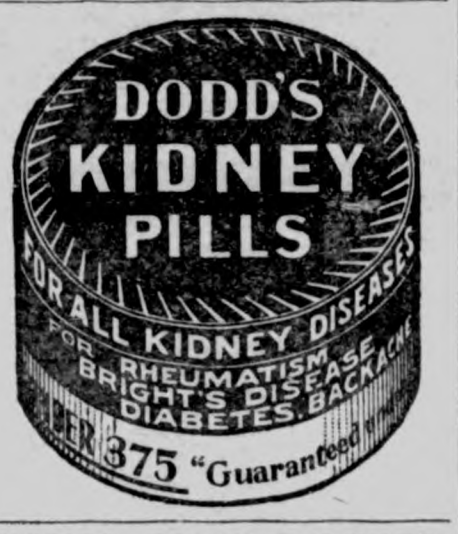

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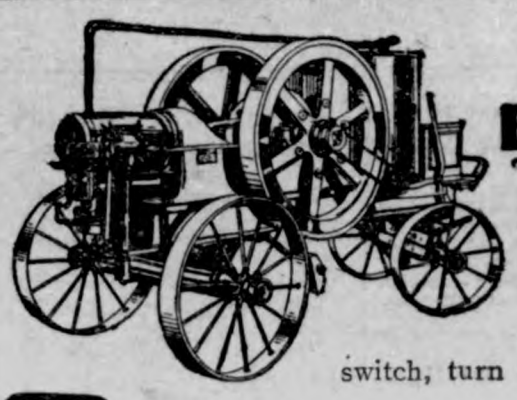

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Rev. F. H. Wellemeyer visited his son Arthur and family last Saturday and Sunday.

A little daughter made its appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beier last Saturday.

Mrs. Richter and children spent a week and over at the homes of Lenz's, Bettin's and Arnold's.

Camilla Neef went to Colesburg Thursday for a few days visit before going to Charles City to College.

Mrs. Carl Wellemeyer went to Charles City Tuesday and from there to Colesburg to visit a few days with her parents.

Mrs. Herman Brockmeyer of Colesburg, arrived last Saturday to see her mother and other relatives returning Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Griewe left Tuesday evening for Panama, Nebraska where they will visit John Ell, Mrs. Griewe's brother.

The "Standard Bearers" will meet Friday evening with the Griewe sisters for their monthly program. This society has done good work during the past year.

Mrs. John Josten returned from the "Twin Cities" last week where she purchased goods for the fall season and selected a trimmer. She will open up in a few days.

Rev. Berg and wife bid their relatives "farewell" Monday evening. They will start for New Mexico next week where they have filed on a homestead and will hold down their claim for at least 8 months.

Emma Hartke of Redfield, S. Dak., is visiting her uncle, E. H. Schuldt and other relatives. She expects to remain a few weeks and return with her father who will be here also after conference and look after his farm interests.

Rev. Jacob Schaefer preached an encouraging sermon in both churches last Sunday, and attended the program in the evening. He has been in continuous effective work for 47 years and only retired when his sight failed him.

The program given by the W. F. M. Society was listened to by a large audience Sunday night. The church was decorated with flowers and a number of flags and banners of different nations. The singing by the little girls was perhaps the most pleasing part of the program. A good collection was realized at the close for which the ladies feel very grateful.

The Gruetzmacher homes were the centre of visitors by the whole sale last week and part of this. They were Rev. and Mrs. Jacob Schaefer of Milwaukee, Wis., Mrs. E. P. Schaefer and son Kenneth of Crookston, Minn. Mrs. Groh, Estella and Alfred Gruetzmacher of Chicago, Ill., Chas. Gruetzmacher and family of Charles City, Rosa Herz of Vivian, S. Dak. and Father Schaefer of Garner. That they had a good time goes without saying Most of them departed the first of the week. But they tell us there are more to follow.

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Mrs. Gus Akron was reported very sick last week.

Mary Costello who has been out west for the last two months, returned Friday.

There were quite a number of this vicinity attended the base ball tournament at Belmond last week.

A. D. White has purchased the elevator and coal business from Ober Kingsbury Co. at Goodell.

Nick Conlan and son went to Iowa City Monday evening where Mr. Conlan will go to the Mercy Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. L. E. Avery went to Reinbeck, Iowa, Saturday eve. to visit with her sister. She was accompanied by her sister Anna Lister from Belmond.

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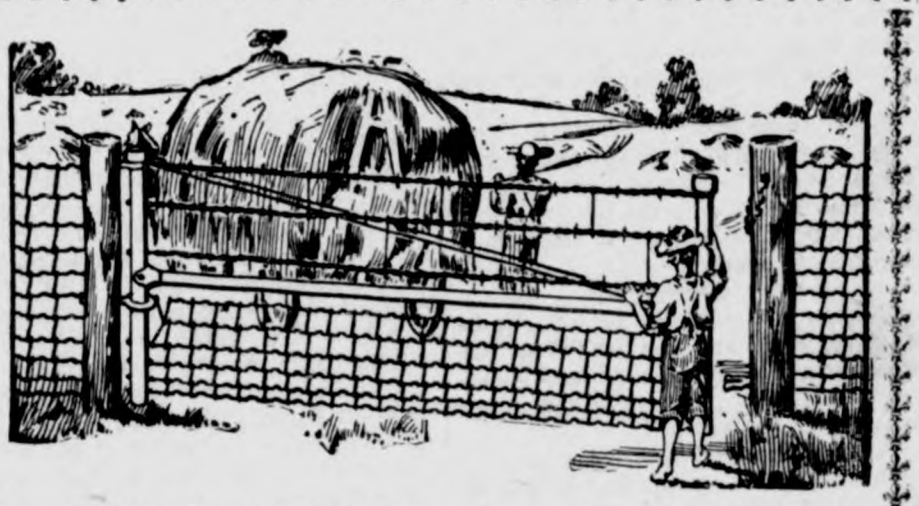

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The deceiver and traitor are despised even by those they serve.

Experiments to produce a stingless bee have not proved successful. A stingless mosquito is more important anyhow.

When a man speaks and acts for himself it is liberty, but when another man speaks and acts for him, it is slavery.

Automobile sore eyes, produced by gazing on your neighbor's new imported car, is a much more common malady.

Scientists have discovered in Texas a civilization believed to be older than that of ancient Egypt and considerably deader.

Automobile sore throat, due to the dust kicked up by the machines, is the latest source of complaint against them down east.

Women need more sleep than men, according to scientists. Then how are they able to talk all night when a fellow wants to go to sleep?

There are to be four night courts in New York, to accommodate people who are too busy or too sleepy to commit their crimes in the daytime.

In Kansas city a woman has got an injunction forbidding her husband to come home. That ought to make him determine to go there, if anything will.

Cheer up! The storms of to-day will be banished by the sun of to-morrow, and the drooping wings of hope will flash in force and beauty in the lingering light of victory.

That painting contractor who made 2,100 per cent. profit on his job on the Pennsylvania capitol must have been mad because he had to pay out some real money for paint.

It has been shown that there is enough coal in the United States to last for 200 years, and still there are people who will worry about the failure of the coal supply.

Every few days we have reports of people dying from eating ice cream. But the summer girl is a brave person, and there is no diminution in the demand for the summer edible.

After all, it does seem strange that Nikola Tesla should have started out to try to talk with Mars first of all the heavenly bodies, when the man in the moon is so much nearer.

If Adam had saved $450 every day until now he would have a fortune almost as great as John D. Rockefeller's. But he didn't, and as a consequence the Adamses are mostly poor.

Scientists declare that people think with fingers and toes, and that the lower animals are capable of reasoning. It takes a very inventive mind to keep in the running as a scientist these days.

The observer who watched 152 women alight from street cars and reports that only eight of them got off correctly, facing in the direction the cars were going, must have a lot of time to spare.

If heavy crape adorns the door of your favorite boarding house do not go in and try to console the mistress. Leave her alone in her deep sorrow. Doubtless she has just heard that the prune crop is short.

The Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture has discovered that coffee, oat hulls and ground corn cobs figure in the composition of certain patent foods. Most consumers have suspected the existence of bran and excelsior, but corn cobs are a new element. Perhaps they are put in to prevent the diet from being too concentrated, on the same principle that stock raisers add a judicious mixture of cornstalks or other "roughage" to the oats and corn fed to their cattle.

The camera, which serves so many useful and interesting purposes, has now been promoted to the dignified office of referee in athletic contests. At a recent meeting of the Southwestern Amateur Rowing Association it was voted that henceforth, at contests held by the association, a competent photographer, with the most modern and efficient camera, should photograph the finish of each event. There have been so many close finishes and unsatisfactory decisions in the past, declares the Youth's Companion, that it is hoped in this way to provide referees with indisputable evidence.

DROWNED BY SCORES

NEW BRIDGE OVER ST. LAWRENCE NEAR QUEBEC FALLS.

VICTIMS MAY NUMBER 80

Half of Structure Collapses, Carrying Workmen Under the Water Where the Wreckage Holds Them.

Quebec, Que.—A section of the new bridge across the St. Lawrence river, five miles below this city, collapsed late Thursday, carrying scores of bridge workers and mechanics into the water. It is estimated that the loss of life is at least 60 and may exceed that number by 20.

The bridge was about a mile and a half in length and half of it, from the south shore to midstream, crumpled up and dropped into the water. Ninety men were at work on this section of the structure and the whistle had just blown at 5:30 for the men to quit work for the day when there came a grinding sound from the bridge midstream. The men turned to see what had happened and an instant later the cry went up "the bridge is falling."

Few Have Time to Escape.

The men made a rush shoreward, but the distance was too great for them to escape. The fallen section of the bridge dragged others after it, the snapping girders and cables booming like a crash of artillery. Terror lent fleetness to the feet of the frightened workmen as they sped shoreward, but only a few of them reached safety before the last piece of iron work on the south shore was dragged into the river.

Near the shore the wreckage of the bridge did not go below the surface of the water and eight workmen who remained above water were rescued and taken to the hospital at Levis.

Held Down by the Wreckage.

The steamer Glenmont had just cleared the bridge when the first section fell. The water thrown up by the debris came clear over the bridge of the steamer. The captain at once lowered boats. The small boats plied backward and forward over the sunken wreckage for half an hour, but there was no sign of life. The twisted iron and steel had its victims in a terrible death grip.

All the men drowned were employes of the Phoenixville Bridge company, and subcontractors of Quebec and Montreal.

Mourning in the Villages.

There is scarcely a family in the villages of St. Romuald and New Liverpool which has not been bereaved, while in some cases five and six men of a single family have been killed. From almost every house is heard the sound of lamentations of women.

The disaster caused much excitement here and is regarded as a national calamity.

Nothing is known of the cause of the disaster. There was nothing of an untoward nature reported that could give the slightest indication during the past few days that the huge structure was in a dangerous condition. It was built on such immense lines that it did not seem possible it could break down.

Was to Be Wonderful Bridge.

The bridge was remarkable in that it was to be the longest single span cantilever bridge in the world, the length of the span in the center being 1,800 feet, or 200 feet longer than that of the Firth bridge, at present the world's longest single bridge span.

The bridge was begun about seven years ago and it was to be finished in 1909. Subsidies had been granted by the federal and provincial governments and the city of Quebec, and the estimated cost of the work was $10,000,000.

The Phoenix Bridge company, of Pennsylvania, had the contract for the construction of the bridge, and was working from both sides of the river.

Women May Stop Strike.

New York.—The New York papers announce that Helen Gould, Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay and Mrs. J. G. Phelps Stokes, representing the women stockholders in the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies, held a secret conference late last week on the strike situation, and took action looking to a settlement of the difficulty. After the conference, according to the printed stories, Miss Gould cabled to her brother, George J., who is in Europe, to come home at once. It is reported that he sailed last Sunday.

Nelson Morris Passes Away.

Chicago.—Nelson Morris, pioneer Chicago packer and multimillionaire, died at his home, 2453 Indiana avenue, Tuesday, of heart disease, aggravated by kidney trouble. Mr. Morris was born in the Black Forest, Germany, in 1840, and came to America penniless when he was 11 years old, made his way to Chicago and went to work in the stockyards.

THE GOOSE THAT LAYS GOLDEN EGGS.

DROPS 2,000 FEET; LIVES

STRANGE ESCAPE FROM DEATH OF AERONAUT MALONEY.

Falls with His Balloon After Ascent at Barnstable, Mass.—Gov. Guild Leads Rescuers.

Barnstable, Mass.—Nearly 5,000 persons at the Barnstable county fair saw "Professor" Maloney, a balloonist, drop 2,000 feet to earth, strike on top of a cedar fence post and escape probably with his life.

Maloney made his ascent late Thursday afternoon, and as the visitors at the fair grounds gazed upward they saw that his attempts to put his parachute were fruitless. A sharp easterly wind had blown the rope which connects with the knife amongst a mass of cords higher up and out of reach of the balloonist.

For fully two miles Maloney floated along. The gas was rapidly leaking from the big bag above him, and he prepared for the long drop. Maloney and the balloon came earthward rapidly. As it neared the earth the canvas fell about the body of the aeronaut and prevented him from seeing where he was falling. He struck in a half standing position on the top of a big cedar post used by a farmer to mark off his field. His back was terribly torn and his left arm badly injured.

A long line of automobiles, headed by one carrying Gov. Curtis Guild, who was a visitor at the fair, rushed to the spot where Maloney had fallen. The man was picked up in a semi-conscious condition and was hurried to his hotel in Barnstable Center. Physicians who attended him say that he is not internally injured and will recover.

GROSS EARNINGS OF RAILWAYS.

Enormous Increase in 1906 Over the Previous Year.

New York. — The gross earnings of the railroads of the United States during 1906, according to the fortieth annual number of Poor's Manual, issued Tuesday, made the enormous increase over 1905 of $234,442,516. The net earnings increased $104,728,224.

This was done in spite of a heavy increase in operating expenses due to higher wages and increased cost of material. Over 71,000,000 more people traveled by rail in 1906 than in the preceding year, while the railroads moved 1,610,099,829 tons, as compared with 1,435,321,748 tons in the preceding year.

The total assets of all railroads are reported as $17,534,381,633 or more than six times the total money in circulation in the country.

TRAGEDY AT OCEAN GROVE.

Hotel Proprietor Shoots Wife and Child and Kills Himself.

Ocean Grove, N. J.—In the presence of a number of boarders in the New Jersey house, of which he was the proprietor, Robert S. Gravatt, 47 years old, Thursday shot and perhaps mortally wounded his wife, Irene; seriously wounded his nine-year-old daughter, Mollie, and then killed himself. Domestic trouble is said to have been the cause of the tragedy.

Gravatt was well-to-do. Besides being proprietor of the hotel where the tragedy occurred, he owned a stove store in Asbury Park.

CONVICTS ELUDE POSSE.

Two Men Who Escaped from Joliet Still at Large.

Chicago. — A posse of 100 men, led by Deputy Warden Henry Sims is in close pursuit of Harry Harmon and "Eddie" Quinn, convicts who escaped from the Joliet penitentiary. The men were believed to be trapped in a box car at Brander's Bridge, near Joliet, but they eluded their pursuers.

The convicts left the car just as the carriages conveying the posse appeared in sight. A through fast-freight train on the Santa Fe was passing at the time, and the fugitives, risking their lives, boarded the train.

The escape of the men was one of the most sensational prison flights in years. By means of a rope made from strips of a sheet and an improvised hook they scaled the high penitentiary wall, eluding the armed guards and sentries, and gained their liberty before the alarm was given and posses started the search for them.

BIG FIRE IN LOUISVILLE.

Courier-Journal Building Is Practically Destroyed by Flames.

Louisville, Ky. — The Courier-Journal building at Fourth and Green streets caught fire just after midnight Thursday night and within half an hour was practically ruined. It was believed all the employes escaped safely.

The fire spread with remarkable rapidity through the office building, which was half a block in length and five stories high. The plants of the Courier-Journal and Evening Times suffered irreparable damage. The former paper was offered the use of the Morning Herald plant.

The fire started at the top of an elevator shaft at the north end of the building, and is supposed to have been caused by defective insulation of electric wires.

QUAKE ROCKS MARTINIQUE.

Another Mount Pelee Disaster Feared in the Island.

Fort de France, Island of Martinique.—Terror reigns throughout this island because of a severe earthquake which was felt here at 10:50 o'clock Tuesday night. The inhabitants, with the details of the eruption of Mount Pelee in 1902 fresh in their memory, are in a state of panic, although no damage has yet been reported.

The similarity of conditions preceding the frightful disaster of five years ago has caused an exodus of citizens. In that catastrophe the finale was preceded by just such seismic phenomena as are now prevalent.

Huge inky black clouds are rolling over Fort de France in great masses in which there are peculiar lightning flashes.

Police Watch Brokerage Offices.

Washington.—Following the recent raid of five brokerage offices and the arrest of their proprietors on the charge of violating the anti-gambling laws, Assistant United States District Attorney Given Thursday placed a policeman in each of a number of other brokerage offices under suspicion. The policemen watched the transactions in the offices and noted the names of visitors. A secret service officer and two detectives were detailed to make daily rounds of all suspected offices.

SIX WEEKS FOR PRACTICE

BATTLESHIPS WILL THEN PREPARE FOR PACIFIC CRUISE.

Route of Return Trip Not Settled—Several Commanding Officers Will Be Relieved.

Washington. — The Atlantic fleet under Admiral Evans, which sailed from Hampton Roads Monday, will remain for two weeks at the southern drill grounds, 40 miles off the Chesapeake capes, practicing fleet and squadron formation. Then will come the regular fall target practice, lasting probably four more weeks.

Acting Secretary Newberry said Tuesday the ships would then go to the navy yards in prearranged order, where, in two weeks, they should be put in perfect condition, the actual start for the Pacific cruise being made about the middle of December. None of the itineraries so far prepared by the navy department is final. If the decision as to route of the big ships is in favor of a return by way of Cape of Good Hope the fleet will sail from San Francisco about the end of next summer straight away across the Pacific, calling at Honolulu and probably heading thence for Australia. If the Suez route is selected, then the fleet will probably, after leaving Puget Sound, swing to the northwest, skirting the coast of British Columbia and the Aleutian islands, cross the Pacific by the shortest great circle route, which will take the ships close to Japan, and thence to Manila, where they will make a short stop before passing through the Straits of Malacca and entering the Indian ocean.

The navy department will relieve some of the present commanding officers of the battleships before this cruise is begun, because they will have already served nearly the full term of sea duty. Officers who have already had two full years of sea service in their present commands include Captains Barry of the Kentucky, Herbert Winslow of the Kearsarge and Comly of the Alabama.

FOUR DIE IN AUTO CRASH.

Motor Car Struck by Trolley Near Canandaigua, N. Y.

Rochester, N. Y.—Dr. George Waldron, a physician of Rochester; Mrs. Catherine Farnsworth, of Rochester, and Mrs. William Scandling and Mrs. Jane Hobbs, both of Hopewell, were instantly killed Wednesday afternoon in a collision between an automobile in which they were driving and a Rochester & Eastern trolley car, near Canandaigua.

Dr. Waldron went to Hopewell in the morning with his daughter to visit at the home of William Scandling, and had taken the three women, all of whom were more than 65 years of age, for an automobile ride. They were on their way to the Freshour crossing to meet another friend of the Scandling family. Witnesses of the accident say that as the machine approached the trolley tracks it was seen by the motorman. According to them, the motorman made a signal and Dr. Waldron slowed up. Then, apparently thinking that he could cross before the car reached him, he started on again. It is thought that the automobile did not respond readily to the levers. It was caught on the tracks and the occupants thrown with great force. The bodies were frightfully crushed.

NEBRASKA MOB LYNCHES A MAN.

Hangs Laborer Who Killed Farmer and Wife Last Spring.

Omaha, Neb. — Loris Higgins, who murdered W. L. Copple, a farmer, and his wife, near Rosalie, Neb., May 12, was lynched at Boncroft Monday. Sheriff Young of Thurston county came to Omaha Sunday night to get his prisoner, who had been in the Douglas county jail here since his capture, and took him to Bancroft on a train which arrived there about eight o'clock in the morning. Twenty men took Higgins from the sheriff, hauled him off in a dray and hung him to a tree.

Higgins' crime was a wanton one. He had worked on the Copple farm and had some trivial dispute with Mr. Copple. Anger over this is the only suggestion of a reason for the murder of the farmer and his wife. He killed both in the barnyard with a gun. He was a young man, and after his arrest became radically religious participating in every service held at the jail.

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THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES

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CHAPTER XXIII.—Continued.

"Try it again," I heard Larry admonish him, "try that once more, and The Sod, God bless it! will never feel the delicate imprint of your web-feet again."

He turned the man about and rushed him toward the house, the revolver still serving as a prod. His flight gave heart to the wary invaders immediately behind him and two fellows, urged and led by Morgan, charged our line at a smart pace.

"Bolt for the front door," I called to Larry, and Stoddard and I closed in after him to guard his retreat.

We were now nearing the edge of the wood, with the open meadow and water tower at our backs, while Larry was making good time toward the house.

"Let's not wait for them here," shouted Stoddard.

Morgan was advancing with a club in his hand, making directly for me, twe men at his heels, and the rest veering off toward the wall of St. Agatha's.

"Watch the house," I yelled to the chaplain; and then, on the edge of the wood Morgan came at me furiously, swinging his club over his head, and in a moment we were fencing away at a merry rate. We both had revolvers strapped to our waists, but I had no intention of drawing mine unless in extremity. At my right Stoddard was busy keeping off Morgan's personal guard, who seemed reluctant to close with the clergyman.

I have been, in my day, something of a fencer, and my knowledge of the foils stood me in good stead now. With a tremendous thwack I knocked Morgan's club flying over the snow, and, as we grappled, Bates yelled from the house. I quickly found that Morgan's wounded arm was still tender. He flinched at the first grapple, and his anger got the better of his judgment. We kicked up the snow at a great rate as we feinted and dragged each other about. He caught hold of my belt with one hand and with a great wrench nearly dragged me from my feet, but I pinioned his arms and bent him backward, then, by a trick Larry had taught me, flung him upon his side.

Meanwhile Bates continued to call lustily from the house.

"Come on at any cost," shouted Stoddard, putting himself between me and the men who were flying to Morgan's aid.

"Shoot, you fools, shoot!" howled Morgan, and as we started across the open meadow and ran toward the house a shotgun roared back of us and buckshot snapped and rattled on the stone of the water tower.

"There's the sheriff," called Stoddard behind me.

The officer and his deputy ran into the park from the gate of St. Agatha's, while the rest of Morgan's party were skirting the wall to join them.

"Stop or I'll shoot," yelled Morgan, and I felt Stoddard pause in his gigantic stride to throw himself between me and the pursuers.

"Sprint for it hot," he called very coolly, as though he were coaching me in a contest of the most amiable sort imaginable.

"Get away from those guns," I panted, angered by the very generosity of his defense.

"Feint for the front door and then run for the terrace and the library door," he commanded as we crossed the little ravine bridge. "They've got us headed off."

Twice the guns boomed behind us, and twice I saw shot cut into the snow about me.

"I'm all right," called Stoddard, reassuringly, still at my back. "They're not a bit anxious to kill me."

I was at the top of my speed now, but the clergyman kept close at my heels. I was blowing hard, but he made equal time with perfect ease.

"Now for the sheriff—here we go!" cried Stoddard—beside me—when we were close to the fringe of trees that shielded the entrance. Then off we veered suddenly to the left, close upon the terrace, where one of the French windows was thrown open and Larry and Bates stepped out, urging us on with lusty cries.

They caught us by the arms and dragged us over where the balustrade was lowest, and we crowded through the door and slammed it. As Bates snapped the bolts Morgan's party discharged their combined artillery and withdrew across the ravine toward the lake.

CHAPTER XXIV.

The Fight in the Library.

It was nearly 11 o'clock when the attacking party returned after a parley on the ice behind the boat house. The four of us were on the terrace ready for them. They came smartly through the wood, the sheriff and Morgan slightly in advance of the others. I expected them to slacken their pace when they came to the open meadow, but they broke into a quick trot at the water tower and came toward the house as steady as veteran campaigners.

"Looks like business this time!" exclaimed Larry. "Spread out now and the first head that looms over the balustrade gets a dose of hickory."

The attacking party now divided, half halting between us and the bridge and the remainder swinging around the house toward the front entrance.

"Ah, look at that!" yelled Larry. "It's a battering ram they have. O man of peace! have I your Majesty's consent to try the elephant guns now?"

Morgan and the sheriff carried between them a stick of timber from which the branches had been cut, and, with a third man to help, they ran it up the steps and against the door with a crash that came booming and echoing back through the great halls of the house.

By a Trick Larry Had Taught Me I Threw Him.

A gun roared again at the side of the house, and I ran to the library, where Larry had pushed furniture against all the long windows save one, which he held open. He stepped out upon the terrace and emptied a revolver at the men who were now creeping along the edge of the ravine beneath us. One of them stopped and discharged a rifle at us with deliberate aim. The ball snapped snow from the balustrade and screamed away harmlessly.

"Bah," such monkeys!" he muttered. "I believe I've hit that chap!" One man had fallen and lay howling in the ravine, his hand to his thigh, while his comrades paused, demoralized.

"Serves you right, you blackguard!" Larry muttered.

I pulled him in and we jammed a cabinet against the door and returned to the hall.

Meanwhile the blows at the front door continued with increasing violence. Stoddard still stood where I had left him. Bates was not in sight, but the barking of a revolver above showed that he had returned to the window to wreak vengeance on his enemies.

Stoddard shook his head in deprecation.

"They fired first—we can't do less than get back at them," I said, between the blows of the battering ram.

A panel of the great oaken door now splintered, but in their fear that we might use the broken panel as a loophole, they scampered out into range of Bates' revolver. In return we heard a rain of small shot on the upper windows, and a few seconds later Larry shouted that the flanking party was again at the terrace.

This movement evidently heartened the sheriff, for, under a fire from Bates, his men charged again and the log crashed into the door, shaking it free from the upper hinges. The lower fastenings were wrenched loose an instant later, and the men came tumbling into the hall—the sheriff, Morgan and four others I had never seen before. Simultaneously the flanking party began smashing the small panes of the library windows. We could hear the glass crack and tinkle above the confusion at the door.

In the hall he was certainly a lucky man who held to his weapon a moment after the door tumbled in. I blazed at the sheriff with my revolver, but he stumbled and half fell at the threshold, so that the ball passed over him, and he promptly gripped me by the legs and had me prone and half dazed by the rap of my head on the floor.

I suppose I was two or three minutes at least getting my wits. I was first conscious of Bates grappling with the sheriff, who sat upon me, and as they struggled with each other I got the full benefit of their combined, swerving, tossing weight. Morgan and Larry were trying for a chance at each other with revolvers, while Morgan backed the Irishman slowly toward the library. Stoddard had seized one of the unknown deputies by the collar and gave him a tremendous swing, jerking him high in the air and driving him against another invader with a blow that knocked both fellows spinning into a corner.

"Come on to the library!" shouted Larry, and Bates, who had got me to my feet, pushed me down the hall toward the open library door.

We were now between two fires. The sheriff's party had fought valiantly to keep us out of the library, and now that we were within, Stoddard's big shoulders held the door half closed against the combined strength of the men in the hall. This pause was fortunate, for it gave us an opportunity to deal singly with the fellows who were climbing in from the terrace. Bates had laid one of them low with a club and Larry disposed of another who had made a murderous effort to stick a knife into him. I was with Stoddard against the door, where the sheriff's men were slowly gaining upon me.

"Let go on the jump when I say three," said Stoddard, and at his word we sprang away from the door and into the room. Larry yelled with joy as the sheriff and his men pitched forward and sprawled upon the floor; then we were at it again in a hand-to-hand conflict to clear the room.

"Hold that position, sir," yelled Bates.

Morgan had directed the attack against me and I was driven upon the hearth before the great fireplace. The sheriff, Morgan and Ferguson hemmed me in. It was evident that I was the chief culprit, and they wished to eliminate me from the contest. Across the room, Larry, Stoddard and Bates were engaged in a lively rough and tumble with the rest of the besiegers, and Stoddard, seeing my plight, leaped the overturned table, broke past the trio and stood by my side, swinging a chair.

At that moment my eyes, sweeping the broken outer doors, saw the face of Pickering. He had come to see that his orders were obeyed, and I remember yet my satisfaction, as, hemmed in by the men he had hired to kill me or drive me out, I felt, rather than saw, the cowardly horror depicted upon his face.

Then the trio pressed upon me. As I threw down my club and drew my revolver, some one across the room fired several shots, whose roar through the room seemed to arrest the fight for an instant, and then, while Stoddard stood at my side swinging his chair defensively, the great chandelier, loosened or broken by the shots, fell with a mighty crash of its crystal pendants. The sheriff, leaping away from Stoddard's chair, was struck on the head and borne down by the heavy glass.

We were all getting our second wind for a renewal of the fight, with Morgan in command of the enemy. One or two of his men, who had gone down early in the struggle, were now crawling back for revenge. I think I must have raised my hand and pointed at Pickering, for Bates wheeled like a flash and before I realized what happened he had dragged the executor into the room.

"You scoundrel—you ingrate!" howled the servant.

The blood on his face and bare chest and the hatred in his eyes made him a hideous object; but in that lull of the storm while we waited, watching for an advantage, I heard, somewhere in the wall, that same sound of footsteps that I had remarked before. Larry and Stoddard heard it; Bates heard it, and his eyes fixed upon Pickering with a glare of malicious delight.

"There comes our old friend, the ghost," yelled Larry.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Brought the Crowd Back

The ready wit and fund of good stories always at the command of Mr. Samuel J. Elder, Boston's well-known lawyer, was illustrated at a large public dinner in Framington a few years ago. There had been many speakers, the hour waxed late, people were tired, and the diners were one by one quietly pushing back their chairs and leaving the hall, when Mr. Elder was called upon to respond to a toast.

He rose, and looking around the large hall, remarked that the present circumstances reminded him of the story told of a Methodist minister. The reverend gentleman was officiating in a strange parish, and when he rose to deliver his sermon the congregation began stealing out one by one. Stopping in his delivery of his text, he remarked, quietly:

"Well, I have all my life been a traveling clergyman, but never before have I preached to a traveling congregation!"

Mr. Elder's palpable "hit" brought down the house, and the migration ceased until the close of his brilliant remarks.

Some Blunders in Memorials

Some remarkable mistakes in memorials have totally escaped notice until it was too late to rectify them. The spurs on the boots of Cromwell's statue at Westminster abbey, London, are the most interesting feature of the monument, although they generally get no attention at all from sightseers. They are worn upside down. In a painted window on the staircase which leads from the floor of Westminster palace to the committee rooms an inscription on a sword wielded by the "Black Prince" has the words "Prince of Whales" Again, in the fresco depicting the embarkation of the pilgrim fathers in the corridor leading from the outer lobby at St. Stephen's to the house of lords the Mayflower is shown to be hoisting the union jack—a flag which did not come into existence until over 250 years after the days of the historic Mayflower.

Out of the Vision.

"In the olden times it is said that it was possible for a man to render himself invisible."

"Pshaw! That's not at all remarkable! Men in this country are doing it every day."

"You don't say so! How do they manage it?"

"By marrying famous women!"—Smith's Weekly.

There are 100 frog farmers in the United States. The skins as well as the legs are marketable.

THE CHURCH AT WORK

PEACE.

Peace to him that is near and to him

WERE half the power that fills the world with terror,
Were half the wealth bestowed on camps and courts,
Given to redeem the human mind from error,
There were no need of arsenal or forts;

The warrior's name would be a name abhorred!
And every nation that should lift again
Its hand against a brother, on its forehead
Would wear forevermore the curse of Cain!

Down the dark future, through long generations,
The echoing sounds grow fainter and then cease;
And like a bell, with solemn, sweet vibrations,
I hear once more the voice of Christ say, "Peace!"

Peace! and no longer from its brazen portals
The blast of War's great organ shakes the skies!
But beautiful as songs of the immortals,
The holy melodies of love arise.
—H. W. Longfellow.

BETTER THAN THEY KNEW.

How a Church That Trusted in the Lord Was Vindicated.

A congregation in a hilly district in Ohio bought a small tract of land and erected a church building upon it. Then the question of insurance came up, says the Youth's Companion. Mr. Sipes, the wealthiest member, who had contributed half the money needed for the new structure, declared that he did not believe in insurance. "This is the Lord's building. He'll take care of it," he said.

His view prevailed, and there was no insurance. In a few weeks the building was struck by lightning and almost totally consumed by fire, Mr. Sipes contributing the greater portion of the fund, as before. This time the demand was almost unanimous that it be insured, but Mr. Sipes again objected on the same ground.

"If it burns down again, brethren," he said, "I'll agree to rebuild it myself."

Again he carried his point. In less than a month the new church was struck by lightning again and although strenuous efforts were made to save it, the loss was almost total.

"There must be some reason for this, brethren," said Brother Sipes. "I am going to find out what it is."

Thereupon he employed a force of men to sink a shaft on the site of the twice-destroyed church. Within a few days a rich vein of iron ore was found, and the church property was sold for many times the amount needed to buy land in another locality and build again.

"I tell you, brethren," said Brother Sipes, "it pays to trust the Lord. He's a great deal better business manager than anybody in this congregation."

THY KINGDOM COME.

Mrs. T. MacKnight, late of Teneriffe, Canary islands, writes: These islands are now an open field. They include seven islands. Canary, Teneriffe, Fuerteventure, Lanzarote, Palma, Hierro and Gomera. There is a call for evangelical work everywhere, and for school work in both Teneriffe and Canary."

The National Plant, Flower and Fruit guild of New York distributes flowers among the sick and poor, in hospitals and in homes. Last year it gave out 365,853 bunches of summer flowers, 34,515 bunches of function flowers, 8,990 plants and 1,484 bulbs.

Rev. Antonio B. Carrero, a preacher of the Mexican Evangelical church, writes that the Gospel is making excellent progress in that country. His own church, in Mexico City, has 150 members.

E. Tennyson Smith, the well-known English evangelist, has sailed for England, after a most successful world tour, which included the United States, Australia and New Zealand. He will return to this country in 1908.

Dr. Clark found seven Christian Endeavor societies in Chile in his recent tour of South America—one English-speaking and six Spanish.

Spoiled the Scene.

One night at a country theater Mrs. Siddons was "taking the poison" in the last act of some gloomy tragedy, when a boor in the gallery called out: "That's right, Molly, soop it oop, ma lass."

MILLINERY

Having received my Fall and Winter Millinery, I am prepared to show a very fine display of the latest in fall street and ready-to-wear hats, also new shirt waists, corsets and all kinds of silk and velvets.

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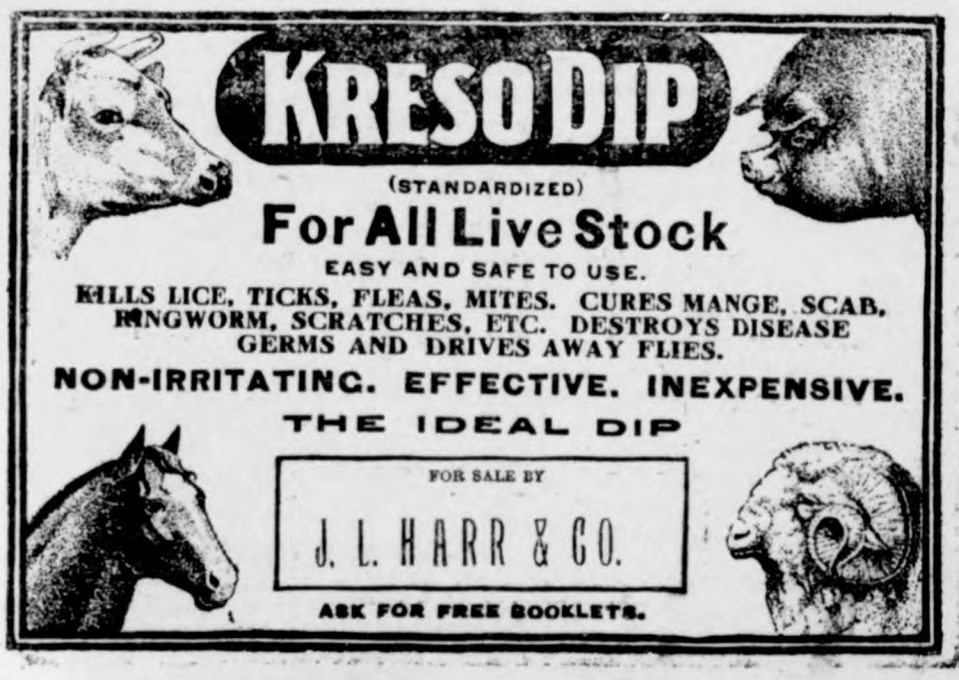
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In a room where there is a large rug in the center, this linoleum is used around the edge of the floor where the rug don't reach. This makes the floor look rich—like hard wood.

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Old Linoleum or oil cloth can be made to look like new by a single application of "Linoleum Lustre," a kind of an oil cloth paint—it dries over night.

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The floor in the "Clothing and Shoe Dept." of this store is covered with Linoleum, which has seen hard wear for 10 years and I honestly believe it will last from 8 to 10 years more.

Therefore, Linoleum is the most durable floor covering which can be bought for the money,

Ask to see the pretty paterns of linoleums and floor oil cloth at Wellemeyer's.

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For many years Chamberlain's cough remedy has constantly gained in favor and popularity until it is now one of the most staple medicines in use and has an enormous sale. It is intended especially for acute throat and lung diseases such as coughs colds and croup and can always be depended upon. It is a pleasant and safe to tak and is undoubtedly the best in the market for the purposes for which it is intended. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

An Agitator.

"There goes a man who has done much to arouse the people."

"Great labor agitator, eh?"

"No. Manufacturer of alarm clocks."

Iowa Farmer's Opportunity.

It is especially desirabla that the matter of the National Corn Exposition be called to the attention of Iowa farmers. This Exposition be held in Chicago, October 5th to 19th, 1907, and will undoubtedly be the greatest show of its kind ever held. Over $14,000 will be given in cash prizes alone, while a much greater amount will be offered in the way of special prizes. Prizes will be offered for state, interstate and national competition.

Iowa is the great corn state of the union; naturally great things will be expected of her in this cortest. Any one desiring special information and premium list should address Curt. M. Treat, Secretary, National Corn Exposition, Great Northern Building, 77 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago.

Iowa farmers who are especially interested in this contest are invited to correspond with M. L. Bowman, Ames, Iowa, Head of the Farm Crops Department of the Iowa State College. and Secretary of the Iowa Corn Growers' Association, who will be pleased to supply information relative to selecting a sample of corn for corn contests.

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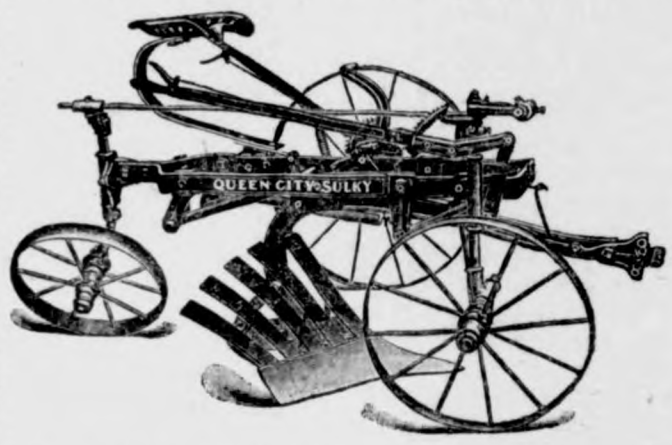

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Good Old Stock.

"Have ye anny ancisters, Mrs. Kelly?" asked Mrs. O'Brien.

"An' what's ancisters?"

"Why, people you shprung from."

"Listen to me, Mrs. O'Brien," said Mrs. Kelly, impressively. "I come from the rale stock of Donahues, thot shpring from nobody. They shpring at thim!"

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No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol for dyspepsia does not only relieve indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy helps all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

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MOST LIKELY.

"Who was the fellow who went around with a lantern looking for an honest man?"

"I don't know; but if he were to try it to-day somebody would steal his lantern!"

True Genius.

"Your daughter has genius, Mr. Straightout."

"Nonsense! She can't sing, nor she can't play!"

"No. But she knows it."

The Worst.

Young Wife (whose elderly husband is desperately ill)—Doctor, do not keep me in suspense! Tell me the worst!

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LOCAL NEWS

See Ell Bros. for ice.

Read the market report.

Arthur Wellemeyer has a new ad.

Walter R. Bloom shipped two loads of hogs Sunday morning.

Mrs. John Josten comes out in this issue with a new millinery ad.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

Judge Adams and son Johnnie returned to their home at Kalamazoo, Mich. last week Friday evening.

DeWitt's little early risers are good for anyone who needs a pill. They are small safe sure little pills that do not gripe or sicken. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The ones who attended the Britt Fair on Wednesday were. Frank, Fred and Clarence Kluckhohn, James Pavey and Claud Lawhorn.

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve is good for boils, burns. cuts scalds and skin diseases. It is especially good for piles. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Fred Schuldt started for his western trip Monday. He will stop at Colorado, Idaho and from there expects to go to California. He also took in the sights at the Minnesota State Fair.

There's a reason for that ache in your back—right where it stitches every time you bend over turn around or walk any distance. It's your kidneys. Take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills. They are unequaled for backache weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

We received the following renewals on subscription to the Times:

Mrs. Schwichtenberg, Klemme.

N. C. Swanson, Strathcona, Alta, Canada.

Frank Voelker, Weatherford, Oklahoma.

The way to get rid of a cold whether it be a bad cold or just a little one is to get it out of your system thru' the bowels. Nearly all cough cures especially those that contain opiates are constipating. Kennedy's laxative cough syrup contains no opiates and acts gently on the bowels. Pleasant to take. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Fred Schuldt was at Garner Saturday of last week.

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

R Studt and family of Luzerne, Iowa, are visiting with George Waterman and family.

Geo. Nissen of Titonka, called on friends in Klemme over Sunday, returning Monday afternoon.

Geo. Waterman and family drove to Garner Sunday and were the guests of Chas. Behrens and family.

Rev. Wm. Koerner who has been visiting here among relatives and friends, returned to Reinbeck Monday evening.

Art Wellemeyer left for Chicago the latter part of last week to purchase some of his fall line of goods. He returned Wednesday.

Roy Wendel drove to Belmond Sunday where he met his sister Miss Gertrude who had just returned from a visit with relatives at Highland, Illioins.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are providing to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. All Dealers.

Charles Kluckhohn while working with the cement gang in the Rock Island stock yards last week, had the misfortune of stepping onto a nail which penetrated his foot. This will lay Charles up for a few days

Pain everywhere paln in head and painful periods. Neuralgia toothache all pains can be promptly stopped by a thoroughly safe little pink candy tablet known by druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Pain simply means congestion, undue blood pressure at the point where pain exists. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets quickly equalize this unnatural blood pressure and pain immediately departs. Write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. and get a free trial package. Large box 25c.—druggists. All Dealers.

John Henschen left Monday evening for the Twin Cities where he will take in the State Fair. From there he will leave for Granville, N. Dak. where he expects to thresh this fall. We are certain that "Bobbie Carr" will make good.

Occasional headaches belching bad taste in the mouth lack of appetite and slight nervousness are symptoms of indigestion which when allowed to go uncared for will develop into a case of dyspepsia that will take a long time to get rid of. Don't neglect your stomach. At the first indication of trouble take something that will help it along in its work of digesting the food you eat. Kodol will make your food do you good and will enable you to enjoy what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The C. W. Wiles dance on Saturday evening was well attended. The Garner orchestra failed to make their appearance. Lawrence Larsen furnished the music with his phonograph which was appreciated by those in attendance.

There are a great many people who have slight attacks of ind'gestion and dyspepsia nearly all the time. Their food may satisfy the appetite but it fails to nourish the body simply because the stomach is not in fit condition to do the work it is supposed to do. It cant digest the food you eat. The stomach should be given help. You oughto take something that will do the work your stomach can't do. Kodol for indigestion and dyspepsia a combination of natural digestants and vegetable acids digests the food itself and gives strength and health to the stomach, pleasant to take. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

STOP

I am not only in the painting business, but am also prepared to take your pictures. Copying a specialty. Prices reasonable.

JOE MILLER.

Read the Klemme Times ad. opposite local page.

Ralph Blank and Ben Lau drove to Goodell, Sunday.

Get your refrigerater filled with ice regulary by Ell Bros.

H. Lau & Son have a new ad. which is worth your time to read.

C. W. Wiles and wife left Monday evening for the Twin Cities where they will take in the State Fair.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

Miss Gaezna Froehliug visited here among friends from last week Tuesday until Monday when she returned to her home at Belmond.

Mrs. J. Gruetzmacher and her daughter Miss Esther accompanied Mrs. Groh and her daughter Miss Estella as far as Garner on their return to Chicago Wednesday afternoon.

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some little candy cold tablets called preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening, taken at the sneeze stage. Preventics will prevent pneumonia bronchitis lagrippe, etc. Hence the name preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 preventics 25c. Sold by All Dealers.

The Ridder families received the sad news Monday that their mother had died very suddenly Sunday evening at Fenton Fred immediately left for there on Monday and returned Tuesday. Her remains will be taken to Rockford, Iowa, where she will be placed beside her husband. The Ridder families left for Rockford Tuesday by the way of Garner.

Stomach troubles heart and kidney ailments can be quickly corrected with a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The prompt and surprising relief which this remedy immediately brings is entirely due to its restorative action upon the controlling nerves of the stomach, etc. A weak stomach causing dyspepsia a weak heart with palpitation or intermittent pulse always means weak stomach nerves or weak heart nerves. Strengthen these inside or controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's restorative and see how quickly these ailments disappear. Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. will mail samples free, write for them a test will tell. Your health is certainly worth this simple trial. Sold by All Druggists.

Rev. G. H. Wessel was in attendance at the conference which was held at LeMars, Iowa, from Aug. 28th to Sept. 1st. Several changes were made in placing pastors in different fields of labor. We are glad to say to our readers that Rev. Wessel will stay with us another year, altho' he has had other good charges offered him. He would be greatly missed here as he is a great worker among the young people. Individually speaking, he has been assisting us in this office with a column of news regularly every week which means help to us and we appreciate this work from him. We are pleased to have the Reverand and family with us for another year.

Joe Miller left Monday evening for Goodell where he expects to paint several houser and barns.

Ben Lau after spending his vacation at home returned to the Cedar Rapids Business College Monday evening.

Goodell and Vicinity.

Henry Mayers of Cedar Rapids, is visiting at Goodell this week.

Leu Wilson left Monday night for North Dakota where he will thresh the rest of the season.

Mrs. Burke and daughter Ellen returned Friday from a week's visit to Ackley and Mason City.

Miss Mary Kelley who has been staying with her Aunt Mrs Frank Costello for the last year went home to Estherville, Saturday.

Most all the schools in Avery township began Monday. Gertrude Parker teaching No. 2, Anna Griewe No. 3, Loca Myers No. 4, Nellie Griggs No. 5, Lizzie Christie No. 7, Cora Schmalle No. 8, Margaret Costello No. 9.

HAD TETTER FOR THIRTY YEARS.

I have suffered with tetter for 30 years and have tried almost countless remedies with little if any relief. Three boxes of Chamberlain's salve cured me. It was a torture. It will break out a little sometimes but nothing to what it used to do. D H Beach Midland City, Ala. Chamberlain's salve is for sale by J L Harr & Co.

POULTRY MARKET AT ELL BROS.

Good until Wednesday, 9, 11th

Hens	9c
Spring chickens	11c
Old roosters	4c
Ducks young and fat	7½c
Geese	5c

LAME BACK.

This is an ailment for which Chamberlain's pain balm has proven especially valuable. In almost every instance it affords prompt and permanent relief. Luke LaGrange of Orange, Mich. says of it: After using a plaster and other remedies for three weeks for a bad lame back I purchsed a bottle of Chamberlain's pain balm and two applications effected a cure. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

A Complete Defense.

An irish woman was accused of having stolen an iron soap kettle and cracked it, so that its usefulness was ended.

Her defense, when brought before the judge, was as follows: "Oi have witnesses here, yer honor, t' prove, first, that Oi niver had th' kittle in me possession; second, that Oi returned it t' Mrs. Casey widout a crack in it; and, third, that th' old kittle was cracked whin Oi sthole it."

ATTACK OF DIARRHOEA CURED

by one dose of Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy.

I was so weak from an attack of diarrhoea that I could scarcely attend to my duties when I took a dose of Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy. It cured me entirely and I have been taking other medicine for nine days without relief. I heartily recommend this remedy as being the best to my knowledge for bowel complaints. R G Stewart of the firm of Stewart & Bro., Greenville, Ala. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

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The hostes who wishes something different is asked to try using striped and fancy grasses, rushes and little wild foliage plants that grow in damp places and along streams. A table can be made very pretty with these, using no flowers. Try it.

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IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

WIDOW DEMANDS DAMAGES.

Sequel To Legal Battle Over An Insurance Policy.

Des Moines.—As a sequel to the legal fight between C. C. Crowell of Des Moines and his daughter-in-law over the life insurance left by the late Emmett Crowell, a suit has been brought in district court in which the young widow demands $20,000 damages from her father-in-law for alleged slander. She alleges that he circulated stories in De. Moines and Minneapolis calculated to injure her reputation.

Young Crowell was connected with the Northwestern National Life Insurance company at Minneapolis and when he died he left a life insurance policy for $10,000. Shortly before his death he had borrowed $500 from his father and assigned the insurance policy to him as security. Crowell sought to collect the entire amount of the policy, but the widow claimed he was only entitled to the amount he had loaned his son. Judge Howe, before whom the case was tried, held in favor of the widow. Since then the relations between Mrs. Crowell and her father-in-law have been very much strained.

C. C. Crowell was formerly secretary of the old Northwestern Insurance company which was absorbed by the Northwestern National of Minneapolis. For a time he was proprietor of the Iliad and president of the Des Moines Department Store company. He now holds the position of vice president of the Cochrane Plumbing & Heating company.

BURNING OIL OVERFLOWS.

Manager Throws Himself in Mud Puddle to Extinguish Flames.

Waterloo.—Fire in the Standard Oil company's east side plant here destroyed $15,000 worth of property. F. W. Smith, the local manager, was horribly burned and escaped death by throwing himself into a pool of mud and water.

The fire started at about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon when a tank that was being filled from a car ran over. The oil poured into the office room and was ignited when it came in contact with a gasoline engne. The building was immediately a mass of flames. The tanks immediately began to leak, preventing an explosion, but allowing the burning oil to destroy barns and buildings and one horse was burned to death.

Mr. Smith, the manager, attempted to stop the engine used to pump the oil when the overflow began, but before he succeeded the oil reached it and the fire followed. His clothing took fire before he could leave the building. Rushing out he threw himself into a puddle of mud and water and extinguished the flames. He is horribly burned about the face head and arms, but it is believed he will recover. There was no insurance on any of the property destroyed.

SEVERE STORM HITS BOONE.

Hay Barns Destroyed and Cattle Killed by Lightning.

Boone.—Hay barns were destroyed and cattle were killed during the severe electrical, rain and wind storm which swept through here Wednesday night. A hay barn of Will Bass, residing north of Boone, was destroyed as was a large barn belonging to Arthur Nelson. A fine steer, the property of Fred Zturtz and J. N. Ross was killed by lightning. Washouts on the Northwestern between Denison and Carroll tied up train traffic for a short time. Two washouts on a branch near Manning knocked out the service there. Nearly five inches, the heaviest rainfall for years, visited Boone and vicinity.

AUTO RAN OVER BLIND MAN.

Barney Ward of Ida Grove Asks $5,000 Damages for Accident.

Ida Grove.—Barney Ward, the old-time Ida county citizen, a blind man, who was run over and terribly injured in Moline last April by an automobile belonging to the Deer-Clarke Motor Car company, has brought suit through his attorney, M. M. White of this city, for $5,000 damages. The auto was a freight truck, weighing fifteen tons, and was being run by a boy of sixteen without a license. Ward had both legs broken, a shoulder broken, his back wrenched and his body terribly bruised and for several months his life was despaired of.

Got $5.00 But Missed $500.00.

Waterloo.—While enroute to Waterloo to see the Barnum & Bailey circus, John Emert of Dewar was robbed of a five-dollar bill by an unknown pickpocket. Mr. Emert carried $500 in bills in another pocket, but this was not touched. He was bringing the money to Waterloo to make a deposit in a bank.

MURDERS MAID; KILLS SELF

They Were Lovers and Friends Expected Them to Marry Soon.

Iowa City.—What began harmlessly enough as a lovers' quarrel, developed into a murder and suicide, William Dohrer fatally wounding Florence Fuhrmeister and then killing himself.

The scene of the tragedy was the porch of the Fuhrmeister home, six miles north of this city. Here the girl dwells with her mother and grandfather, while her lover lived a few rods down the road. The two had been devoted to each other for over a year and it was generally understood that their marriage was to take place in a short time.

All was well between the two when Dohrer came to call this evening, but before long the girl's mother heard voices raised as if there was some disagreement. She did not interfere, however, deeming it slight. Then some time passed and the evening wore on until 11 o'clock.

Suddenly two shots were heard in rapid succession.

Rushing out, her mother saw Florence fallen to the floor of the porch, the blood spurting from a wound in the breast, while Dohrer still occupied a sitting position in his chair. He had evidently fired upon the girl without rising.

Physicians were at once called. It was evident that Dohrer, who had shot himself through the head, was dead, but there was life left in the girl. Her wound is believed to be fatal.

DEDICATE GRINNELL ARMORY

Elaborate Reception Held at the New Home of Company K.

Grinnell.—Grinnell's new $8,500 armory, the new home of Company K, Fifty-fourth infantry Iowa National guard, was formally dedicated by an elaborate reception Friday evening. From 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock the building was thrown open to visitors, following which a program was rendered, the chief addresses being by Prof. L. F. Parker of this city on "The Soldier and the State," by Lieut. Col. E. E. Lambert of Newton on "Our State Troops", and by Maj R. P. Howell of Iowa City on "The National Guardsman".

The keys of the building were presented to the company by the Hon. R. G. Coutts, who, with Dr. E. W. Clark and C. W. H. Beyer, owns the building Response was made by Capt. E. E. Bump, representing the company.

The armory is considered one of the best arranged in the state. The drill hall is 60x80 feet in dimensions and is constructed with a truss roof, leaving the floor free of pillars. An innovation in the construction of such buildings is the imbedding of the floor joists in five inches of concrete, effectually preventing any danger of sagging.

In addition to the drill hall, the armory contains a captain's room, reception room, reading room, locker room bath and toilet room and quartermaster's room.

BANK WRECKER UNDER ARREST.

A. W. Ferren Reported to Have Been Found in Kansas City.

Des Moines.—A. W. Ferren, cashier of the Farmers' State bank of Clearfield, Iowa, who has been absent for a year with nine indictments hanging over him, is under arrest in Kansas City and will be brought to Iowa for trial.

The bank at Clearfield failed a year ago last June. Shortly before it failed the directors o the bank displaced Ferren as cashier. When the crash came J. A. Hill was appointed receiver of the bank by the courts and Ferren was no place to be found.

The grand jury returned something like nine indictments against Ferren and the officials have been looking for him ever since. Ferren was treasurer for the public school funds and part of the indictments concerned the misuse of these funds.

LIGHTNING PREVENTS WRECK.

Illumination Discloses Chasm Made By Flood.

Ida Grove.—The midnight freight westbound Wednesday night had a narrow escape from being wrecked between Battle Creek and Danbury where 600 feet of the track was washed out by a heavy rain. Engineer Huff noted water on the track in a sag west of Battle Creek and slowed down but thought he would make a run for it and go through. Just as he was opening up the throttle a flash of lightning showed the track ahead to be out and applying the emergency he managed to stop before the engine tipped over. All trains Thursday were held at Battle Creek and at Danbury either side of the washout all day and traffic was not resumed till late in the afternoon.

DOES YOUR BACK ACHE?

Profit by the Experience of One Who Has Found Relief.

James R. Keeler, retired farmer, of Fenner St., Cazenovia, N. Y., says: "About fifteen years ago I suffered with my back and kidneys. I doctored and used many remedies without getting relief. Beginning with Doan's Kidney Pills, I found relief from the first box, and two boxes restored me to good, sound condition. My wife and many of my friends have used Doan's Kidney Pills with good results and I can earnestly recommend them."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

JAMIE WASTED NO TIME.

Youthful Philosopher Had Carefully Thought Out Situation.

It was Jamie's bath night. He had several each week and he hated them all. On this particular night, once started, he soaked and splashed in the tub for a full half hour, then his mother haled him forth. He came out of the room in his pajamas with his face all streaked and dirty as it was when he went in.

"Mercy!" cried his mother. "I thought you took a bath."

"So I did!" answered Jamie scornfully. "A bully one!"

"But your face is black!" said his mother.

"Oh!" Jamie smiled understandingly. "My face is all right. I have to wash that in the morning, bath or no bath. You don't s'pose I'm going to waste time bathing my face! I always begin just below my ears and work down on my arms and legs; but I always leave my face and hands—those ends I 'tend to in the morning!"

Sure to Have One.

Lincoln Steffens, in an address on municipal politics, said in Chicago of a certain city:

"That city is as notorious for its rottenness as the town of Pebbles is notorious for another characteristic.

"Here is an incident that will give you an idea of the reputation of Pebbles.

"On a train one day a man rushed into a car, held up his hand for attention, and shouted excitedly:

"'Anybody here who belongs to Pebbles?'

"'Aye; I do,' said a small, dry old fellow calmly.

"'Then,' said the other, 'lend us yer corkscrew.'"

Evil of Tipping System.

Although there is a great effort made to keep secret the thefts in hotels and restaurants in New York, it is quite evident they are on a rapid increase. The manager of a large restaurant says the system of having servants depend almost entirely upon patrons for their pay lowers their moral standard and causes them to look on those they are supposed to serve as their legitimate prey.

The Appropriate Location.

Caustic Critic—Why did you put that joker at the very end of the numbers in your entertainment program?

Member of Committee—Wasn't that all right? I thought a wag ought naturally to come at the tail end.

FEET OUT.

She Had Curious Habits.

When a person has to keep the feet out from under cover during the coldest nights in winter because of the heat and prickly sensation, it is time that coffee, which causes the trouble, be left off.

There is no end to the nervous conditions that coffee will produce. It shows in one way in one person and in another way in another. In this case the lady lived in S. Dak. She says:

"I have had to lie awake half the night with my feet and limbs out of the bed on the coldest nights, and felt afraid to sleep for fear of catching cold. I had been troubled for years with twitching and jerking of the lower limbs, and for most of the time I have been unable to go to church or to lectures because of that awful feeling that I must keep on the move.

"When it was brought to my attention that coffee caused so many nervous diseases, I concluded to drop coffee and take Postum Food Coffee to see if my trouble was caused by coffee drinking.

"I only drank one cup of coffee for breakfast but that was enough to do the business for me. When I quit it my troubles disappeared in an almost miraculous way. Now I have no more of the jerking and twitching and can sleep with any amount of bedding over me and sleep all night, in sound, peaceful rest.

"Postum Food Coffee is absolutely worth its weight in gold to me." "There's a Reason." Read the little health classic, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

GIFT NOT ALL A GIFT.

Generosity That Was Purely the Result of Accident.

A missionary bishop told this story about F. Marion Crawford, the famous novelist:

"Mr. Crawford went to school," he said, "in Concord, and one day he was taken to call at a Concord clergyman's.

"The clergyman had a missionary box on his drawing room table, and, time hanging heavily on the boy's hands, he amused himself with trying whether a silver dollar—it was all the money he had in the world, and he had converted it into that gigantic coin for safety—would go into the slit in the box's top.

"It was a close fit, but unfortunately it did go, and the coin slipped out of the embryo author's fingers. There was a terrible crash of silver falling among the coppers—and then the boy, as the novelists say, 'knew no more.'

"When he came to himself he found the clergyman and his family in raptures over his generosity."

CHILDREN TORTURED.

Girl Had Running Sores from Eczema —Boy Tortured by Poison Oak— Both Cured by Cuticura.

"Last year, after having my little girl treated by a very prominent physician for an obstinate case of eczema, I resorted to the Cuticura Remedies, and was so well pleased with the almost instantaneous relief afforded that we discarded the physician's prescription and relied entirely on the Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Pills. When we commenced with the Cuticura Remedies her feet and limbs were covered with running sores. In about six weeks we had her completely well, and there has been no recurrence of the trouble.

"In July of this year a little boy in our family poisoned his hands and arms with poison oak, and in twenty-four hours his hands and arms were a mass of torturing sores. We used only the Cuticura Remedies, and in about three weeks his hands and arms healed up. Mrs. Lizzie Vincent Thomas, Fairmont, Walden's Ridge Tenn., Oct. 13, 1905."

Riches Cause Trouble.

Great riches are ever accompanied by great anxieties, and an increase of our possessions is but an inlet to new disquietudes.—Goldsmith.

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FIFTEEN ARE KILLED

EXPRESS TRAIN AND TRACTION CAR COLLIDE IN ILLINOIS.

MEET ON CURVE HEAD ON

Telephone Orders, Misunderstood by Motormen, Said to Have Caused Disaster.

Mattoon, Ill., Aug. 31.—Fifteen persons were killed and fifty injured in a head-on collision between an interurban express train, consisting of a motor car and a trailer, and a traction car on the Mattoon and Charleston electric line at 10:30 o'clock Friday.

The crash occurred on a sharp curve one mile west of Charleston, Ill. A confusion of orders received over the telephone is said to have been the cause of the terrible accident.

The cars approached each other at a high rate of speed, and the impact was so terrific that the motor car and the trailer were telescoped by the traction car. There was no warning and but a few passengers had time to escape by jumping. The passengers, nearly all of them enroute to the Coles county fair at Charleston, were crushed or maimed where they sat in their seats.

Some of those who escaped death and were able to talk, say the scene at the wreck was grewsome. The dead and dying were jammed together in a mass. Women were shrieking with pain and children were crying for unconscious mothers who were thought to be among the dead.

When the news of the wreck reached Mattoon, special cars were hurried to the scene and the dead and injured were brought to the morgue and hospital here. Some of the injured are in a critical condition and there is little hope for their recovery.

RICHARD MANSFIELD DEAD.

Wife, Brother and Son at His Bedside When End Came.

New London, Conn., Aug. 31.—Richard Mansfield is dead. The best known actor on the American stage and one of the greatest actors of the present generation passed away Friday morning at his home, Seven Oaks, on Ocean avenue.

Mr. Mansfield appeared for the last time in New York, in March, after a tiring tour of the country in "Peer Gynt". His health, that had been failing for some time, gave way and he sought England for rest, but returned to America within a few weeks. Since that time he has been growing steadily worse.

His death was directly due to a disease of the liver aggravated by complications. Dr. Allen, the local physician who has had charge of Mansfield since he arrived from Saranac lake stated that his death was not entirely unexpected, although this fact has not been made public.

During the great actor's last moments he was lying in a condition of coma and did not recognize those at his bedside.

There were present at the time of his death his wife, his brother Felix, his young son, Gibbs, and the physicians and nurses.

Curiously enough, the great actor's last appearance on the stage was in "The Parisian Romance" in the role of Baron Chevrial in which his first real and lasting impression was made. His last appearance was March 23.

HANGMAN CHEATED OF VICTIM.

Pennsylvania Noose Party Decidedly Unsuccessful.

Indiana, Pa., Aug. 31.—The first hanging in this country for more than twenty years took place here yesterday and was not a success, as, owing to the breaking of the rope, the operation had to be repeated. The victim of the law was Carmine Renzo, aged 45 years and weighing 175 pounds. The weight of the man and the drop of five feet proved too much for the strength of the rope, which snapped when the trap was sprung, preciptation Renzo to the ground. The jail attendants hurriedly loosened the rope around his neck while others adjusted a new rope to the scaffold, and the man, already half dead, was carried to the platform and the lever again sprung. This time the execution was successful.

EIGHTY-FOUR MEN DROWNED.

Scores of Workmen Perish When Bridge Falls.

Quebec, Can., Aug. 30.—The great Quebec bridge collapsed late yesterday afternoon and now the vast mass of steel work lies a tangled wreck across the St. Lawrence channel. A careful estimate places the loss of life at eighty-four.

There is scarcely a family in the villages of Stromuald and New Liverpool which has not been bereaved, while in some cases five and six men of a single family have been killed. From almost every house is heard the sound of lamentations of women. The men are gathered around the approaches to the wrecked bridge to help rescue those who still are alive in the wreckage and to aid in the search for dead bodies.

A Base Insinuation.

"I hear the Neweds have had a dreadful quarrel and that the bride is talking of going home to her mother. What's the matter?"

"I believe one evening she got the supper from her cooking school recipes, and when the boys in the neighborhood lost their ball in a hole under the fence, Mr. Newed gave them one of her biscuits to finish the game."

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"Going away, Madge?"

"Yes, going away. But before I go I have something to say to you."

"Something to say to me, little wife?"

"Yes, something to say to you. Don't send me any poker stories in lieu of the weekly remittance. That'll be about all."

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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The extraordinary popularity of fine white goods this summer makes the choice of Starch a matter of great importance. Defiance Starch, being free from all injurious chemicals, is the only one which is safe to use on fine fabrics. Its great strength as a stiffener makes half the usual quantity of Starch necessary, with the result of perfect finish, equal to that when the goods were new.

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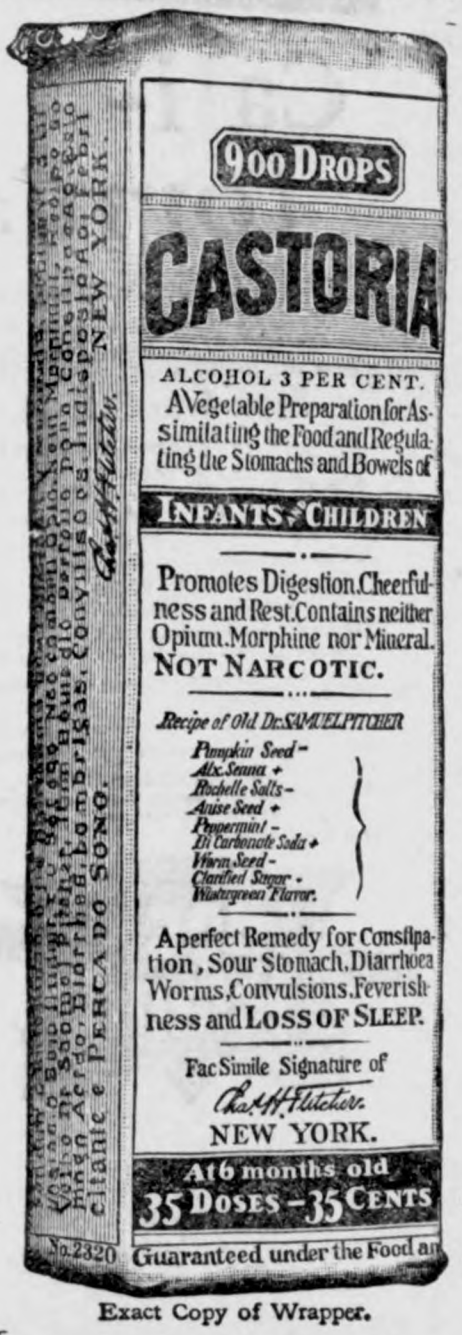
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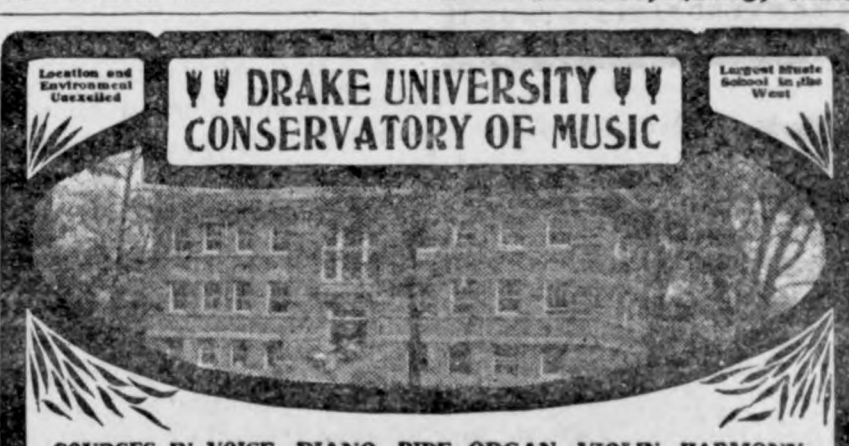

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German M. E. Church Items

Mother Lau and Mrs. W. F. Lau were in Garner, Monday.

Esther Lenz and Ida Luedeke will attend school in Klemme this year.

Meta Stork was in Garner one day last week to have dental work done.

Geo. Gruetzmacher went to Beltrami, Minn. Tuesday to look after his land interest.

Mrs. Groh and Estella Gruetzmacher started back for their home in Chicago on Wednesday.

Elmer Arnold, Mary Greffin and Clara Griewe went to the Minnesota State Fair Monday.

Rev. Koerner spent part of the week with his children on his way home from conference.

Rev. J. F. Hartke made a short visit with relatives Tuesday on his way back from conference.

Rev. C. A. Schuldt well known by many in this county retired from the ministery and will move to Garner.

Anna and Ella Griewe were in Garner Saturday. The former passed examination for a teacher's certificate.

Ella Ridder returned from Waterloo, Tuesday, where she spent several months with her aunt Mrs. Kulper.

Grandma Schwichtenberg stepped through a broken board last week and had a bad fall causing her much pain.

The Klemme "Standard Bearer" society is hard at work getting up a mission entertainment. Watch for the announcement.

Arthur Wellemeyer went to Chicago, Sunday morning. He will attend to business and return by the middle of the week.

The sad intelligence reached us Monday morning that Mother Ridder had died on Sunday evening at the home of her son Adolf in Fenton.

The Germantown W. F. M. Society held their monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Ed. Schaefer. They start out determined to do a good year's work.

A talk on Orphan work will be given in the Klemme church on Sunday evening, illustrated with stereoptican views. A collection will be taken at the close for the Warrenton orphanage.

Frank Gruetzmacher our local nimrod, is hard after the chickens these days. For a change he took a number of ladies out one day instead of so many dogs—to our surprise he got the chickens just the same.

The following statement which is the financial report of the Klemme and Germantown societies for the conference year ending with August is a proof that our people have not been weary in well doeing:

For ministerial support	$ 814 00
For mission	374 00
For education	25 00
For conference claimants and fund	28 00
For general conference expenses	17 00
For church extention	103 00
For Womans Missionary Society and Standard Bearers	138 00
For improvements	150 00
For running expenses	160 00
For Sunday school expenses	68 00
For American S. S. union	27 00
For small collections	58 00
Total	$1962 00

Little Arthur Pulfrey decided to take a walk on Monday, but lost his way. When his mother missed her little boy she gave the alarm and the whole threshing crew at work at Bredlow's turned out to find him. He was soon found far out in the field.

Rev. G. Haefner at one time pastor in Klemme, took a superanuated relation to his conference and will spend his declining years in Klemm. We heartily welcome him in our midst and trust he will enjoy the rest he deserves after 35 years of strenuous work.

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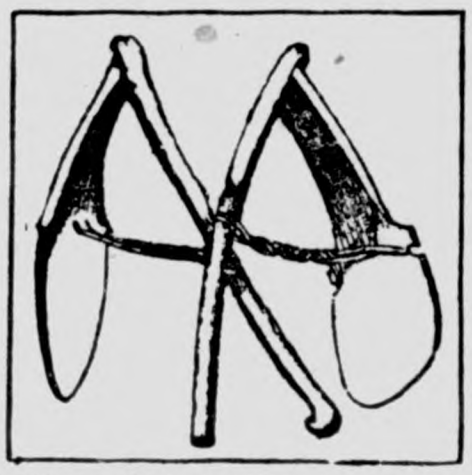

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Small Channel Island.

Jethou island is by far the smallest of the channel islands, and boasts the distinction of being the smallest inhabited island in Europe, having, indeed, only one dwelling house upon it. It has a population of seven souls. It has no road or pathway or post. At the last census more than half the population of the island was absent, having gone into Guernsey market with the butter and cream from the Jethou cows. The weather being bad, the visitors had to stay at Guernsey during the census time.

Secured Veteran Catfish.

Nearly asleep reading about a bear coming up a bank after a hunter, Howard Davidheiser was almost pulled into the water by a sudden pulling at his rod while fishing at Sanatoga Lake, Pa. The rod did finally break, but Davidheiser managed to land his prize, an ancient catfish over 17 inches long. He was badly stung in the thumb, however, and his hand swelled to alarming proportions. Half a dozen hooks were found inside the fish, an indication of how crafty he had been in escaping from the anglers.

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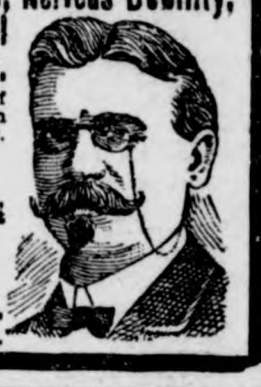

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The members have divided themselves in three divisions and will represent Europe, Asia and Africa.

Three tents will be used for this purpose which will be made to look as pristine as possible. Real colored people will occupy them. They will serve meals which you have never eaten before.

Each country will give a programe consisting of solos, duetts, ladies quartetts, male quartetts, mandolin solo, violin tric, and declamations. They will close with a chorus of all nations joining. Do not fail to take this in.

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The Child's Viewpoint.

Percy Alder, M. P., of London, told an amusing story of a small girl at a recent meeting of the Children's Happy Evenings association. The child had been sent away to the country for a holiday, and questioned as to what in all her holiday had pleased her most, this little slum maiden, whose London home adjoined a waste piece of land, replied: "Seeing no dead cats."

Birds Not Afraid of Man.

Among southern African birds which manifest wonderful tameness is the Cape wagtail, which not only penetrates to the living room in search of flies, but will pick them from the old Boer's velschoons as he sits on his stoep, and perch about his chair.

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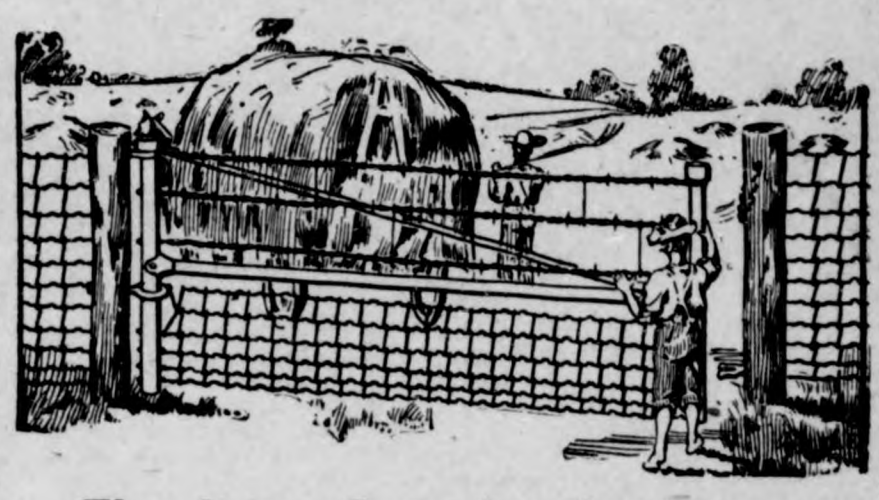

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Japanese art is running too strongly to the drawing of fortifications.

There is a failure of the grape crop in Hungary. Perhaps this will cheer up the French wine growers.

A scientist declares that kissing will kill freckles. Take this home and try it on your freckle-faced girl.

The young woman who took her wedding trip and left her husband at home was merely starting in early to train him.

Take your slate and pencil and figure it out. If the wife is the better half and a man marries three times, isn't he 50 in the hole?

Paris is feeling much disturbed because its skyline is likely to be marred by skyscrapers. Paris overlooks the Eiffel tower, evidently.

A Long Island woman says she would not take August Belmont's word for one dollar. Would she take one of Mark Twain's for 30 cents?

To prepare the people of China for their duties under constitutional government, an imperial decree has been issued granting provincial self-government to the provinces of Pechili and Kiangsu. The Chinese are moving slowly, but that they are moving at all is the remarkable thing.

John Gresham Brooks, who says that race suicide is encouraged because it costs so much to bring up children in town, should take a trip through the rural neighborhoods and explain why they are closing up some of the district schools for lack of children.

People who are afraid of lightning ought to be reassured by the statistics showing that on an average only 800 people are killed in the United States each year by lightning strokes. This makes the average person's chance of being killed by lightning in any year about 1 in 100,000.

Locomotive drivers in all countries are obliged to pass tests for color blindness. In Germany the drivers of automobiles are now required to submit to examination of their color vision. A color-blind chauffeur may be quite as dangerous as one who is reckless.

A New York millionaire is reported to have gone to his boyhood home in Indiana, bought the old barn door on which in youth he had carved his initials, and moved it to New York, to be set up somewhere in his city house. His reminiscences must be of an unusually cheerful kind. To most men the old barn door of their youth was the drop-curtain to scenes which they do not care to recall.

The gunuboat Wolverine, which is said to be the firstiron ship ever constructed, was present at Put-in-Bay, on Lake Erie, when the monument to Commodore Peary was dedicated there on August 5. Since that ship was built, iron has been used for bridges and buildings, displacing stone and wood to such an extent that iron making has become a far greater industry than lumbering ever was.

Fashionable women in Washington are planning a hotel for cats. The women, in the kindness of their hearts, are unwilling to leave their pets without care when they go away for the summer. They think that there would be patronage enough for such a hotel to make it profitable. Boston already has an endowed cat home not only for the care of pet cats but for the rescue of such aged and indigent cats as have been turned loose in the world.

Cooperation is invited by the mayor of Lichfield, England, in repairing the house of Michael Johnson, where the son, Samuel—the great Dr. Johnson—was born. In the house was the book shop where proud young Samuel refused to stand behind the counter. Years later, after his father's death Johnson made a pilgrimage of repentance to Litchfield, and with head uncovered, stood for an hour in the rain before the shop.

President Buchanan had the misfortune to be in a position which required qualities which he did not possess, yet he had some fine traits. It has recently been disclosed that in 1859 a railroad company sent him a pass over its lines. He returned it with the statement that it had been the practice of his life to pay his fare because he was opposed to the whole system of granting privileges to persons not connected with the railroads. It has taken more than 4 years for this feeling to become strong enough to induce congress to prohibit the issuing of passes on interstate railroads.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

TWELVE WERE KILLED.

Awful Accident Due to Breaking of Flange.

Cedar Falls.—Twelve men were instantly killed and an equal number seriously hurt in the wreck of the Rock Island passenger No. 31 three miles west of here on the 6th. Two of the injured died at the hospital later, making the total dead fourteen.

The wreck was due to a flange of the tender breaking, the baggage and mail cars behind it telescoping the smoker and chair car, and grinding the former to small bits.

The dead are: H. T. Myron, Waterloo, mechanic on way to Greene; W. J. Lanphere, farmer, Shell Rock; two Italians enroute to St. Paul from Hammond, Ind.; unknown man, no identification marks; unknown man, initials R. H. T. embroidered on clothing; unknown man, bankbook with name of Mrs. Henry Coleman, El Reno, Okla.; John Watson, Waterloo, traveling salesman; Will Goodwin, Waterloo; R. R. Christie, Minneapolis; B. B. Cliver, Waterloo, traveling salesman for the Nauman Co., Waterloo; Raymond Johnson, Waterloo; J. H. Douglas, farmer near Raymond, aged 61 years; W. H. Myers, baggagemen, Burlington.

The train left this city a few minutes late at 10:10 a. m., and had run as far as Norris siding, three miles from here, when the accident occurred. Without the least warning the tender suddenly jumped the track and pulled the engine with it. The train men in the cab jumped for their lives and miraculously escaped. In a few seconds after they had leaped both the engine and tender were on their backs in the ditch.

The horror happened when the baggage and mail cars buckled and telescoped upon the smoker.

Of nineteen persons in the smoker only eight escaped alive, and only two, A. D. Welliver of Cedar Rapids and George Cameron, agent of the Brown News Company, escaped uninjured. Eleven were killed instantly, of whom four are unidentified. Seven are seriously injured and in the Synodical hospital at Waterloo.

The first section of a fast freight was on the siding waiting for the passenger train, when the train jumped the track and crashed into the freight, derailing the engine and tender of that train. Engineer Kinch of the freight train was standing on the running board and was not hurt. Engineer Al Mason and Fireman Henry McCann of the passenger escaped with slight bruises, although the cab was ground to kindling wood. The only railway employe injured was Baggageman Myers.

COAL OIL CLAIMS VICTIM.

Centerville Woman Fatally Burned by Explosion.

Centerville.—Two tragedies stirred this city on the 5th, both the more lamentable because the result of carelessness.

The fire which Mrs. Seth Thomas had started to cook the evening meal did not ignite apparently and she poured coal oil on the wood. A terrific explosion occurred and the unfortunate woman was in an instant wrapped in a sheet of flame. Her husband hearing her screams rushed in and fought the flames with his bare hands. He was badly burned himself. Mrs. Thomas is still alive but there is hardly any hope of recovery for she is burned deeply from head to foot.

The other terrible event of the day occurred to a miner named August Falla, who was out hunting squirrels with a companion about nine miles north of here.

Falla shot a squirrel. The bullet did not kill the animal and he grasped his gun by the barrel to wield as a club. Both barrels discharged simultaneously as he swung the weapon and the shot passed through his chest, killing him instantly.

SHOOTS TO PROTECT HOME.

Sixteen-Year-Old Burlington Boy Shoots W. J. Dunne.

Burlington.—Because of repeated persecutions, it is alleged, 16-year-old Charley Duryea, living about six miles north of the city on the Irish Ridge road, shot and wounded W. J. Dunne at the Duryea home. The bullet penetrated Dunne's abdomen, hit a rib and glanced around, lodging near the surface of the skin in the right hip. Dunne's wound is not serious and he was able to come to town and file an information against his assailant. Mrs. Duryea, mother of the boy who did the shooting and a hard working and respectable widow, drove in with the lad, who gave himself up to the police. He was locked up pending his preliminary hearing.

Dunne, who was rather intoxicated when he appeared at the police station, said that Duryea shot him without provocation. Mrs. Duryea and her son tell a different story. They argue that Dunne has repeatedly persecuted them and that they wanted him to keep away from the place.

MILLIONAIRE IS INDICTED.

Horace Rand Charged With Fraud in Land Grabs.

Des Moines.—Horace S. Rand, a son-in-law of the late Senator Gear, a millionaire lumberman and probably the wealthiest man in Burlington, was among the men indicted last April by the federal grand jury at Boise, Idaho, along with Senator William E. Borah and others, for alleged timber land frauds.

The news leaked out when a warrant was served upon Mr. Rand through United States Marshal Clark of this district at his home in Burlington. Mr. Rand is reported to have been prostrated by the indictment and is now in a dangerous condition at his home in that city.

The information returned against the Burlington man was included in a general indictment which included Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, Frank Martin, attorney general of Idaho, J. T. Barber and half a dozen other prominent men who were stockholders in the Barber Lumber company.

The indictments were reported by the federal grand jury at Boise, Idaho, last April according to the documents sent the federal authorities in Des Moines, but have been kept secret until service could be obtained upon all the defendants. Mr. Rand is indicted as one of the defendants alleged to be connected with the fraudulent entry of 40,000 acres of timber land in Boise county. The lands were turned over to the Barber company and are now said to be worth a million dollars.

At Burlington the service of the warrant created a great sensation, and citizens as a whole there are confident that Mr. Rand will be speedily acquitted. He is one of the wealthiest, if not the wealthiest citizen in Burlington, and has long been known as a leader in all movements for civic and social improvement.

EDITOR IS GUILTY.

A. H. Sniff of Missouri Valley is Convicted of Manslaughter.

Logan.—A. H. Sniff, editor of the Harrison County News of Missouri Valley, is guilty of manslaughter. This is the verdict returned by the jury.

Sniff's claim of self-defense was of little avail, the story told by himself on the witness stand being flatly refuted by other witnesses. An appeal will probably be taken.

The charge on which the editor was tried and convicted was that of killing Mert Brundige on March 5. Sniff took the stand and told his story of the case. He said that on March 5 he was recovering from an illness. He had heard that Brundige had threatened him because of a story appearing in his paper; that the marshal had visited his office and warned him that Brundige had threatened him, and advised him to arm himself. He armed himself with a revolver on that day, and, while coming out of the Opera House saloon, he saw Brundige. Sniff hurried to his office and Brundige followed. At the steps leading to his office he turned and warned Brundige not to come nearer. Brundige then rushed him, and he fired.

Brundige died from the wound.

The marshal also took the stand and denied that he had warned the editor against Brundige and advised him to carry arms.

DEATH IN CYCLONE.

Des Moines.—Out of a terrorizing curtain of greenish elements which spread over Des Moines and the surrounding vicinity on the evening of the 7th, a demoniacal rain, hail and wind storm of a cyclonic nature came down and in an instant swept over a broad section, leaving behind it death and destruction and thousands of awe stricken people.

Coming out of the northwest the tornado rushed through the heart of Valley Junction, demolishing houses, injuring people and throwing freight cars in many instances a distance of fifty feet. After playing havoc there the storm swept Ingersoll park and the western portion of the city and then spreading southward only the edges of the strip touched the business districts of Des Moines.

At Valley Junction the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Collum was struck and left in a heap of ruins 200 yards away. When the debris was cleared away the aged woman was found dead, not from injury so much as from fright. The residence of Martin Cleary at Valley Junction was literally mashed to pieces.

Auburn Boy Killed By Train.

Auburn.—Attempting to jump a freight train switching in the yards, Roscoe Roe, 17 years of age, son of Station Agent Roe, did not notice a team approaching in the opposite direction and was struck and kicked under the wheels of the train, being crushed to a pulp. He was a graduate of the 1907 high school class.

FURNISHING BACKBONE TO MOROCCO

Germany has been supplying arms and ammunition to the Arabs in Morocco.

ROBBERS DYNAMITE A BANK

TAKE $8,000 FROM INSTITUTION IN FRANKFORT, S. D.

Citizens Held at Bay by Armed Men—Bandits Make Escape on a Handcar.

Frankfort, S. D.—The James River bank, at this place, was dynamited between two and four o'clock Friday morning and the robbers escaped with $8,000 in cash and valuable papers.

Seven charges of dynamite were used in blowing up the vault and the safe. Persons aroused by the explosion were prevented from interfering by guards who were stationed at the front and rear of the bank. Frank Fitzpatrick, a hotel guest, who sought to break through the line of guards, was shot. His wound is not dangerous. Many shots were fired to hold onlookers at bay.

After looting the bank the robbers broke into a section house on the Chicago & Northwestern railway and secured a handcar on which they made their escape.

A posse has been organized and is seeking the robbers.

RECEIVER FOR IRON COMPANY.

One of Bank Wrecker Harper's Concerns in Trouble.

Bristol, Va.—Judge A. M. Skeen of the United States court here Wednesday appointed Col. L. O. Pettit of Big Stone Gap receiver of the Union Iron and Steel corporation of New York, owning furnaces in Virginia, Ohio, Michigan and New Jersey.

The Union Iron and Steel corporation is an offshoot of the Union Steel and Chain corporation—the latter a $60,000,000 concern—organized several years ago by Edward L. Harper, formerly of Cincinnati.

It is reported that the receivership is a plan of the creditors of E. L. Harper to uncover his assets. Obligations aggregating several million dollars are held by Cincinnati and Chicago bankers against Harper, as a result of the failure of the Fidelity bank of Cincinnati about 20 years ago. Harper, it was alleged, wrecked this institution in an attempt to corner the wheat market. For this he was sentenced to eight years in the Ohio penitentiary.

Warship Coming to St. Louis.

Washington—Acting Secretary Newberry has ordered the tug Lebanon to tow the converted yacht Huntress from League Island, Pa., to Pensacola, Fla. There the Huntress will be formally turned over to the naval militia of Missouri, a crew from which will take the vessel to St. Louis. This will be the first time that a warship has been permanently stationed as far up the Mississippi river as St. Louis. Reports to the navy department from the recruiting parties in the middle west show the development of a remarkable interest in naval affairs in that section.

Falling Tree Kills Seven.

Raleigh, N. C.—Details of the disastrous effect of a lightning stroke at Buckhorn Falls, in Chatham county, show that seven men were killed and ten injured. A heavy storm had forced 50 to 70 men to seek shelter in the cement house of the Buckhorn Falls' power plant. Lightning struck a large tree back of the house and the tree, splitting, fell over on the building, instantly killing two white men and five negroes and injuring three whites and seven negroes, all of them residents of this vicinity.

OIL TRUST INDICTED AGAIN.

True Bills Returned Against It and Two Railroads.

Jamestown, N. Y.—An investigation which was begun before the federal grand jury in this city early in July was concluded Friday and the jury discharged by Judge Hazel, of the western district of New York. Before adjournment the jury found four indictments, one each against the Standard Oil company, the New York Central Railroad company, the Pennsylvania Railway company, and one against the two railroads jointly.

The indictment against the Standard Oil company and those against the railway companies separately contained 54 counts, all of them charging a violation of the interstate commerce law, either in accepting or granting rebates on oil shipments from Olean to points in Vermont. The law provides a penalty of $20,000 for each provision violated or each count; therefore, if convictions are made according to the indictments returned, the three companies will be subject to a total fine of $876,000.

CANNOT DISMISS CADETS.

Col. Howze Lacks Authority in the West Point Difficulty.

Washington. — If Col. Howze, commandant of cadets at West Point, threatened to dismiss a whole class because the members sent one of their number to "Coventry," he overrated his authority, according to the officials of the war department. The power of dismissal in such cases is not confided to any official of lower rank than the president. The extent of the commandant's power would be temporarily to suspend the offending cadets and to recommend dismissal, first to the superintendent of the academy, Col. Scott, and then to the secretary of war and the president.

War department officials do not believe, however, that Col. Howze went to this length, and they feel confident that the matter is one that can be handled by the faculty and the superintendent of the academy without reference to the department.

PICKPOCKETS FIGHT CONDUCTOR

Lively Encounter with Thieves on a Rock Island Train.

Omaha, Neb.—Three armed crooks who had picked the pockets of a number of Rock Island passengers at the station in Lincoln, and attempted to continue their game on the train, engaged in a desperate encounter with Conductor Henry Duval on the Rocky Mountain limited, near Alvo station, about one o'clock Friday morning.

After standing off Conductor Duval with a knife, the men leaped from the moving train, about eight miles west of Alvo, and escaped in the darkness. The Rock Island special agents have been sent to the vicinity of their escape with good descriptions of the men.

Wilhelmina Bache Set Free.

Madison, Wis.—With every possible indication that she was not guilty of the crime of murder, for which she has already served 16 years of a life sentence in the state prison, Wilhelmina Bache was released from Waupun prison Friday. Her life sentence for the murder of Michael Sell of Shawano county, was commuted by Gov. Davidson. She went to the penitentiary when she was 17 years old.

THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES
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CHAPTER XXIV.—Continued.

"I think you are quite right, sir," said Bates. He threw down the revolver he held in his hand and leaned upon the edge of the long table that lay on its side, his gaze still bent on Pickering, who stood with his overcoat buttoned close, his derby hat on the floor beside him, where it had fallen as Bates hauled him into the room.

The sound of a measured step, of some one walking, of a careful foot on a stairway, was quite distinct. I even remarked the slight stumble that I had noticed before.

We were all so intent on those steps in the wall that we were off guard. I heard Bates yell warningly, and Larry and Stoddard rushed for Pickering. He had drawn a revolver from his overcoat pocket and was about to fire at me when Stoddard sent the weapon flying through the air.

"Only a moment now, gentlemen," said Bates, an odd smile on his face. He was looking past me toward the right end of the fireplace. There seemed to be in the air a feeling of something impending. Even Morgan and his men, half-crouching, ready for a rush at me, hesitated; and Pickering glanced nervously from one to the other of us. It was the calm before the storm; in a moment we should be at each other's throats for the final struggle, and yet we waited. In the wall I heard still the sound of steps. They were clear to all of us now. We stood there for what seemed an eternity—I suppose the time was really not more than 30 seconds—inert, waiting, while I felt that something must happen; the silence, the waiting, were intolerable. I grasped my pistol and bent low for a spring at Morgan; and every man in the room was instantly on the alert.

All but Bates. He remained rigid—that curious smile on his blood-smeared face, his eyes bent toward the end of the great fireplace back of me.

That look on his face held, arrested, numbed me; I followed it. I forgot Morgan; a tacit truce held us all again. I stepped back till my eyes fastened on the broad paneled chimney-breast at the right of the hearth, and it was there now that the sound of footsteps in the wall was heard again; then it ceased utterly, the long panel opened slowly, creaking slightly upon its hinges, then down into the room stepped Marian Devereux. She wore the dark gown in which I had seen her last, and a cloak was drawn over her shoulders.

She laughed as her eyes swept the room.

"Ah, gentlemen," she said, shaking her head, as she viewed our disorder, "what wretched housekeepers you are!"

Steps were again heard in the wall, and she turned to the panel, held it open with one hand and put out the other, waiting for some one who followed her.

Then down into the room stepped my grandfather, John Marshall Glenarm! His staff, his cloak, the silk hat above his shrewd face, and his sharp, black eyes were unmistakable. He drew a silk handkerchief from the skirts of his frock coat, with a characteristic flourish that I remembered well, and brushed a bit of dust from his sleeve before looking at any of us. Then his eyes fell upon me.

"Good morning, Jack," he said; and then gazed with mild curiosity about the room.

"God help us!"

It was Morgan, I think, who screamed these words as he bolted for the broken door, but Stoddard caught and held him.

"Thank God, you're here, sir!" broke forth in Bates' sepulchral voice.

It seemed to me that I saw all that happened with a weird, unnatural distinctness, as one sees, before a storm, vivid outlines of far headlands that the usual light of day fails to disclose.

I was myself dazed and spellbound; but I do not like to think, even now, of the effect of my grandfather's appearance on Arthur Pickering; of the shock that seemed verily to break him in two, so that he staggered, then collapsed, his head falling as though to strike his knees. Larry caught him by the collar and dragged him to a seat, where he huddled, his twitching hands at his throat.

"Gentlemen," said my grandfather, "you seem to have been enjoying yourselves. Who is this person?"

He pointed with his stick to the sheriff, who was endeavoring to crawl out from under the mass of broken crystals.

"That, sir, is the sheriff," answered Bates.

"A very disorderly man, I must say. Jack, what have you been doing to cause the sheriff so much inconvenience? Didn't you know that that chandelier was likely to kill him? That thing cost a thousand dollars. Gentlemen, you are expensive visitors. Ah, Morgan,—and Ferguson, too! Well, well! I thought better of both of you. Good morning, Stoddard! A little work for the church militant! And this gentleman?"—he indicated Larry, who was, for once in his life, without anything to say.

"Mr. Donovan,—a friend of the house," explained Bates.

"Pleased, I'm sure," said the old gentleman. "Glad the house has a friend. It seems to have had enemies enough," he added, and eyed the wreck of the room ruefully. The good humor in his face reassured me; but still I stood in tongue-tied wonder, staring at him.

"And Pickering!" John Marshall Glenarm's voice broke with a quiet mirth that I remembered as the preface usually of something unpleasant. "Well, Arthur, I'm glad to find you on guard, defending the interests of my estate. At the risk of your life, too! Bates!"

"Yes, Mr. Glenarm."

"You ought to have called me earlier. I really prized that chandelier immensely. And this furniture wasn't so bad!"

His tone changed abruptly. He pointed to the sheriff's deputies one after the other with his stick. There was, I remembered, always something insinuating, disagreeable and final about my grandfather's staff.

"Clear out!" he commanded. "Bates, see these fellows through the wall. Mr. Sheriff, if I were you I'd be very careful, indeed, what I said of this affair. I'm a dead man come to life again, and I know a great deal that I didn't know before I died. Nothing, gentlemen, fits a man for life like a temporary absence from this cheerful and pleasant world. I recommend you to try it."

Pickering sat silent, not sure whether he saw a ghost or real flesh and blood, and Larry kept close to him, cutting off his retreat. I think we all experienced that bewildered feeling of children who are caught in mischief by a sudden parental visitation. My grandfather went about peering at the books, with a tranquil air that was disquieting.

He paused suddenly before the design for the memorial tablet, which I had made early in my stay at Glenarm House. I had sketched the lettering with some care, and pinned it against a shelf for my more leisurely study of its phrases. The old gentleman pulled out his glasses and stood with his hands behind his back, reading. When he finished he walked to where I stood.

"Jack!" he said, "Jack, my boy!" His voice shook and his hands trembled as he laid them on my shoulders. "Marian,"—he turned, seeking her, but the girl had vanished. "Just as well," he said. "This room is hardly an edifying sight for a woman." I heard, for an instant, a light hurried step in the wall.

Pickering, too, heard that faint, fugitive sound, and our eyes met at the instant it ceased. The thought of her tore my heart, and I felt that Pickering saw and knew and was glad.

"They have all gone, sir," reported Bates, returning to the room.

"Now, gentlemen," began my grandfather, seating himself, "this little secret of mine was shared by only two persons. One of these was Bates,"—he paused as an exclamation broke from all of us; and he went on, enjoying our amazement,—"and the other was Marian Devereux. I had observed for years that at a man's death his property often gets into the wrong hands, or becomes a bone of contention among lawyers. Sometimes,"—and the old gentleman laughed,—"an executor proves incompetent or dishonest. I was thoroughly fooled in you, Pickering. The money you owe me is a large sum; and you were so delighted to hear of my death that you didn't even make sure I was really out of the way. You were perfectly willing to accept Bates' word for it; and I must say that Bates carried it off splendidly."

Down Into the Room Stepped My Grandfather.

Pickering rose, the blood surging again in his face, and screamed at Bates, pointing a shaking finger at the man.

"You impostor,—you perjurer! The law will deal with your case."

"To be sure," resumed my grandfather, calmly; "Bates did make false affidavits about my death; but possibly—"

"It was in a Pickwickian sense, sir," said Bates gravely.

"And in a righteous cause," declared my grandfather. "I assure you, Pickering, that I have every intention of taking care of Bates. His weekly letters giving an account of the curious manifestations of your devotion to Jack's security and peace were alone worth a goodly sum. But, Bates—"

The old gentleman was enjoying himself hugely. He chuckled now, and placed his hand on my shoulder.

"Bates, it was too bad I got those missives of yours all in a bunch. I was in a dahabiyeh on the Nile and they don't have rural free delivery in Egypt. Your cablegram called me home before I had finished reading the letters. But thank God, Jack, you're alive!"

There was real feeling in these last words, and I think we were all touched by them.

"Amen to that!" cried Bates.

"And now, Pickering, before you go I want to show you something. It's about this mysterious treasure, that has given you—and I hear, the whole countryside—so much concern. I'm disappointed in you, Jack, that you couldn't find the hiding place. I designed that as a part of your architectural education. Bates, give me a chair."

The man gravely drew a chair out of the wreckage and placed it upon the hearth. My grandfather stepped upon it, seized one of the bronze sconces above the mantel and gave it a sharp turn. At the same moment, Bates, upon another chair, grasped the companion bronze and wrenched it sharply. Instantly some mechanism creaked in the great oak chimney-breast and the long oak panels swung open, disclosing a steel door with a combination knob.

"Gentlemen,"—and my grandfather turned with a quaint touch of humor, and a merry twinkle in his bright old eyes—"gentlemen, behold the treasury! It has proved a better hiding place than I ever imagined it would. There's not much here, Jack, but enough to keep you going for a while."

We were all staring, and the old gentleman was unfeignedly enjoying our mystification. It was an hour on which he had evidently counted much; it was the triumph of his resurrection and home-coming, and he chuckled as he twirled the knob in the steel door. Then Bates stepped forward and helped him pull the door open, disclosing a narrow steel chest, upright and held in place by heavy bolts clamped into the chimney. It was filled with packets of papers tied neatly with tape.

"Jack," said my grandfather, shaking his head, "you wouldn't be an architect, and you're not much of an engineer, either, or you'd have seen that that paneling was heavier than was necessary. There's $200,000 in first-rate securities. Bates and I put them there just before I went to Vermont to die."

"I've sounded those panels a dozen times," I protested.

"Of course you have," said my grandfather, "but solid steel behind wood is safe. I tested it carefully before I left."

He laughed and rapped the floor with his staff, and I laughed with him.

"But you found the Door of Bewilderment and Pickering's notes, and that's something."

"No; I didn't even find that. Donovan deserves the credit. But how did you ever come to build that tunnel, if you don't mind telling me?"

He laughed gleefully.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Rather An Old Calf

Some years ago the writer attended a revival meeting held in Eagle Hall, Concord, under the direction of Elder John Hook, of blessed memory. He had as an asistant Elder Martin Van Buren Lutz, a converted gambler and drunkard.

Elder Lutz was of an extremely nervous disposition and much in earnest in his appeals to sinners to quit sinning, as he had been a chief of sinners and knew how it was himself. At times he would get so excited that he would jump up and down, like a mad boy, on the platform.

He was preaching a sermon in one of these revival meetings on "The Parable of the Prodigal Son." When he came to the account of the killing of the fatted calf, he endeavored to heighten the interest of his hearers by the following touch:

"Not A calf, my brethren, but THE calf, the old, familiar calf that had been for years and years in the family." The prodigal son must have had some tough veal set before him.—Boston Herald.

A Real Prima Donna.

"You appear to be unusually happy to-day," said Citiman.

"I am," replied Subbubs. "I've just succeeded in getting our leading lady to sign for another season."

"I didn't know you were in the theatrical business."

"I'm not. I refer to our cook."

Out of the Mouth of Babes

The caller didn't look it, but she declared to little Clorinda that she dearly loved children. It may be that she said so because she heard the distant swish of the skirts of Clorinda's mamma, but, whatever the cause, she repeated it urgingly. Then, as the small lady with the pet cat made no move to answer her invitation to come and make friends, she asked: "Why is it that you love your kitty better than me, dearie?" Then Clorinda's mamma entered the room with an ill-concealed smile, as she heard her daughter answer: "'Cause she purrs as if she meant it."

Hard to Remember.

"She's pretty, but she doesn't look as if she had sense enough to know her own name."

"She doesn't, half the time. You see she's just been married to a Polish nobleman."

FARMERS SHOULD BOY COAL

BIG STOCKS HAVE BEEN SHIPPED INTO NORTH DAKOTA.

Commissioner Lane Finds Railways Are Doing Their Part to Avert Another Fuel Famine.

St. Paul. — Franklin H. Lane of the interstate commerce commission, is in St. Paul conferring with representatives of western railroad lines in respect to the coal and grain transportation situation and the possible repetition of the shortage and car congestion of a year ago. The commissioner desires to acquaint himself in advance with the probable shortages in coal or cars.

Commissioner Lane Thursday held a conference with President Louis W. Hill, W. H. Begg and W. W. Broughton, of the Great Northern railway. From statements made by the railway men, the situation in respect to the coal supply in North Dakota seemed to be that an extra large amount of coal has been transported over the Great Northern road to the retail coal dealers of North Dakota towns and cities, but this large supply has not been purchased by the farmers.

As to about 90 per cent. of the retail coal dealers, it appears that they have enlarged their shed capacity and have stocked up to the limit and will not at present handle any more coal.

In Montana, Idaho and eastern Washington the situation is less hopeful.

There is an indication of heavy shipments of coal direct from Duluth to the west.

From the testimony offered by the Great Northern railway men and from conclusions reached by Commissioner Lane, it would seem that the situation would be relieved greatly if the farmers would stock up with coal now, rather than wait until later in the season.

The commissioner expects to remain here about three days and on Friday will hear representatives of the Northern Pacific.

FIVE YEARS FOR LOUIS GLASS.

San Francisco Telephone Man Is Sentenced for Bribery.

San Francisco. — Five years for Louis Glass, was the news message that sped with incredible rapidity to all parts of the city Wednesday morning from the Temple Sherith Israel at California and Webster streets, where was imposed the sentence that brought to a dramatic close the second trial of the vice president and former general manager of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company, convicted last week of the crime of bribery, a crime whose extreme punishment under the law of this state is 14 years. Only a small crowd, made up for the most part of lawyers and newspaper men, witnessed the imposition of sentence.

After his attorney had applied for and been granted a 30 day arrest of judgment, within whose expiration they will apply for bail and begin the prosecution of an appeal, Mr. Glass was removed by the sheriff to the county jail.

The crime for which Louis Glass was sentenced to San Quentin and of which he maintains his innocence, was the bribing of Supervisor Thomas F. Lonergan in the sum of $5,000 to vote against the application of the Home Telephone company for a franchise in this city.

BIG FAILURE ON 'CHANGE.

Watson & Co., Grain and Stocks, Forced to Wall.

New York.—The failure of Watson & Co., members of the New York Stock and Produce exchanges, and of the Chicago Board of Trade, was announced in those exchanges Thursday. No cause was assigned for the failure nor was any estimate of the liabilities and assets made public.

The firm has had extensive connections in the west, maintaining offices in Duluth, Minneapolis, Fargo and Winnipeg. It is said to have carried on one of the biggest grain brokerage businesses in the country besides trading actively in railroad stocks, particularly those of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads.

The members of the firm are Louis T. Watson, Henry P. Watson, Charles E. Anderson and Herschell V. Jones. Louis T. Watson is the only member of the firm residing in this city, the others being residents of Minneapolis.

Failure Follows Trolley Wreck.

Mattoon, Ill. — Following the wreck last Friday that resulted in the loss of 17 lives, the Mattoon City Railway company and the Central Illinois Traction company, owned by Chicago stockholders, including Judge Peter S. Grosscup of the United States circuit court, Thursday went into the hands of a receiver. The bill filed says that the companies are unable to meet their debts.

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Our Correspondents have not been very regular of late.

English M. E. Church Items.

Miss Fern Suckow was elected organist of the Sunday school in place of Miss Fay Fuller who has left Klemme to attend school. Miss Fuller was very faithful and competent and the Sunday school may congratulate itself that they have found a successor so well qualified as is Miss Suckow to take her place.

The ladies of the English M. E. church will furnish supper, a square meal, next Saturday evening at 5:30 and later in Mrs. Shafer's store building to which they respectfully solicit the patronage of the public The annual conference meets in Sioux City on Wednesday, Sept. 18th and this supper has been arranged for this week because of that fact.

A HUMAN APPEAL.

A humane citizen of Richmond, Ind U. D. Williams, 107 west main street says: I appeal to all persons with weak lungs to take Dr. King's New Discovery the only remedy that has helped me and fully comes up to the proprietors recommendation. It saves more lives than all other throat and lung remedies put together. Used as a cough and cold cure the world over. Curer asthma, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough. quinsy, hoarseness and phthisic stops hemorrhages of the lungs and builds them up. Guaranteed at J L Harr & Co. drug store 50c and $1 00. Trial bottle free.

Good Old Stock.

"Have ye anny ancisters, Mrs. Kelly?" asked Mrs. O'Brien.

"An' what's ancisters?"

"Why, people you shprung from."

"Listen to me, Mrs. O'Brien," said Mrs. Kelly, impressively. "I come from the rale stock of Donahues, thot shpring from nobody. They shpring at thim!"

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

One of the best on the market.

For many years Chamberlain's cough remedy has constantly gained in favor and popularity until it is now one of the most staple medicines in use and has an enormous sale. It is intended especially for acute throat and lung diseases such as coughs colds and croup and can always be depended upon. It is a pleasant and safe to tak and is undoubtedly the best in the market for the purposes for which it is intended. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

California

and Pacific Northwest

One-way second-class Colonist tickets on sale daily via the Rock Island to the West and Northwest:

Sept. 1 to Oct. 31

$33.45 from Faribault and Northfield; **$32.70** from Owatonna and Decorah; **$32.05** from Albert Lea; **$31.40** from Cedar Rapids, Cedar Falls and Waterloo; **$29.25** from Des Moines; **$25** from Omaha or Kansas City to California.

Similar reduction to North Pacific Coast.

Tickets good in Pullman Tourist sleeping cars upon payment of berth rate.

Make the trip this Fall to the Land of Fruit and Flowers, or to the bustling Pacific Northwest.

Ask for copy of our Tourist sleeping car folder and full particulars. Address

JNO. C. FARMER,
Division Passenger Agent, Rock Island Lines,
CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA,
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L. O. TURGASEN, Agent,
Rock Island Lines,
Klemme, Iowa

New Fall Goods are coming in

CLOAKS

for Ladies
for Misses
for Children

Our line of cloaks is complete. It is by all odds the largest and best assortment ever shown in Klemme.

EDW. L. SCHAUB made a recent visit to our store and after looking over our new fall line of Dry Goods, Furs and Cloaks, he suddenly picked up a cloak, examined it very carefully, looked at the price and then said:

"Art., this is the best coat I have ever seen for the money."

Several ladies were in the store when the cloaks were unpacked, the result was—three cloaks were bought and taken away.

To see them is to buy them,
The quality is there.
The price is right.
That's why they sell so fast.

Arthur Wellemeyer.

TO OUR

SUBSCRIBERS !

Those knowing themselves to be indebted several years on subscription to The Times, are requested to settle for same at once otherwise we will hand in your account for collection. Please attend to this matter at ONCE.

H. LAU & SON

We have several varieties of plows on hand. Guaranteed to do good work. Will be sold at bottom prices. Corn harvesters, manure spreaders, oils of all kinds, wind mills, Anchor buggies.

We pay highest market price for poultry, delivered to us every Thursday.

THE KLEMME TIMES

C. H. MANN & Co.
H. MANN, Editor and Manager.

Published every Thursday at Klemme, Iowa.

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KLEMME MARKET.

Cream No.1	24
Eggs fresh	15
Butter roll	17
Corn	45 to 50c
Oats	39 to 45c
Wheat	70 to 80c
Barley	40 to 60c
Hay	5 00 to 7.00
Hogs	5.00 5.50
Cattle	3.00 to 4.50

LOCAL NEWS

See Ell Bros. for ice.

Read the market report.

Do not forget about that ad of the State Savings Bank.

Chas. Velau has been confined to his house the past week with rheumatism.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

DeWitt's little early risers are good for anyone who needs a pill. They are small safe sure little pills that do not gripe or sicken. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Harry Ell and wife visited with relatives in Minneapolis and from there they left for Castleton, N. D. where they are visiting with his brother-in-law Albert Lembgen.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are providing to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. All Dealers.

Geo. Gruetzmacher returned from his Minnesota visit last week Friday. He took in the sights at the State Fair and also looked after the interests of his farm near Beltrami. He says that oats will yield about 40 bu. per acre and wheat 20.

There's a reason for that ache in your back—right where it stitches every time you bend over turn around or walk any distance. It's your kidneys. Take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills. They are unequaled for backache weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

S. Kleinmaier, one of Morris, Illinois prosperous farmers, arrived Tuesday and is looking after the interests of his farm occoupied by Thos. C. Nelson north-east of Klemme. He also made us a pleasant call and a renewal on subscription. He says that oats in his locality goes from 30 to 35 bushels per acre and corn 50.

The way to get rid of a cold whether it be a bad cold or just a little one is to get it out of your system thru' the bowels. Nearly all cough cures especially those that contain opiates are constipating. Kennedy's laxative cough syrup contains no opiates and acts gently on the bowels. Pleasant to take. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

What did Schaub say?

Change of ad for the State Savings Bank.

H. Klunkelfeldt visited over Sunday in Estherville.

FOR SALE—Golden Wyandotte cockerels. Mrs. J. P. Larsen

H. Griesemer and Paul Labudde of Garner, were Klemme visitors Monday.

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

Miss Bertha Beyer left Monday for Clear Lake for a visit with her parents and friends.

Frank Freie left Monday for Decorah, Iowa where he will attend the county fair and visit with his relatives.

Lew Lewis and young son left last week Friday for Beaver Dam, Wis. where they will visit with his mother and other relatives.

Rev. G. Haefner of Rockford, Iowa, made Klemme relatives and friends a pleasant visit on last week Friday and also visited his son Wesley and family in Germantown.

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve is good for boils, burns, cuts scalds and skin diseases. It is especially good for piles. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Schoh, daughter and son of Caledonia, Minn. arrived last week Saturday and are visiting with H. Schroeder and family. Mr. Schoh is a brother of Mrs. H. Schroeder.

Pain everywhere pain in head and painful periods. Neuralgia toothache all pains can be promptly stopped by a thoroughly safe little pink candy tablet known by druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Pain simply means congestion, undue blood pressure at the point where pain exists. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets quickly equalize this unnatural blood pressure and pain immediately departs. Write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. and get a free trial package. Large box 25c.—druggists. All Dealers.

Gus. Baack returned to Plymouth, Wis. Saturday last week where he will resume his studies in college. Gus worked hard on the farm this summer during vacation time and has developed a good muscle and is now ready for his studies. We wish him success.

Occasional headaches belching bad taste in the mouth lack of appetite and slight nervousness are symptoms of indigestion which when allowed to go uncared for will develop into a case of dyspepsia that will take a long time to get rid of. Don't neglect your stomach. At the first indication of trouble take something that will help it along in its work of digesting the food you eat. Kodol will make your food do you good and will enable you to enjoy what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The Japanese entertainment which was given in the English M. E. church last week Thursday, Sept. 5th was largely attended as the church was crowded. The stereopticon views and the motion pictures of Japan were grand After the entertainment several bought articles which were made in Japan.

There are a great many people who have slight attacks of indigestion and dyspepsia nearly all the time. Their food may satisfy the appetite but it fails to nourish the body simply because the stomach is not in fit condition to do the work it is supposed to do. It cant digest the food you eat. The stomach should be given help. You ought to take something that will do the work your stomach can't do. Kodol for indigestion and dyspepsia a combination of natural digestants and vegetable acids digests the food itself and gives strength and health to the stomach, pleasant to take. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Read the Klemme. Times ad. opposite local page.

What did Edw. L. Schaub say? See Wellemeyer's ad.

Taxes are now due pay them at the State Savings Bank.

Get your refrigerater filled with ice regulary by Ell Bros.

"Uncle Dunk" and family took in the sights at the Britt Fair last week.

Mrs. Weiland and daughter visited with relatives at Rake, Iowa, over Sunday.

Thos. Luben and wife are the possessors of a 14lb. little girl on last week Wednesday.

Edw. L. Schaub visited with friends here last week.. He returned to Charles City, Monday.

Mrs. E. M. Fuller and daughter Fae left for Eldora last week. Miss Fuller expects to attend school.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

Mrs. N. L. Palmer left Monday for Algona where she will visit relatives and also attend the county fair.

Mrs. Leo Pattretz and daughter and Miss Gerling, sisters of Mrs. H. W. Schoper of Eitzen, Minn. are visiting here this week.

Ralph Blank has charge of the Goodell section while Wm. F. Lau has charge of the section here. Nothing slow about our Klemme boys getting to the front.

Mrs. C. Koehlstaedt, sister of the Ridder brothers after visiting with them and families for a few days, returned to her home at Hitchcock, S. Dak. last week Saturday.

Rev. Cheynoweth will preach his last sermon on next Sunday morning. He does not expect to remain here after conference which is much to the regret of his members and friends.

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some little candy cold tablets called preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening, taken at the sneeze stage. Preventics will prevent pneumonia bronchitis lagrippe, etc. Hence the name preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 preventics 25c. Sold by All Dealers.

This is the time of the year when renewals on papers are made. We kindly are reminding our subscribers of this fact, and to those whom never made a renewal since our stay here, we wish to say to them that they had better find out what their bill is or same will be handed in for collection. It costs money to run a newspaper and we expect to get our money for same when we deliver the goods. Kindly attend to this matter and the same will be appreciated.

Stomach troubles heart and kidney ailments can be quickly corrected with a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The prompt and surprising relief which this remedy immediately brings is entirely due to its restorative action upon the controlling nerves of the stomach, etc. A weak stomach causing dyspepsia a weak heart with palpitation or intermittent pulse always means weak stomach nerves or weak heart nerves. Strengthen these inside or controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's restorative and see how quickly these ailments disappear. Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. will mail samples free, write for them a test will tell. Your health is certainly worth this simple trial. Sold by All Druggists.

Northern Lumber Co. change of ad.

August Wenz was a visitor at Garner, Monday.

Something new in that ad of the State Savings Bank.

Geo. W. Kluckhohn and wife were at Garner Tuesday.

L W. Fuller took in the sights at Estherville over Sunday.

John Baumgartner is remodeling his residence with a coat of paint.

Venselow Hedding and wife of near Garner, drove to Klemme today.

Mrs. Henry Ihde left Monday for Elkader, Iowa to visit with relatives.

Several of this vicinity were represented at the Britt Fair last week.

Tony Maleck and Frank Falada drove down from Garner, Wednesday.

Gus. Lagner of Britt, is Fred Ridder's new blacksmith. He arrived last week.

H. L. Schuldt received one-half car load of Maplesota flour last week Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolte of Avery Center, are the possessors of a little boy on Wednesday.

C. P. Ell is improving his residence with a cement walk. Harve Allen and force are doing the work.

Mrs. Chas. Stiehl returned Monday from Davenport where she has been visiting with relatives.

Thos. Nelson, our street commissioner, has been doing good work on our streets which was very much needed.

H. Griewe and wife returned last week Saturday from Panama, Neb. where they visited with her brother John Ell.

The weather has been very cool the past few nights. We are in hopes that frost will not make its appearance for at least a month.

LAME BACK.

This is an ailment for which Chamberlain's pain balm has proven especially valuable. In almost every instance it affords prompt and permanent relief. Luke LaGrange of Orange, Mich. says of it: After using a plaster and other remedies for three weeks for a bad lame back I purchsed a bottle of Chamberlain's pain balm and two applications effected a cure. For sale by J L HARR & Co.

POULTRY MARKET AT ELL BROS.

Good until Wednesday, 9, 18th

Hens	8½c
Spring chickens	9½c
Old roosters	3½c
Ducks young and fat	7½c
Geese	5c

ATTACK OF DIARRHOEA CURED

by one dose of Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy.

I was so weak from an attack of diarrhoea that I could scarcely attend to my duties when I took a dose of Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy. It cured me entirely and I have been taking other medicine for nine days without relief. I heartily recommend this remedy as being the best to my knowledge for bowel complaints. R G Stewart of the firm of Stewart & Bro., Greenville, Ala. For sale by J L HARR & Co.

DeWITT'S CARBOLIZED WITCH HAZEL SALVE For Piles, Burns, Sores.

HAD TETTER FOR THIRTY YEARS,

I have suffered with tetter for 30 years and have tried almost countless remedies with little if any relief. Three boxes of Chamberlain's salve cured me. It was a torture. It will break out a little sometimes but nothing to what it used to do. D H Beach Midland City, Ala. Chamberlain's salve is for sale by J L HARR & Co.

STOP

I am not only in the painting business, but am also prepared to take your pictures. Copying a specialty. Prices reasonable.

JOE MILLER.

ATTENTION!

We buy hogs six days in the week, but want them delivered only on Tuesdays and Saturdays of each week. Highest market price will be paid for hogs and all kinds of grain, also No. 1 hard and soft coal for sale at bottom prices at the North Elevator. Yours for business,

AUG. LAU & SON.

REMEMBER

that I am in the junk business I have been buying in this vicinity for years.

I buy iron, metals, rags and rubbers. I pay cash, no tin ware exchanged for your goods. Address me at Goodell, Ia.

K. Friedman.

J. E. BAUMGARTNER
The Tonsorial Artist

Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.

Good Bath Room In Connection.

2nd door west of State Savings Bank.

Call in

Sell your

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ELL BROS.

Sour Stomach

No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol for dyspepsia does not only relieve indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy helps all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Mr. S. S. Ball, of Ravenswood, W. Va., says:—"I was troubled with sour stomach for twenty years. Kodol cured me and we are now using it in milk for baby."

FOR BACKACHE--WEAK KIDNEYS TRY
DeWITT'S KIDNEY and BLADDER PILLS—Sure and Safe.
Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., Chicago.

Sold by J L Harr & Co.

DES MOINES LETTER

Items of Interest From Our Correspondent at the State Capital.

Roads Withdraw Feeding Rights.

Des Moines.—The railroads have withdrawn the feeding in transit privilege from sheep men who have been buying sheep in the west and shipping them to Iowa, feeding them here and marketing them in the east.

On this account, the live stock shippers, organized as the Corn Belt Meat Producers, will ask the state commission to cut the local Iowa rate on sheep. When the live stock subject was before the state commission last winter, attention was paid only to cattle. It was admitted that the rates on swine were lower in Iowa than in other states. And no attention was paid to sheep.

This lack of interest in the sheep rate was due to the fact that the railroads did give the shippers, owners and feeders the feeding in transit privilege. Under this privilege the rate on the sheep from the place of purchase to the Iowa point was a proportion of the rate from the point of purchase to the market, and similarly the rate from the point of feeding in Iowa to the market was a proportionate rate of the full shipment.

It is said that close to 1,000,000 sheep annually are fed in Iowa and shipped on to market. Withdrawal of the feeding in transit rate pushes the rate on these sheep to a point at which the feeding business will be stopped.

The state commission has nothing to do with the feeding in transit privilege. It is a portion of the interstate shipment and the railroads may or may not grant it, to their own pleasure. However, when the state commission lowered the rates on cattle about 20 per cent last spring, the board urged the roads to maintain and extend the feeding in transit privilege to all live stock shippers and feeders in this state.

It is not improbable that if the railroads had given the live stock men the feeding in transit privilege for cattle no effort would have been made by the Corn Belt Meat Producers to secure lower rates on cattle either state or interstate. After securing the reduction of the Iowa rate about 20 per cent the shippers went to Washington to file a petition for lower interstate rates and it is now pending before the interstate commerce commission.

The live stock men will now ask the state commission to reduce the state rates on sheep to a proportion of the interstate rate which the state rate on cattle bears to the intersate rate on cattle.

Money to Fight Disease.

"It is the intention of the board of control to expend the $5,000 appropriated by the last legislature in a campaign of education relative to tuberculosis," said John Cownie of the board. "It is not the intention of the board to expend the money in any manner not contemplated by the statute.

"Some one suggested a while ago that the board should turn the money over to the society or somebody to be expended. That doesn't appeal to me as a businesslike way to dispose of an appropriation made by the legislature. We shall not go about it that way.

"It is the board's intention to put the superintendent of the sanitarium near Iowa City at work going through the state informing the people as to the disease and the preventative campaign undertaken by the state at the sanitarium, but this cannot be done until the superintendent is selected. Unfortunately the law requires a doctor to be chosen for the place. We are having difficulty in securing the right man for the superintendency, but hope to solve that problem soon."

The board has a rule to select only professional men for places as superintendents, and coupled with the provisions of the law sometimes requiring professional men to be selected, there is additional difficulty in selecting superintendents.

The board has not yet found a superintendent for the Knoxville institution.

The Rev. A. E. Kepford has been traveling the state as lecturer for the society of which Governor Larrabee is president informing the people of the evils of the white plague. When the superintendent of the state institution get in the field there will be two lecturers engaged in the work of educating the populace on this subject.

2-Cent Fare Case Postponed.

To allow the Minneapolis & St. Louis and the Iowa Central further time to determine the actual effect of the new two-cent fare law, Judge McPherson granted Attorneys Judge Carr and H. V. Poor of New York until November 1 in which to renew their fight on the new Iowa statute. The attorneys in their appeal to Judge McPherson for additional time averred that the next stop will be the filing of an amended and supplemental petition.

State Purchases Supply of Flour.

Purchase of $52,000 worth of flour for the state of Iowa was effected at the offices of the board of control.

An advance of 31 per cent in the price as compared with the price paid by the state last year was suffered by the board, but the 8,000 inmates and 2,000 employes of the state institutions must eat and the members of the board shuddered and bought.

A total of 11,975 barrels are included in the contract. The average price paid for the supplies was $4.32 per barrel. Last year the board got the flour for $3.20. This advance of $1.03 per barrel on the average of 31 per cent, costs the state almost $12,000.

The institutions secure the following quantities of flour for the ensuing year, measured in barrels:

Anamosa	600
Cherokee	1,200
Clarinda	1,600
Council Bluffs	285
Davenport	500
Eldora	850
Fort Madison	780
Glenwood	1,600
Independence	1,650
Knoxville	300
Marshalltown	700
Mitchellville	370
Mount Pleasant	1,400
Vinton	140

The board of control has not figured out exactly how many millions of loaves of bread this will make but in addition to the supply of wheat bread the institutions will enjoy large quantities of corn bread made out of meal manufactured from state products by the institutions themselves.

The prices paid for the flour ranged from $4.17 to $4.60 per barrel, averaging $4.32. At the institutions which could not buy by the car load, the price was from $4.60 to $4.80. At other institutions it ranged from $4.17 to $4.35. If the figures were made with precision the average would be found to be slightly less than the $4.32.

Iowa contractors got nearly one-half of the business but took six of the institution contracts, the board adhering to the rule of the lowest bidder.

Burrier Violates Parole.

George Burrier, member of the famous "Clinton gang," will probably go back to the penitentiary. Burrier, who was the star member of one of the worst gangs of thieves and burglars who ever infested Iowa, a few days ago became intoxicated at Clinton and was placed under arrest. The police wired Governor Cummins that he had broken his parole and promises of good behavior and it is thought that in view of his record the governor will send him back to prison.

Burrier's love of drink, which had so often been his undoing, is responsible for his latest downfall. During the heighth of his career he was a hard drinker, and in several instances his capture was effected through his craving for liquor.

The noted criminal owed both his conviction and parole to L. E. Fay of Clinton. From the time $1,300 worth of diamonds were stolen from the residence of C. A. Fay in Clinton L. E. Fay never rested until every member of the gang was convicted. Burrier's testimony was the most important evidence against several of the men, and it was because of this that Mr. Fay started a movement for his parole. Since his release Burrier has conducted a restaurant at Clinton.

Nine Million Acres of Corn.

Nearly 9,000,000 acres of Iowa land are planted in corn this season. Director J. R. Sage of the Iowa weather and crop service estimates the total corn acreage at 8,858,080. The estimate is made up from the reports of the township assessors and the crop reporters throughout the state and the figures are as nearly accurate as they can possibly be made.

Oats comes next to corn as the most important Iowa crop in point of acreage. The report shows a total of 4,536,170 acres of oats. Tame hay follows with a total of 3,372,470 acres, and wild hay is next with 896,260 acres.

Of the other small grains barley leads with 397,210 acres, spring wheat is next with 335,340 acres and winter wheat follows with 85,785 and rye brings up the rear with 52,450 acres. There are 117,350 acres of potatoes and 42,790 acres of flax in the state according to the report. Pastures, however, take up more land than any other one thing, there being 9,088,480 acres in Iowa this season.

Fair Receipts Were $103,000.

Secretary Simpson of the state agricultural department has completed the compilation of receipts from all sources for the Iowa state fair. The figures total $103,000.

WORN TO A SKELETON.

A Wonderful Restoration Caused a Sensation in a Pennsylvania Town.

Mrs. Charles N. Preston, of Elkland, Pa., says: "Three years ago I found that my housework was becoming a burden. I tired easily, had no ambition and was failing fast. My complexion got yellow, and I lost over 50 pounds. My thirst was terrible, and there was sugar in the kidney secretions. My doctor kept me on a strict diet, but as his medicine was not helping me I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. They helped me at once, and soon all traces of sugar disappeared. I have regained my former weight and am perfectly well."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

JUST A GENTLE HINT.

One Remedy Appearances Indicated Nobleman Had Never Tried.

The earl of Surrey, afterward eleventh duke of Norfolk, who was a notorious gourmand and hard drinker and a leading member of the Beefsteak club, was so far from cleanly in his person that his servants used to avail themselves of his fits of drunkenness—which were pretty frequent, by the way—for the purpose of washing him. On these occasions they stripped him as they would a corpse and performed the needful ablutions.

He was equally notorious for his horror of clean linen. One day, on his complaining to Dudley North at his club that he had become a perfect martyr to rheumatism and tried every possible remedy without success, the latter wittily replied:

"Pray, my lord, did you ever try a clean shirt?"

Tom Ochiltree's Moon.

After Tom Ochiltree, that able congress raconteur and laugh generator for the afflicted rich, settled in New York as the amuser of the John W. Mackay family, he effervesced in a thousand different directions, and was as good in some ways as Sam Ward. One night he escorted John Mackay's friend, the Count de Biscout, down to the Battery to show the sight of New York. The moon was grand, and the count went into raptures as "her maiden reflection rippled over the pearly waters." He cried: "Eet iss grand! Eet is grand! Dair iss no such moon in all Italy!" "Count," said Ochiltree, solemnly, as befitted the occasion, "you just ought to see the moon in Texas!"

Why Advertising Pays.

"You will be pressed for money oftener because you have no advertising bills to pay than because you have," observes the Buffalo News. "Big advertising bills and big bank balances grow, together, out of the same publicity campaigns." The merchant who holds down his expense account by cutting out advertising saves money just the way the railroads would if they should stop buying coal for their locomotives. Without coal the wheels won't turn; without publicity trade comes to a standstill. It pays to throw silver out of the window that gold may come in at the door.

FAMILY FOOD.

Crisp, Toothsome and Requires No Cooking.

A little boy down in N. C. asked his mother to write an account of how Grape-Nuts food had helped their family.

She says Grape-Nuts was first brought to her attention on a visit to Charlotte, where she visited the Mayor of that city who was using the food by the advice of his physician. She says:

"They derive so much good from it that they never pass a day without using it. While I was there I used the Food regularly. I gained about 15 pounds and felt so well that when I returned home I began using Grape-Nuts in our family regularly.

"My little 18 months old baby shortly after being weaned was very ill with dyspepsia and teething. She was sick nine weeks and we tried everything. She became so emaciated that it was painful to handle her and we thought we were going to lose her. One day a happy thought urged me to try Grape-Nuts soaked in a little warm milk.

"Well, it worked like a charm and she began taking it regularly and improvement set in at once. She is now getting well and round and fat as fast as possible on Grape-Nuts.

"Sometime ago several of the family were stricken with LaGrippe at the same time, and during the worst stages we could not relish anything in the shape of food but Grape-Nuts and oranges, everything else nauseated us.

"We all appreciate what your famous food has done for our family." "There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

TWENTY-SEVEN DIE

MINE HORROR REPORTED FROM THE ESPERANSAS.

BODIES ARE NOT RECOVERED

When Fire Breaks Out, Laborers Find Avenue of Escape Blocked and Die in Trap.

San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 8.—Twenty-seven miners were burned to death and many others seriously injured in another terrible fire that occurred in the Esperansas mine.

The news reached here in a special dispatch from Musquiz, Coshuila. It adds that the fire is still raging in the mine and that it is impossible to recover the dead bodies of the miners who were unable to escape when the flames started. They were caught like rats in a trap, fire cutting off their only avenue to safety.

The fire originated in shaft No. 1, and is supposed to have been caused by fire damp.

A large force of laborers were at work in the mine when the fire was discovered and all but twenty-seven, as near as can be told, managed to escape. Many, however, were badly burned and it is feared that several who came out of the mine alive will die of their injuries.

All available physicians and nurses are at work doing all in their power to alleviate the sufferings of the wounded, while every effort is being made to get the bodies of the dead miners out of the mine. This work, however, is made almost impossible by the intensity of the heat.

Miners employed by the Esperansas mining companies are panic stricken on account of the number of fires that have occurred there of late.

TAFT ANSWERS BRYAN.

Incidentally Declares Tariff Revision is Coming.

Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 8.—Secretary of War Taft twice yesterday lifted the gage of controversy hurled at him by William Jennings Bryan. He spoke at Olympia and Tacoma to two big audiences. Ten thousand persons cheered him yesterday afternoon in this city.

"Mr. Bryan in discussing some of my views on the tariff and other matters, has done me the honor to call me 'the great postponer,'" said Secretary Taft. "With respect to the tariff I was in favor of revision last year and I am still in favor of tariff revision, but I am a party man, and I hope a practical man, and I realize the lack of wisdom and the danger, both to the party and to the country of attempting a revision of the tariff in the midst of a presidential campaign.

"I am very well convinced that the republicans as a party will come to revision of the tariff immediately after the next presidential election and I am in favor of practical results not of theories and platforms; of doing the thing which should be done. If it cannot be done this year, I am in favor of doing it next.

"In speaking of the presidential campaigns, Mr. Bryan urged the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, but now he is postponing the issue, until he can bring it forward again as a panacea in times of financial disaster.

"Secondly, Mr. Bryan is now emphasizing the subject of anti-imperialism and the oppression of the Philippines, but he postponed the issue of anti-imperialism until after the treaty of Paris was adopted and the sovereignty of the Philippines was transferred from Spain to the United States.

"This is really the only piece of actual affirmative, constructive statesmanship with which Mr. Bryan's name has been connected and he has now for eight years been engaged in attempting to explain that away."

SUGAR TRUST FIGHT IS ON.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 8.—John D. Spreckels, president of the Western Sugar Refining company testified yesterday to United States Commissioner Richards in regard to the relations existing between his company and the American Sugar Refining company of New York, the so-called Havemeyer sugar trust. It was established by his testimony that Havemeyer and his men own a large minority of stock in the company.

Spreckels' testimony is to be used in the suit brought by the receiver of the Pennsylvania Sugar company against the American Sugar Refining company for $30,000,000 as the result of Havemeyer getting control of the Pennsylvania concern and shutting down the plant.

The suit is both for conspiracy and for violation of the Sherman anti-trust law and is brought in the United States district court of New York.

Tribesmen Sue For Peace.

Paris, Sept. 8.—A ray of hope for a possible solution of the Moroccan problem came from the Moorish empire last night in the shape of an announcement that the tribesmen were ready to negotiate for peace. Vice Admiral Philabert confirmed this news in a cablegram, stating a delegation of warring Arabs had asked the general for an armistice, pending a settlement of peace terms. The armistice was to have expired yesterday, but the result is not yet known.

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A Case of

STOMACH CATARRH.

Miss Mary O'Brien, 306 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., writes:

"Peruna cured me in five weeks of catarrh of the stomach, after suffering for four years and doctoring without effect. In common with other grateful ones who have been benefited by your discovery, I say. *All hail to Peruna."*

Mr. H. J. Henneman, Oakland, Neb., writes: "I waited before writing to you about my sickness, catarrh of the stomach, which I had over a year ago.

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"Like what?" cried the startled mother.

"W'y, like h—, don't you know, mother?" innocently.

"No, I don't believe I do. Just how is that, dear?" she asked faintly.

"Well, I don't know jus' what it means, myself," he confessed, "but it's a whole lot faster than 'lickety-split!'"

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Of Little Faith.

At the Pine Grove camp ground in Canaan, Conn., a little girl was removed by her mother for disobedience and being naughty to her playmates. The child was told that when she said her prayers at night she should seek forgiveness and ask the Lord to help her be a better girl. Here is the prayer which the youngster made under protest:

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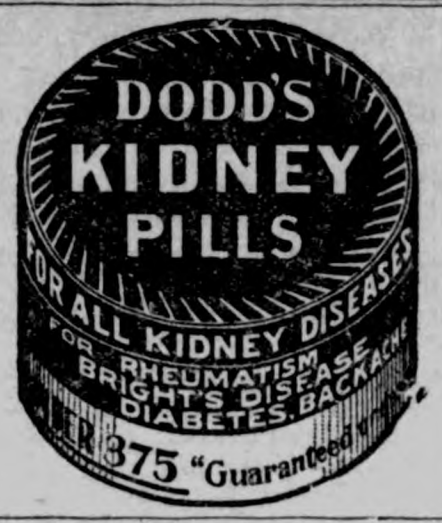

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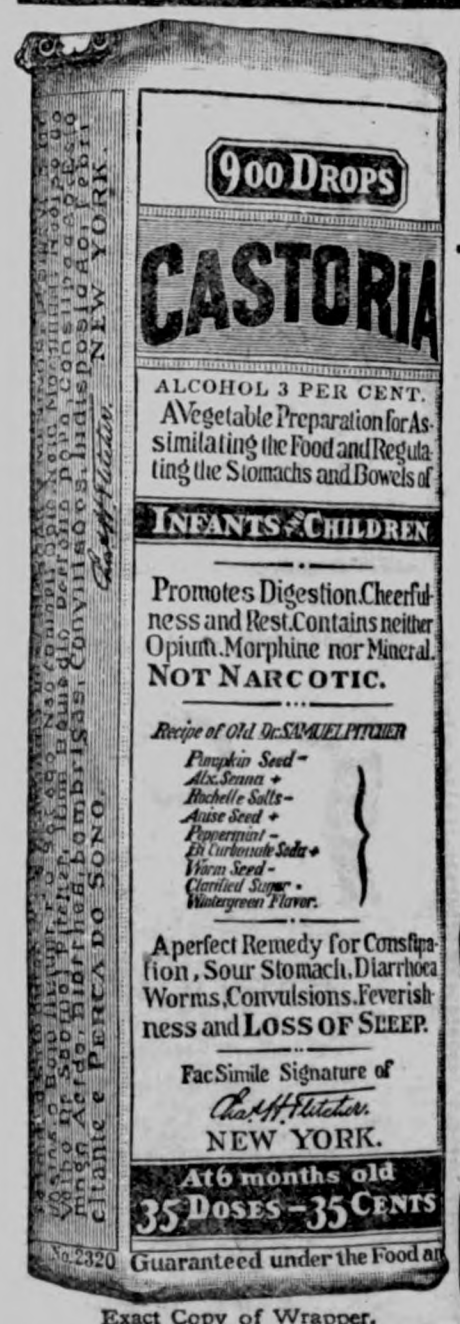
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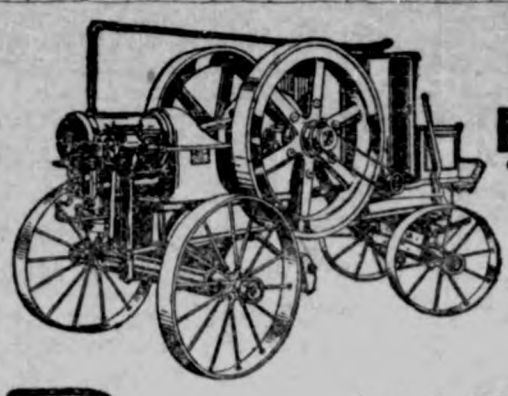

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Mrs. Kulper of Waterloo, is visiting her parents for a few weeks.

Elmer Arnold made a trip to Clayton County last week, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Griewe returned Saturday from their western trip.

The Garmantown League has arranged a programm for Sunday evening.

Will Prull was taken sick last Friday and threatened with a run of typhoid.

Minnie Lenz attended the funeral of mother Ridder last week and spent a few days in Charles City.

Leonard Sampson will try his luck as an agent and goes to Dakota next week with the Griewe Bros.

James Ulrich of Clayton county visited his mother and brother in Germantown. He was on his way to Dakota.

Grandma Schwichtenberg has been quite poorly since last week. Her fall was more serious than considered at first.

Mrs. C. Kohlstaedt of Hitchcock, S. Dak., made a short stop-off with her brothers, Fred and Aug. Ridder last week.

A large street lamp has been placed near the entrance of our Klemme church which will supply a long felt need on dark nights.

Rev. Haefner spent a few days with his son Wesley last week. On Sunday he preached in the Germantown church and returned to Rockford on Monday. As there is a shortage of ministers he may supply a church in Tomah, Wis. this year.

Fred and John Griewe intend to start for Dakota next week where they will canvas for Dusenberg's nursery. They will take their horses and buggies with, them shipping them to Redfield. If they are successful, we need not expect them back till Santa Claus comes around.

A large audience was out Sunday evening in our Klemme church. A short talk was given on the charitable support of our orphans while some 70 pictures were thrown on the canvas illustrating the happiness of the and the sadness where this circle is broken by death. Also a number of views of the Warrenton Orphanage. At the close the illustrated songs "Where is my wandering boy tonight" and "Tell Mother I'll be There" were given by special request.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Koerner on Sunday evening their little son was christened and received the name Gerald Leon. Also the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Lau, Jr. and was named Ruth Leona. These two little cousins started life only three days apart and their christening was a pleasant affair for those present. One thing worth special mentioning is the fact that the little boy wore the same dress that his father wore when he was christened.

Edw. L. Schaub spent a few days in Klemme looking after business interests and calling on his many friends. He recently returned from an extended trip to the Pacific coast covering about 10,000 miles. On Sunday evening he addressed the League and spoke of a number of impressions his trip had made on him. Mr. Schaub will enter the State University at Iowa City in a few weeks and study phylosophy. He was fortunate in securing one of the three scholarships which are awarded each year by the state. We wish him success in his new course and assure him of a hearty welcome as often as he may come to Klemme.

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"Yes, young man, I am lame."

"Been riding, sir?"

"No, sir," sternly and rebukingly, "I have not been riding."

"Ah, slipped on the ice, general?"

"No, sir!" with actual ferocity.

"Then, perhaps, sir, you have sprained your ankle?"

The old man slowly and carefully lifted his pet leg in both hands and tenderly set his foot upon the floor. Then he slowly rose from his seat and stood looking down with scornful pity at the unlucky youth. At last, in the sublimity of rage, he burst out:

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People who were present smiled at the little passage of arms which took place between two young ladies at a luncheon recently. One of them, a bride, shaking hands in her characteristically cordial way, said to the other:

"I'm so glad to meet you! You have afforded me so very much amusement just lately."

"Amusement?" said the other.

"Oh, yes," went on the bride. "I've been through my husband's desk, and I've read all his old love letters. I found several very affectionate letters from you, and I enjoyed reading them, really, ever so much."

"I'm so glad you enjoyed them," purred the other. "But do come and see me very soon. Here is my card. I have the answers to all those letters and you might like to read them as well. Mr. X——'s letters are so much more affectionate than those I wrote to him. I know you'll enjoy reading them ever so much more than you did mine."

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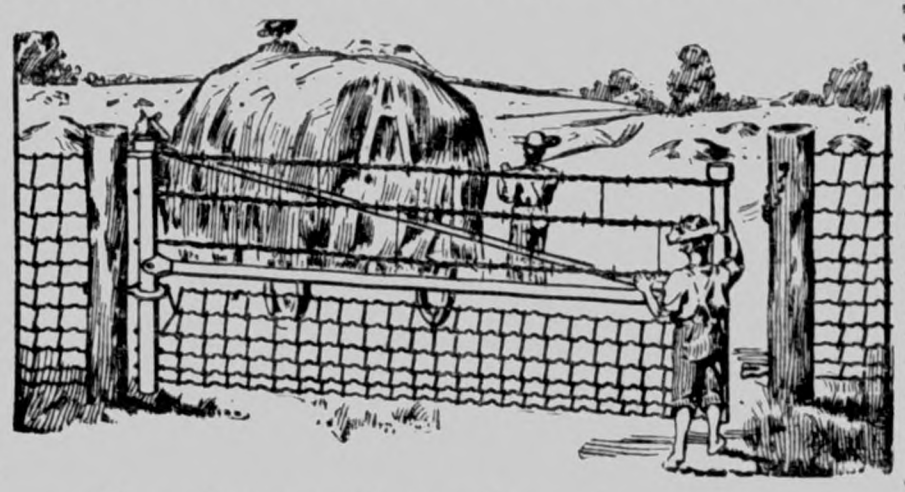

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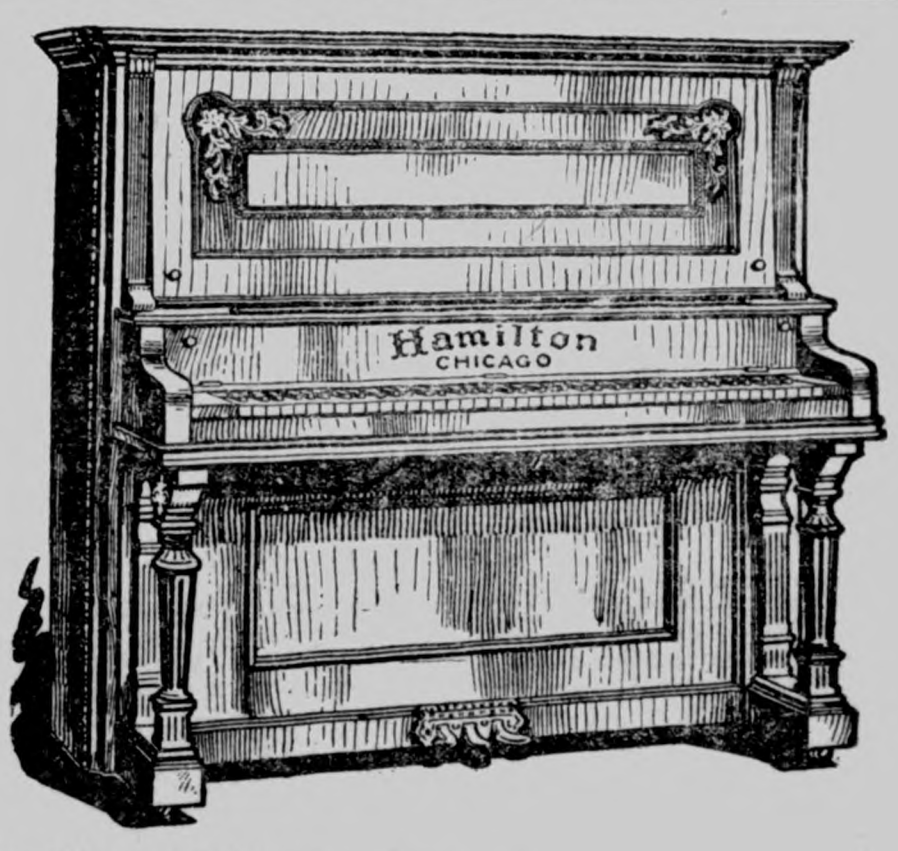

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A St. Louis girl grew three inches taller during her vacation and her fiance now describes her as the height of his ambition.

Nikola Tesla still insists that he can talk to Mars. But will he stop talking long enough to give Mars a chance to reply?

A special bulletin from the department of agriculture treats of a destructive germ in spring chickens." Warning to consumers: Boil your chickens.

One London hotel is said to have received $1,650,000 from American patrons since March. Since tips are not included, the real expenditure of these tourists can only be guessed.

A boy with a sixth sense has been discovered in Norway. Well, we have plenty of boys in this country who, in addition to their five senses, know enough not to rock the boat.

By a recent order many British ships will have to be rechristened to avoid duplicate names. In a pinch they might borrow a few choice ones from our own Pullman cars. These names are unique.

If, as the university professor says, Chinamen are likely to inherit the earth because they can subsist on less food than is required by other peoples, we all might put ourselves on the defensive by cutting out pie.

Scientists in Austria-Hungary noted an earthquake shock the other day about 2,500 miles away. This distance was not sufficient to reach the spot where the Standard Oil company hit the tessellated pavement.

Prof. Shailer Mathews says that marriage is too much like a picnic. That is only at the beginning. Later on it often develops into a close imitation of a finish fight for the light weight championship of the world.

An American woman on a steamer arriving in New York handed a lemon to a Britisher who had been obnoxiously attentive to her on the way across. It is hoped the Britisher will see the point by the time he goes back.

Mr. John Graham Brooks declared recently that it costs $25,000 to bring up a boy in middle-class life, and now an English mother estimates that it costs $37,000 to rear an English girl from infancy to the society age. Dear children!

A Philadelphia doctor says that candy satisfies the craving for alcohol, and he recommends highly a candy jag to men who have been finding the other kind so unsatisfactory. It sounds good, but wouldn't the candy jagger be called a mollycoddle in some strenuous circles?

Mr. Carnegie has given $500,000 and some advice to King Edward's hospital fund. The good thing about the $500,000 is that its acceptance is not dependent upon the acceptance of the advice, but unlike a good many of Mr. Carnegie's bequests is optional and has no string attached.

One of those extraordinary Chicago professors has been studying sea birds down at the Tortugas, and here he comes home and declares that gulls have a language of their own, think and reason and live in communities and family groups, indicating a capacity for politics and social organization. But just as likely as not he is trying to gull his listeners.

A New York manufacturing concern is building some trolley cars with a turn-stile at the rear platform so arranged that but one passenger can get through at a time and must pay as he goes. The exit is by the front door. This not only saves fares to the company, but leaves the conductor free to pay some attention to the comfort of the passengers. It is hardly necessary to say that this contrivance will discourage the use of open cars.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

NINE CHICKENS COST $900.

At Ottumwa Chicken Thief Drops His Roll by Roost.

Ottumwa.—An Ottumwa chicken woman has just disposed of nine chickens, the plainest sort of barnyard fowls, for a little over $900 for the lot. The purchaser of the chickens thought he was getting them at a bargain, in fact when he carried them off he did not suppose for even a second that they would ever cost him a cent.

Both the woman and the man were unintentional parties to the transaction, and while the woman is decidedly pleased with her end of the bargain, there is little question but that the man is much set back over what he supposed would be a free chicken feast.

Just who the parties are the police refuse to say, but here is the story as it reached them:

A few days ago the woman, who lives near the Garfield school in the east end of the city, missed a couple of her chickens over night. Another night or two passed without incident, but then came the surprise, for one morning when the woman went to feed her pets they failed to respond to her call and an investigation of the chicken house revealed the fact that all the chickens were gone.

However, nearby the woman discovered a pocketbook containing a little over $900 in currency. Joyfully she picked it up and excitedly counted over the money. Here was revenge that was sweet indeed.

During the same afternoon a strange man came to the house and stated that he was out to buy chickens.

Anxious that the would-be chicken buyer should have every bit of information he desired, the woman escorted him around the house to the chicken yard. Sight of it inspired him to the minutest investigation. He examined every inch of the ground about the chicken house, every little corner of the coop itself, and even went so far as to examine part of the yards adjoining on either side.

Even this did not thoroughly satisfy him and he finally went away with a sorely disappointed expression playing over his countenance, while the woman, with the proceeds of her unintentional sale, tucked snugly away in the bosom of her dress, smiled on the departing figure of the man.

AFTER DRUG STORES.

Anti-Saloon League Begins Action at Des Moines.

Des Moines.—Nineteen druggists of Des Moines must go into the district court and tell a judge why they should not be restrained from selling intoxicating liquors.

Petitions asking for injunctions have been filed in the district court by officers of the Iowa Anti-Saloon league.

Officers of the league say that an unrelenting war is to be started against the Des Moines drug stores, and that other injunction proceedings will be instituted later. The druggist against whom the league is seeking injunctions are as follows: W. C. McArthur, Randolph Drug company, C. J. Holmes company, Charles Namur, Holm Enroe, Alfred Hammer, Ream Johnson, Speers Drug company, Victoria pharmacy, Higgins pharmacy, Whitney Drug company, McCurnin Drug company, Hurlbut Drug company, Lawrence Drug company, A. O. Weaver, W. P. Henry, A. E. Philleo, Higgins Pharmacy company (E. A. Higgins).

ONE KILLED IN COLLISION.

Freight Trains on Illinois Central Crash at Webster City.

Webster City.—S. J. Weatherford, whose address on his grip is given as 5 South Osage street, Independence, Mo., was killed in a rear end collision of freight trains on the Illinois Central in this city. H. E. Koll of Fort Dodge, who was riding in a box car, was seriously injured about the back.

The first freight pulled on to the siding to take water, leaving the caboose and two box cars projecting upon the main line. The second train, heavily loaded with coal, crashed into the rear, telescoping the caboose and throwing the box cars into the ditch.

Weatherford was the only occupant of the caboose, the crew having all gone up into the yards. The engine went through the caboose and a car and a half beyond.

Weatherford crawled out of the debris, walked 20 feet and, saying, "Boys, I'm hurt; lay me out," fell dead. A wound in his side was so large as to expose the vitals.

Indictment Is For Murder.

Marshalltown.—The final report of the grand jury returned an indictment against Burt Pell for first degree murder fo killing John H. Lepley of Gifford.

BLYDENBURG IS FREE.

Judge Sustains Motion to Direct Verdict for Prisoner.

Eldora.—E. S. Blydenburgh is a free man. Thanks to the ruling of the trial judge, the man who once was sentenced and who served several years in the penitentiary for the alleged murder of his wife, has been turned loose.

Immediately after the state had submitted its rebuttal evidence, Judge Wade interposed a motion to have the jury directed to return a verdict acquitting the defendant. After a lengthy and sharp argument, Judge Evans sustained the motion.

The jury went through the formality of a verdict without leaving their seats. Immediately Blydenburgh was discharged. He was hardly able to rise at first, being overcome with emotion. Then he rushed over and wrung the hand of Judge Wade and then shook hands with the members of the jury.

Sentiment in Eldora is divided as to the act of the court, many thinking it should have been left to the jury to decide whether the state had or had not made out a case. Judge Evans stated after the trial that all along he had felt great doubt as to the guilt of the prisoner. The specific reason for his action is ascribed to the fact that the state did not show that poison had ever been in Blydenburgh's hands. But as evidence was excluded showing that Blydenburgh bought "rough on rats," this reason seems rather wonderful

MANY DOCTORS INDICTED.

Bremer County Grand Jury Thinks Trust Exists.

Waverly.—As the result of the crusade against the physicians of Waverly and the vicinity conducted by Charles W. Miller, democratic state chairman, a number of local doctors have been indicted by the Bremer county grand jury on a charge of conspiracy in violation of the state law against combines and trusts.

Dr. W. A. Rolfe, Dr. J. P. Anuer, Drs. Brown, Chaffee and Kern were indicted and it is understood a Denver physician, formerly of Waverly, and two physicians at Sumner, all active in the Bremer County Medical society, are to be made co-defendants.

It is charged that the accused doctors were instrumental in organizing a society of physicians which fixed a price list covering services and boycotted and ostracized doctors who would not join the association, declining to consult with them. The cases will be of state wide and national importance, for in every city and town there are medical associations which arbitrarily settle the fees to be charged for visits, operations, etc. The prosecution at Waverly will be assisted by Attorney General Byers of the state legal department.

ROUND HOUSE IS BURNED.

Burlington Road Has $20,000 Loss by Fire.

Oskaloosa.—Fire totally destroyed the roundhouse of the Burlington railroad in this city. The roundhouse was a wooden two-stall affair, but at the time of the fire housed two large mogul engines used on the steam shovel and the Tracy freight. The wood burned like tinder and the engines were enveloped in flames and could not be gotten out. The loss will be about $30,000.

The cause of the fire is unknown, but it is thought by officials of the road to be the work of an incendiary. The two engines are ruined and it is doubtful if they can be used again.

In spite of the hard work of the fire department the flames were not controlled for several hours.

KENDALL IN THE RACE.

Speaker Seeks Congressional Toga In Sixth.

Albia.—Speaker N. E. Kendall has been formerly announced as a candidate for congress in the Sixth district in the columns of the Albia Republican. The announcement occasions no surprise for it has been generally understood for a long time that Mr. Kendall would seek the republican nomination and attempt to win back the toga so long worn but lost to the republicans at the last election by Major Lacey. Major Lacey it is understood will not be a candidate for the congressional nomination. Judge M. A. Roberts of Ottumwa and John Offill of Jasper county are other names already in the field for the nomination.

Splinter Kills Iowa Falls Boy.

Iowa Falls.—A sliver in his foot caused the death of Gottleib, the 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Graff who live northeast of this city in Franklin county. A few days before his death, the young man ran a sliver in his foot near the instep. Little was thought of the injury as it was considered a minor one. A few days later, however, blood poison set in, and all efforts to save the young man's life were unavailing.

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G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT OVER

VETERANS INSTALL OFFICERS AND ADJOURN UNTIL 1908.

Resolutions Urging Legislation on Various Matters Adopted—Appointments by Commander-in-Chief.

Saratoga, N. Y. — Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic who have been attending the forty-first annual encampment of the organization concluded their business Friday and adjourned until 1908.

Installation of the officers elected Thursday, adoption of several recommendations from the committee on resolutions and Commander-in-Chief Burton's announcement of appointive officers took up the time of the veterans.

The officers were installed by Robert B. Beath, of Philadelphia, past commander-in-chief. The encampment adopted the report of the committee on resolutions which recommended legislation by congress authorizing the erection of a soldiers' hospital in the vicinity of the Gulf of Mexico; increasing widows' pensions to $12 a month; providing some suitable memorial for the soldiers and sailors of the union army who were in the south when the war began and did not join the southern forces, and directing that widows of soldiers buried in the national cemeteries may be buried beside their husbands. These recommendations will be incorporated in bills to be presented to congress.

Commander-in-Chief Burton's appointments include the following: Jere T. Dew, Kansas City, Mo., adjutant general; Charles Burrows, Rutherford, N. J., quartermaster general; Col. D. R. Stowitz, Buffalo, inspector general; L. L. Collins, Minnesapolis, Minn., judge advocate general; J. Henry Heacomb, Philadelphia, assistant general and custodian of records; J. Corle Winans, Toledo, O., senior aide-de-camp and chief of staff.

Saratoga, N. Y.—Charles G. Burton, of Nevada, Mo., a former member of congress, was elected Thursday commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, which is holding its forty-first annual encampment here.

Other officers elected by the encampment were as follows: Lewis C. Griffith, Troy, N. Y., senior vice commander; William M. Scott, Atlanta, Ga., junior vice commander; Dr. Lane Taneyhill, Baltimore, Md., surgeon general; Bishop Samuel Fallows, Chicago, chaplain-in-chief.

Toledo, O., was selected as the place of meeting for the next encampment. The date will be fixed by the national council of administration.

Watterson Has Another Fire.

Louisville, Ky.—Fire which broke out late Wednesday afternoon, for a second time endangered the plants of the Courier-Journal and Times and threatened to destroy that portion of the Courier-Journal office building left intact after the disastrous fire of ten days ago. The flames were brought under control with a loss of $25,000. The Times was forced to abandon its last edition. The origin of the fire which broke out on the top floor of the building, is unknown.

Banker Killed In Auto Wreck.

Pittsburg, Pa.—President John Runnett, of the Metropolitan National bank of Pittsburg, is dead and Dr. M. C. Cameron, a prominent physician of this city, is seriously injured as a result of the latter's automobile coming into collision with a telegraph pole late Thursday.

LUSITANIA DEFEATS SISTER.

Makes Trip from Queenstown to New York in Five Days.

New York. — A new steamship record between a European port and New York has been made by the Cunard line's new giant turbine ship, the Lusitania, which arrived here Friday.

The Lusitania left Queenstown, the nearest transatlantic port to New York, at 12:10 p. m. Sunday.

The log of the Lusitania gives her time of passage as five days and fifty-four minutes, and her time of arrival off the Sandy Hook lightship as 8:05 a. m. Her average speed, according to her log, was 23.01 knots per hour, and the day's runs were five miles, 556, 575, 570, 593, and 483 to the lightship, a total distance of 2,782 miles.

The Lusitania's time, according to the log, is six hours and twenty-nine minutes better than the previous Queenstown-New York record of five days and seven hours and twenty-three minutes, held by the Lucania of the same line.

While the Lusitania has made a new record for the time a passenger is actually on board ship, she has not beaten the average speed per hour recorded. The Kaiser Wilhelm II. has made an average of 23.58 knots per hour from New York to Plymouth and the Deutschland has a record of 23.51 knots per hour average to Plymouth.

ATLANTIC RATES CUT AGAIN.

Mercantile Marine and Cunard Companies Make Reductions.

New York.—The International Mercantile Marine company announced Wednesday a reduction in minimum east-bound cabin rates of $22.50 on the steamships Adriatic, Baltic, Cedric, Arabia, Celtic, Minnehaha, Minnetonka and Minneapolis, to correspond with the reduction made by the company recently on the Oceanic, Majestic and Teutonic.

Later, the Cunard line announced a new schedule for its steamers, showing a further cut, in addition to that of a few weeks ago. The east-bound first cabin rate on the Campania and Lucania, which had been $100, was cut to $72.50. The rate on the Caronia and Carmania, recently reduced from $95 to $75.50, was further cut to $72.50. The rates on the Umbria and Etruria, recently cut from $82.50 to $60, was further cut to $57.50. Whether or not the rate on the new giant turbine steamer Lusitania will be cut the agents were unable to tell.

Torturer Confesses Crime.

Lincoln, Ill. — Albert Wehr, a paroled convict, who was trailed by a bloodhound and arrested following the torture and robbery of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Mundy, a wealthy couple in their Lincoln home Saturday night, gave the police information which led to the recovery of $60 of the loot. The county authorities also say Wehr confessed to taking part with two other men in the robbery. The three masked men entered the Mundy home and forced Mr. and Mrs. Mundy to tell where the money was hidden by applying lighted matches to their feet

Break In Wire Strike.

Cleveland, O.—There was a decisive break in the local telegraphers' strike Friday when eight former striking operators, including the vice president of the local telegraphers' union, returned to work with the Postal Telegraph & Cable company.

THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES

By MEREDITH NICHOLSON

AUTHOR OF "THE MAIN CHANCE," "ZELDA DAMERON," ETC.

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CHAPTER XXIV.—Continued.

"That was originally a trench for natural gas pipes. There was once a large pumping station on the site of this house, with a big trunk main running off across country to supply the towns west of here. The gas was exhausted, and the pipes were taken up before I began to build. I should never have thought of that tunnel in the world if the trench hadn't suggested it. I merely deepened and widened it a little and plastered it with cheap cement as far as the chapel; and that little room there where I put Pickering's notes had once been the cellar of a house built for the superintendent of the gas plant. I never had any idea that I should use that passage as a means of getting into my own house, but Marian met me at the station, told me that there was trouble here, and came with me through the chapel into the cellar, and through the hidden stairway that winds around the chimney from that room where we keep the candle-sticks."

"But who was the ghost?" I demanded, "if you were really alive and in Egypt?"

Bates laughed now.

"Oh, I was the ghost! I went through there occasionally to stimulate your curiosity about the house. And you nearly caught me once!"

"One thing more, if we're not wearing you out—I'd like to know whether Sister Theresa owes you any money."

My grandfather turned upon Pickering with blazing eyes.

"You scoundrel, you infernal scoundrel, Sister Theresa never borrowed a cent of me in her life! And you have made war on that woman—"

His rage choked him.

He told Bates to close the door of the steel chest, and then turned to me.

"Where are those notes of Pickering's?" he demanded; and I brought the packet.

"Gentlemen, Mr. Pickering has gone to ugly lengths in this affair. How many murders have you gentlemen committed?"

"We were about to begin actual killing when you arrived," replied Larry, grinning.

"The sheriff got all his men off the premises more or less alive, sir," said Bates.

"That is good. It was all a great mistake,—a very great mistake; I had no idea such things could happen,"—and my grandfather turned to Pickering.

"Pickering, what a contemptible scoundrel you are! I lent you that $300,000 to buy securities to give you better standing in your railroad enterprises, and the last time I saw you, you got me to release the collateral so you could raise money to buy more shares. Then, after I died"—he chuckled—"you thought you'd find and destroy the notes and that would end the transaction; and if you had been smart enough to find them you might have had them and welcome. But as it is, they go to Jack. If he shows any mercy on you in collecting them he's not the boy I think he is."

Pickering rose, seized his hat and backed away toward the shattered library door. He paused for a moment, his face livid with rage.

"You old fool!" he screamed at my grandfather. "You old lunatic, I wish to God I had never seen you! No wonder you came back to life! You're a tricky old devil and too mean to die!"

He turned toward me with some similar complaint ready at his tongue's end; but Stoddard caught him by the sohulders and thrust him out upon the terrace.

A moment later we saw him cross the meadow and hurry toward St. Agatha's.

CHAPTER XXV.

Changes and Chances.

John Marshall Glenarm had probably never been so happy in his life as on that day of his amazing home-coming. He laughed at us and he laughed with us, and as he went about the house explaining his plans for its completion, he chaffed us all with his shrewd humor that had been the terror of my boyhood.

"Ah, if you had had the plans of course you would have been saved a lot of trouble; but that little sketch of the Door of Bewilderment was the only thing I left,—and you found it, Jack,—you really opened these good books of mine."

He sent us all away to remove the marks of battle, and we gave Bates a hand in cleaning up the wreckage,—Bates, the keeper of secrets, Bates, the inscrutable and mysterious, Bates, the real hero of the affair at Glenarm.

My grandfather led us through the narrow stairway by which he had entered, which had been built between false walls, and we played ghost for one another, to show just how the tread of a human being around the chimney sounded. There was much to explain, and my grandfather's contrition for having placed me in so hazardous a predicament was so sincere, and his wish to make amends so evident, that my heart warmed to him. He made me describe in detail all the incidents of my stay at the house, listening with boyish delight to my adventures.

"Bless my soul!" he exclaimed over and over again. And as I brought my two friends into the story his pleasure knew no bounds, and he kept chuckling to himself, half a dozen times shaking hands with Larry and Stoddard, who were, he declared, his friends as well as mine.

The prisoner in the potato cellar received our due attention; and my grandfather's joy in the fact that an agent of the British government was held captive in Glenarm House was cheering to see. But the man's detention was a grave matter, as we all realized, and made imperative the immediate consideration of Larry's future.

"I must go—and go at once!" declared Larry.

"Mr. Donovan, I should feel honored to have you remain," said my grandfather. "I hope to hold Jack here, and I wish you would share the house with us."

"The sheriff and those fellows won't squeal very hard about their performances here," said Stoddard. "And they won't try to rescue the prisoner, even for a reward, from a house where the dead come back to life."

"No; but you can't hold a British prisoner in an American private house forever. Too many people know he has been in this part of the country; and you may be sure that the fight here and the return of Mr. Glenarm will not fail of large advertisement. All I can ask of you, Mr. Glenarm, is that you detain the fellow a few hours after I leave, to give me a start."

After a late luncheon,—for which the amazing Bates produced champagne—the others left us—Stoddard to help Larry get his things together—and my grandfather and I talked for an hour.

"You will stay on here,—you will help me to finish the house?" the old gentleman asked with unmistakable eagerness of look and tone.

It seemed harsh and ungenerous to tell him that I wished to go; that the great world lay beyond the confines of Glenarm for me to conquer; that I had lost as well as gained by those few months at Glenarm House, and wished to go away. It was not the mystery, now fathomed,—nor the struggle, now ended,—that was uppermost in my mind and heart, but memories of a girl who had mocked me with delicious girlish laughter,—who had lured me away from the Indiana woodlands that I might see her transformed into another, more charming, being, only to shatter my faith at the end. It was a comfort to know that Pickering, trapped and defeated, was not to benefit by the bold trick she had helped him play upon me. His loss was hers as well and I was glad in my bitterness that I had found her in the passage seeking for plunder at the behest of the same master whom Morgan, Ferguson and the rest of them served. I did not mention her to my grandfather; I resolved never to think or speak of her again.

The fight was over and there was nothing more for me to do in the house by the lake. After a week or so I should go forth and try to win a place for myself. I had my profession; I was an engineer, and I did not question that I should be able to find employment. As for my grandfather, Bates would care for him, and I should visit him often. I was resolved not to give him any further cause for anxiety on account of my adventurous and roving ways. He knew well enough that his old hope of making an architect of me was lost forever; and now I wished to depart in peace and seek some part of the world where the trails were new and there were tracks to lay and bridges to build.

These thoughts so filled my mind that I forgot that my grandfather was patiently waiting for an answer.

"I should like to do anything you ask; I should like to stay here always, but I can't. Don't misunderstand me. I have no intention of going back to my old ways. I squandered enough money in my wanderings, and I had my joy of that kind of thing. I shall find employment somewhere and go to work."

"I Wish to God I Had Never Seen You."

"But, Jack,"—he bent toward me kindly,—"Jack, you mustn't be led away by any mere Quixotism into laying the foundation of your own fortune. What I have is yours, boy. What is in the box in the chimney is yours now—to-day."

"I wish you wouldn't! You were always too kind, and I deserve nothing, absolutely nothing."

"I'm not trying to pay you, Jack. I want to ease my own conscience, that's all."

"But money can do nothing for mine," I replied, trying to smile. "I've been a reckless spendthrift all my days, and now I'm going to work. If you were infirm and needed me, I should not hesitate, but the world will have its eyes on me now."

"Jack, that will of mine did you a great wrong; it put a mark upon you, and that's what hurts me; that's what I want to make amends for! Don't you see? Now don't punish me, boy. Come! Let us be friends!"

He rose and put out his hands.

"I didn't mean that! I don't care about that! It was nothing more than I deserved. These months here have changed me. Haven't you heard me say I was going to work?"

And I tried to laugh away further discussion of my future.

"It will be more cheerful here in the spring," he said, as though seeking an inducement for me to remain. "When the resort colony down here comes to life the lake is really gay."

I shook my head. The lake, that pretty cupful of water, the dip and glide of a maroon canoe, the remembrance of a red tam-o'-shanter merging afar off in an October sunset!—my purpose to leave the place strengthened as I thought of these things. My nerves were keyed to a breaking pitch and, losing control of myself, I turned upon him stormily.

"So Miss Devereux was the other person who shared your confidence! Do you understand,—do you appreciate the fact that she was Pickering's ally?"

"I certainly do not," he replied coldly. "I'm surprised to hear you speak so of a woman whom you can scarcely know—"

"Yes, I know her! My God, I have reason to know her! But even when I found her out I did not dream that the plot was as deep as it is. She knew that it was a scheme to test me, and she played me into Pickering's hands. I caught her down there in the tunnel acting as his spy, looking for the lost notes, that she might gain grace in his eyes by turning them over to him. You know how I always hated Pickering,—he was too smooth, too smug, and you and everybody else were forever praising him to me. He was always held up to me as a model; and the first time I saw Marian Devereux she was with him—it was at Sherry's the night before I came here. I suppose she reached St. Agatha's only a few hours ahead of me."

"Yes, Sister Theresa was her guardian. Her father was a dear friend, and I knew her from her early childhood. You are mistaken, Jack. Her knowing Pickering means nothing,—they both lived in New York and moved in the same circle."

"But it doesn't explain her efforts to help him, does it?" I blazed. "He wished to marry her,—Sister Theresa told me that,—and I failed—I failed miserably to keep my obligation here—I ran away to follow her!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

WELLMAN IS FOILED

ARCTIC EXPLORER'S AIRSHIP LANDS ON A GLACIER.

STORM IS ENCOUNTERED

Machinery Worked Well, but Gale Was Too Strong—Attempt to Reach Pole Abandoned For Year.

Tromsoe, Norway.—Walter Wellman and his party, composing the Wellman-Chicago Record-Herald polar expedition, arrived here Thursday evening on the steamer Frithjof from Spitzbergen.

Mr. Wellman says the airship America left her shed September 2 and made an ascent in bad weather, but she proved so strong and behaved so well that a start north was immediately made. The airship, however, encountered a storm, was driven back and landed on top of a glacier. Everything was saved.

When the airship left the shed it was anchored to a steamer, the Express, which helped to tow it to Vogel Bay island, two miles northward to

Walter Wellman.

Camp Wellman. Riesenberg and Vandman occupied the car. The motor was found to work splendidly and, when it was started, drove the America ahead of the steamer. It was found that the airship answered her helm well.

Beaten Back Over Mainland.

Off Vogel Bay island the America was freed from her anchor ropes, but an increasing gale and a driving snowstorm beat her backward over the mainland of Spitzbergen. Seeing the hopelessness of attempting to battle with the gale the valves were opened and the balloon quickly descended on a glacier.

The occupants of the car secured the balloon. A rescue party from the steamer reached the glacier an hour and a half later and had considerable difficulty in saving the airship. The balloon portion had to be cut in two and the car was taken to pieces in order to enable the rescuers to transport it over the ice hills and fissures to the sea.

Announces Plan to Delay.

Trondhjem, Norway.—Walter Wellman on arriving at Tromsoe announced that he had definitely abandoned for this year, after a disastrous trial of his airship, the proposed attempt to reach the north pole.

The airship ascent September 2 was in a strong northwesterly wind, which drove her southeastward over the land. It was found necessary to cut the balloon adrift from the other parts of the airship, but it was recovered after two days' search.

Mr. Wellman says he will make another attempt, with a new airship, in 1908.

From Fancy to Fact

Delightful and Novel Experience Rudely Dispelled.

"Oh, thank you!" exclaimed the delighted wife, as her husband handed her a large bunch of money and told her to go right down town and buy everything she liked.

"Don't mention it," replied the husband. "I want you to have everything your heart desires in the way of dresses and bonnets this winter. I realize that I have not been as generous as I should have been, and I hope I may be able to make up for it now. Here, take this double handful of $20 gold pieecs, too. Look out, there! You're dropping them."

But the double handful of gold 20s fell to the floor and went jingling here and there, and the husband laughed merrily until—

B-r-r-r-r-r-r!

It was the alarm clock, and she heard the voice of her husband saying:

"I'll be late to work again to-day. Say, lend me half a dollar, won't you? I have not enough money for carfare and lunch this morning."

It is such distressing occurrences as this that make women wish they had married the squit-eyed, freckled boy who afterwards left home and became a plutocrat.

A new broom and a straight flush make a clean sweep.

"Manly Art" in France

Sport of Boxing Just Now Something of a Craze.

Boxing has become quite the rage in Paris; the old savate, with its effective high kicking, has been discarded for the "noble art" of Britain. But our lively neighbor the Gaul has always had a sneaking affection for a manly bout of fisticuffs a l'Anglais. When Owen Swift, the famous champion of the lightweights, took refuge in Paris after killing his opponent, Brighton Bill, in a prize fight, he was patronized by all the members of the French Jockey club. After a fierce battle at Charenton with Jack Adams, another pugilist of renown, Swift was arrested and brought before the Paris tribunal of correctional police on a charge of "having inflicted wounds occasioning an incapacity to labor for less than 20 days." Owen's description in his evidence, of the course of training which he had to go through had an amusing effect upon the young sporting swells of Paris. For months afterward these young exquisites might be seen going at their best pace along the streets and boulevards, muffled up to their eyes in sweaters and greatcoats, getting into condition for boxing.—T. P. O. of London.

ADMITS GOODS WERE SMUGGLED.

Miss Olson, of Chicago, Confesses to Officials at Port Huron.

Port Huron, Mich.—When arraigned Wednesday before United States Commissioner Harris on the charge of smuggling, Miss Anna Olson, of Chicago, who was detained by customs officers here Monday, together with Mrs. Lucy Rapp and Mrs. A. Hulbert, also of Chicago, admitted that the contents of the three canvas trunks which the party had, worth about $5,000, were smuggled goods.

Miss Olson declared that the other two women had no money invested in the goods, but were only helping her with the use of their trunks. She said she was in the ladies' furnishing goods business in Chicago and later Mrs. Hulbert and Mrs. Rapp also admitted that they are in the same business.

Stensland Must Serve His Time.

Joliet, Ill.—Paul O. Stensland, former president of the collapsed Milwaukee Avenue State bank of Chicago, must serve out his full term in the penitentiary. This was decided Friday by the state board of pardons, which refused to grant a plea to release Stensland from the penalty of his conviction. Stensland will leave the prison after eight years and three months—if he maintains constant good behavior. Without the deductions for good behavior the maximum penalty is 14 years.

MILLINERY OPENING

I will have my Fall and Winter opening of Pattern and Trimmed Hats on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 20 and 21. We will have the prettiest and most stylish hats ever shown also silks, velvets, corsets, waists and a fine line of stamped goods. Miss Weismann who is in charge of the trimming department comes highly recommended. She is well experienced in her profession and is sure to please.

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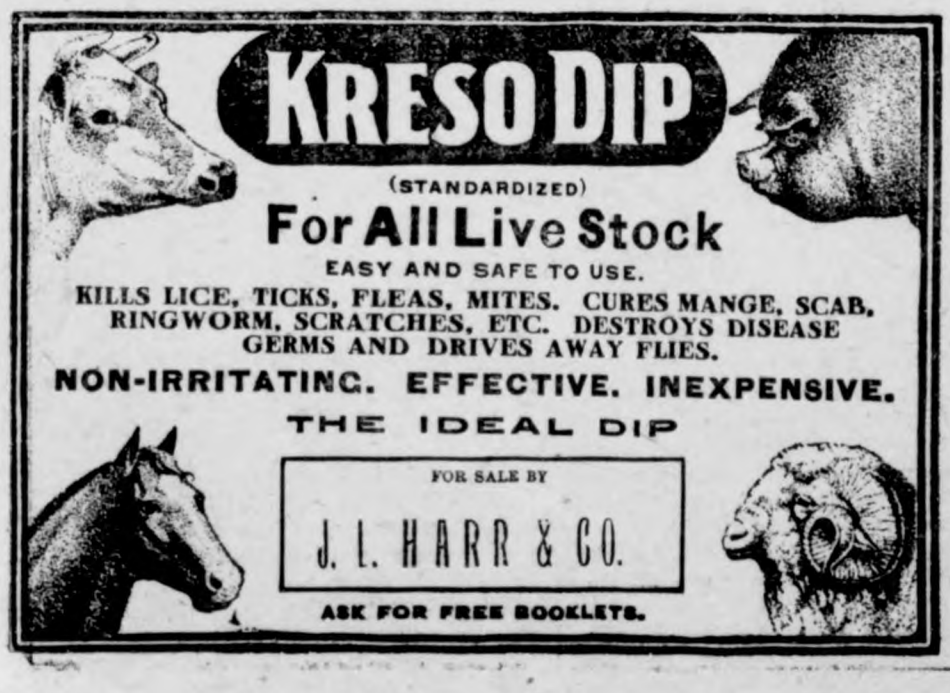
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German M E. Church Items

We had three fine congregations out last Sunday.

Arnold's are putting in cement walks around the house.

Aug Ridder and family visited in the country Sunday afternoon.

Henry Beier's little girl in some way fractured her arm last week.

Rev. F. H. Wellemeyer made his son Arthur a short visit last week.

Mrs. Louis Sampson has been quite sick a week or more but is on the mend.

Henry Beier is in Beltrami, Minn. this week looking after his land interest up there.

The illustrated lecture on Orphan work will be given in the Germantown church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bredlow are visiting their daughter Mrs. Aug. Kropp at Maynard, Minn. a few weeks.

Have you seen the "Standard Bearer's program for Friday evening?. You will want to go if you do see it.

Mother Lau and Martha Lau expect to start Friday on a trip to Clayton county and visit with friends and former neighbors.

Wesley Schaub of Alden and Gilbert Gethman of Iowa Falls, were over Sunday visitors in Klemme returning Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Koerner and little boy of El Reno, Okla, are spending a few weeks in and around Klemme with their relatives.

Henry Ludeke was suddenly taken sick Tuesday afternoon while at work. He has been under Dr. Zinn's care a few days and is improving.

Next Sunday morning in both churches the sermon will be especially for the children. This will not exclude the older ones, as it may prove mere interesting to them than the little ones.

Members of the Germantown League have arranged for a social gathering at the home of Carl Wellemeyer next Wednesday evening. They invite the members of the Klemme League to spend the evening with them.

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT
KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

Ell Center.

Mrs. Groesbeck is away on a visit.

Tom Nelson was at Garner Friday.

Miss Lillian Wood spent Sunday at her home in Garner.

Mrs. Herman Barz returned last week from her Minnesota visit.

Fred Haupt moved the barn from his Ell Center farm to his farm west of Klemme.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kelley of Garner and Mr and Mrs. Kelley of Decorah, visited at Joe Lawhorn's Tuesday.

Wm. Lawhorn is building an addition to the house and putting other improvements on the property he purchased last year of Frank Flatt.

Wm. Lawhorn and wife, Joe Lawhorn and family, Hod Lawhorn and family and Mrs. Stoker and son Marion of Miller were at Charley Lawhorn's Sunday.

BOY WANTED!

We want every boy who has to go to school this winter to wear one of our "Viking School Suits."

Then you can "climb trees, slide on the cellar door, play pull-away, or even play foot ball."

You will find that the double seat and double knee "Vicking" pants are the kind you want.

Ofcourse your ma will give you a "licking" every time you tear your clothes or locse a button, but these clothes will stand more hard knocks than the ordinary kind.

But don't feel sad, boys, if you do haveto take a licking now and then, because, you see, the double seat on the pants will "help some."

I also recommend to you our Iron Clad stockings for boys with triple leg, heal and toe.

And should you expect to do much running and kicking at school this winter I would urge you very strongly to buy Buster Brown Shoes—they are built for that business.

Come in boys after school or on Saturday and I will show you these school clothes.

Arthur Wellemeyer.

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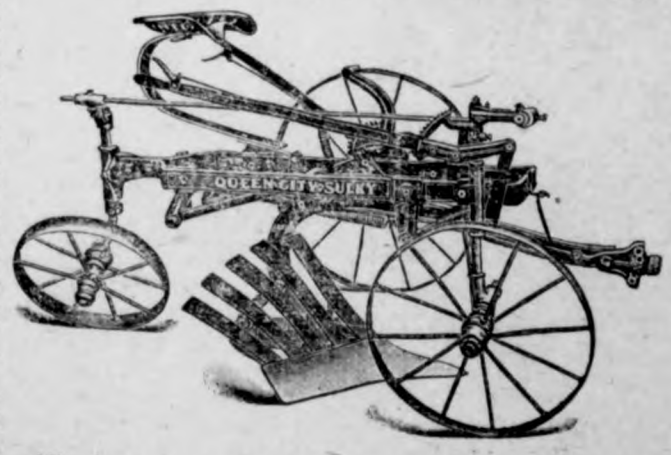

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LOCAL NEWS

See Ell Bros. for ice.

Read the market report.

BOY WANTED—see Wellemeyer's ad.

Do not forget about that ad of the State Savings Bank.

F. Gruetzmacher and F. Arnold drove to Garner Monday.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

Aug. Baumgartner, Garner's popular barber, drove to Klemme Monday and was the guest of his brother John and family.

DeWitt's little early risers are good for anyone who needs a pill. They are small safe sure little pills that do not gripe or sicken. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Wesley Schaub and Gilbert Getman of Alden, Iowa, were the guests of Wellemeyer's popular clerk Aug. Wenz. They returned last week.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are providing to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. All Dealers.

The ladies of the English M. E. church served supper last week Saturday in the Mrs. A. B. Shafer store building. The attendance was large and they were well pleased with the returns.

There's a reason for that ache in your back—right where it stitches every time you bend over turn around or walk any distance. It's your kidneys. Take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills. They are unequaled for backache weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Fred, Charles and Clarence Kluckhohn and James Pavey drove to Goodell Sunday. They also took in the ball game east of Goodell which was played beween Belmond and Goodell. Score 3 to 2 in favor of Belmond.

The way to get rid of a cold whether it be a bad cold or just a little one is to get it out of your system thru' the bowels. Nearly all cough cures especially those that contain opiates are constipating. Kennedy's laxative cough syrup contains no opiates and acts gently on the bowels. Pleasant to take. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

FOR SALE—Golden Wyandotte cockerels. Mrs. J. P. Larsen

Mrs. C. C. Suckow was at Garner Tuesday between trains.

Lew Lewis and son returned from their Wisconsin visit Tuesday.

Mrs. N. L. Palmer returned last week Friday from her Algona visit.

Frank Gruetzmrcher bought the L. W. Fuller property. Consideration $900.

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

Chas. Gibbs returned from Franklin county last week Friday where he has been looking after business matters.

Mrs. Aug. Lau, Mrs. Fred Musfeldt and Mrs. J. W. Waterman left last week Saturday for Elkport, Iowa for a visit with their parents.

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve is good for boils, burns, cuts scalds and skin diseases. It is especially good for piles. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

W. G. Lenz of Germantown, made us a call today and gladdened us with a renewal on subscription. He says that his oats yielded better than he expected, going 27 bushels per acre.

The report that the Editor of this paper was scared to death by a fat German, who happened to be in town Monday, is not true. All we have to say is that a "Barking dog never bites."

Pain everywhere pain in head and painful periods. Neuralgia toothache all pains can be promptly stopped by a thoroughly safe little pink candy tablet known by druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Pain simply means congestion, undue blood pressure at the point where pain exists. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets quickly equalize this unnatural blood pressure and pain immediately departs. Write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. and get a free trial package. Large box 25c.—druggists. All Dealers.

We received a post card from our subscriber Rev. G. Haefner of Rockford, Iowa, stating that we should send his paper hereafter to Tomah, Wis. his future field of labor in the German M. E. church. We wish him lots of prosperity in his new location.

Occasional headaches belching bad taste in the mouth lack of appetite and slight nervousness are symptoms of indigestion which when allowed to go uncared for will develop into a case of dyspepsia that will take a long time to get rid of. Don't neglect your stomach. At the first indication of trouble take something that will help it along in its work of digesting the food you eat. Kodol will make your food do you good and will enable you to enjoy what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Mr. J. W. Scott of Garrison, Iowa, arrived the latter part of last week and returning the same week. He is one of Garrison's up-to-date blacksmiths. We understand that he has bought the Nissen blacksmith shop and will open up for business on Oct. 1st. We welcome him and family with us and also wish him prosperity in business.

There are a great many people who have slight attacks of indigestion and dyspepsia nearly all the time. Their food may satisfy the appetite but it fails to nourish the body simply because the stomach is not in fit condition to do the work it is supposed to do. It cant digest the food you eat. The stomach should be given help. You ought to take something that will do the work your stomach can't do. Kodol for indigestion and dyspepsia a combination of natural digestants and vegetable acids digests the food itself and gives strength and health to the stomach, pleasant to take. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Read the Klemme Times ad. opposite local page.

Taxes are now due pay them at the State Savings Bank.

Get your refrigerater filled with ice regulary by Ell Bros.

Remember the Standard Bearer Festival on Friday evening.

Albert Fuller and wife are the proud parents of a young son on Monday.

Harry Ell and wife returned Wednesday evening from their visit in Minnesota and N. Dak.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

Remember Mrs. John Josten's Millinery Opening on Friday and Suturday, Sept. 20 and 21. Read her ad.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wenz was dangerously ill last week but is on the way of recovery.

Mrs Henry Suckow left Tuesday for Waseca, Minn. where she will visit with her brothers the Brewer brothers.

FOR RENT—The L. W. Fuller property which I recently purchased I have for rent.

F. Gruetzmacher.

Henry Wille and wife returned from Thompson Monday evening where they have been visiting Aug. Deitrich since last week Wednesday.

News are very scarce these days and our correspondents are busy these days with their fall work, however our Ell Center correspondent responded this week.

Several of our subscribers have been responding the past week with renewals on this paper which we appreciate. We are in hopes that the good work will keep on.

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some little candy cold tablets called preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening, taken at the sneeze stage. Preventics will prevent pneumonia bronchitis lagrippe, etc. Hence the name preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 preventics 25c. Sold by All Dealers.

Henry Greffin one of Germantown's prosperous farmers called on the Times office on Monday and renewed his subscription. He is one of our oldest subscribers on our list. We are pleased to state that Mr. and Mrs. Greffin are prospering nicely on the farm and were out of reach from the hail this summer. He says that of 50 acres of oats he realized the nice sum of 1260 bu. and that his corn is looking fine and out of reach from frost. His father received 1900 bushels of oats from 65 acres and 460 bushels of barley from 15 acres. His corn will average 35 bushels to the acre.

Stomach troubles heart and kidney ailments can be quickly corrected with a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The prompt and surprising relief which this remedy immediately brings is entirely due to its restorative action upon the controlling nerves of the stomach, etc. A weak stomach causing dyspepsia a weak heart with palpitation or intermittent pulse always means weak stomach nerves or weak heart nerves. Streng then these inside or controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's restorative and see how quickly these ailments disappear. Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. will mail samples free, write for them a test will tell. Your health is certainly worth this simple trial. Sold by All Druggists.

C. C. Suckow and wife drove to Garner, Monday.

Something new in that ad of the State Savings Bank.

Art Wellemeyer transacted business in Miller and Garner Monday.

C. C. Suckow and family drove through the Avery Center district Sunday.

The thermometer registered 86 on Wednesday. How is that for corn weather.

We call special attention for our school boys to read Wellemeyer's ad. this week.

The First National Bank has a change of ad. They are calling attention to your taxes.

Our lumber dealers are kept busy these days. Both yards receiving several car loads.

The frost is holding off nicely and with the present hot weather corn is bumping along rapidly.

Bennie Reimer of Germantown, was the guest of Arthur Wellemeyer and family Wednesday.

The parties who broke into my shop and stole my bolt clippers, had better return the same where they were taken, otherwise I shall begin action.

C. J. Kraus.

The following subscribers to the Times remembered us with a renewal:

Thos. Nelson, Jr., Klemme.
Henry Thiemann, Klemme.
W. G. Lenz, Garner.
Henry Greffin, Germantown.
H. S. Schwartz, Albany, N. Y.

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This is an ailment for which Chamberlain's pain balm has proven especially valuable. In almost every instance it affords prompt and permanent relief. Luke LaGrange of Orange, Mich. says of it: After using a plaster and other remedies for three weeks for a bad lame back I purchsed a bottle of Chamberlain's pain balm and two applications effected a cure. For sale by J L HARR & Co.

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DeWITT'S CARBOLIZED WITCH HAZEL SALVE For Piles, Burns, Sores.

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A Complete Defense.

An Irish woman was accused of having stolen an iron soap kettle and cracked it, so that its usefulness was ended.

Her defense, when brought before the judge, was as follows: "Oi have witnesses here, yer honor, t' prove, first, that Oi niver had th' kittle in me possession; second, that Oi returned it t' Mrs. Casey widout a crack in it; and, third, that th' old kittle was cracked whin Oi sthole it."

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We buy hogs six days in the week, but want them delivered only on Tuesdays and Saturdays of each week. Highest market price will be paid for hogs and all kinds of grain, also No. 1 hard and soft coal for sale at bottom prices at the North Elevator. Yours for business,

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DES MOINES LETTER

Items of Interest From Our Correspondent at the State Capital.

Roads Prosper Under New Law.

Des Moines.—While few of the railroads will give out definite figures on their earnings, comparative data of two of the principal lines entering Des Moines indicates that the last six months of 1907 promise to be one of the most prosperous years the roads have ever enjoyed.

This applies to both freight and passenger business, and shows that the claim of the railroads that the 2-cent rate would be confiscatory is unfounded.

The passenger receipts of the local office of one of the leading roads entering Des Moines for the month of August was between $20,000 and $25,000 greater than for the same month a year ago. Of course, part of this gain is directly due to the fact that many of the state fair patrons bought one way tickets to Des Moines this year on account of no excursion rates being made, thus causing them to buy return tickets here. The August passenger receipts of the local office of another Des Moines road show an increase of about $18,000 over the same month a year ago.

The Des Moines freight business of one Des Moines road for the first seven months of 1907 shows one of the most marked gains in the history of the station. During the seven months the carload lots of freight of the one road in and out of Des Moines showed an increase of 850 cars over the same period of last year and the total gain in freight business was over 21,000,000 pounds. The freight receipts of the road in Des Moines show a gain of about $40,000 over the first seven months of 1906.

It is stated that the other railways entering Des Moines made a proportional gain in freight business. The freight agents attribute the growth to the growth of Des Moines business interests during the period, a good share of which is directly or indirectly due to the Greater Des Moines movement.

It is officially stated that the passenger traffic on the Iowa division of the Rock Island has increased more rapidly since the 2-cent fare law went into effect than ever before. The increase was marked immediately after July 1, but the officials then attributed the growth to the holidays and summer tourists, but it has kept up and now they can't explain it except by attributing it to the 2-cent fare law causing more travel.

Teachers Are In Demand.

A cry for country school teachers is going up all over the state of Iowa. Never before has there been such a scarcity of pedagogues in Iowa judging by the demand. Appeals for teachers have reached the office of County Superintendent Mrs. Huegle from the superintendents of Marion, Warren, Madison and Shelby counties. They all say that unless more teachers can be secured some of their schools will be unable to open.

But Mrs. Huegle will not be able to offer any relief to the teacherless counties. She will consider herself fortunate if she has enough teachers to fill all of the Polk county schools. Nearly every day requests for teachers are coming in from rural directors and the problem of furnishing teachers for all the schools from the visible supply is a serious one. Owing to the fact that some of the schools will not open for several weeks, Mrs. Huegle is unable to say just at present how many more teachers are needed.

Fruit Jobbers Want Reduction.

Des Moines fruit jobbers are much interested in a proposed campaign of the Western Fruit Jobbers' association of which most of them are members, to secure a reduction in freight rates on their products. The fruit jobbers claim that the freight rates on their goods are away too high in comparison with the rates on other goods, especially packing house products, which are practically as perishable but for which the railroads do not charge nearly as much as to transport fruit. The question will come up at the annual meeting of the association which will be held in Chicago the latter part of December and a radical attack on freight rates will be sanctioned by the Des Moines members.

Food Law Discriminates.

Claiming that the new Iowa pure food law is discriminatory as it relates to the sales of concentrated feeding stuffs, the American Linseed company asks the federal court to enjoin H. R. Wright, state food and dairy commissioner from enforcing that part of the statute.

The petition as filed by Attorneys Hager & Powell declares that license fee of 10 cents per ton on linseed meal is discriminatory because it is not required on other unadulterated stock foods and because it does not provide a license fee for similar products manufactured in Iowa.

Boozers Barred From Escaping.

The board of control is through fooling with the inebriates at the Knoxville institution, and has contracted for bars for the windows in order to keep them from escaping and to save hiring men to watch them.

When the board was considering the subject of how to control the sots for whom the tax payers of the state have built a marble palace at Knoxville, a Massachusetts authority came out and lectured to the board and the superintendents of the institutions, suggesting that a long experience with that class of people had led him to the conclusion that the nearer a prison an inebriate detention hospital was the more effective it would be.

The inebriates always resented the idea of having been housed at the insane hospitals of the state and it was thought that their fine sense of self-respect and pride was responsible for their repeated and successful attempts to escape in bunches of from five to twenty at a time. So the board of control contented itself with constructing a very fine institution at Knoxville, one attractive in every way and provided with all of the conveniences—this was under direction of the legislature, of course—and decided to pay no heed to the recommendation from effete Massachusetts.

But escapes have continued. An effort to prevent it has cost the state extensively for guards. Now bars will be put up at the windows. A sample of the bars was at the office of the board yesterday. Steel wires, about a quarter of an inch in diameter, running in strands of two wires each, criss crossing each other so that apertures in the shape of diamonds result, the junctures of the crossing strands being tied with wire, make the screen. It is thought it will be handsome and effective.

Many Millions in Iowa Banks.

For the first time in the history of the state the deposits in the state and savings banks have gone above $200,000,000. They did it at the close of business, Aug. 22, according to the official statement compiled from reports made by the banks on that date.

Including the deposits in the trust companies of the state, the deposits increased between Sept. 4, 1906, and Aug. 23, 1907, in the sum of $30,040,811.

The average reserve in all banks at the close of business Aug. 22 last was 21 per cnt, which is about the average of the last half dozen bank statements.

In the state and savings banks and in the trust companies in the form of deposits there now are $219,441,000. In the private and national banks there are about $150,000,000 more. It is believed there is about $200 per capita of bank deposits in Iowa. This is practically $100 per capita more than in the banks of Kansas, for instance.

Twelve new state and savings banks have been organized in Iowa within the last five months. There have been fifty-nine in the year past. The capital stock had increased about $476,000 on account of the organization of the twelve new banks during the last five months. There now are 550 savings and 260 state banks in Iowa. There are fourteen trust companies in the state.

In the savings banks there are $140,770,318 in deposits in the state banks, $62,435,487 and in the trust companies $6,235,433, making $219,311,248 altogether.

After Big Corporations.

Secretary of State Hayward has referred to the legal department of the state the evidence gathered by H. T. Saberson, corporation clerk in the office of the secretary, relative to the corporations which are doing business in Iowa without having filed their articles of incorporation. The legal department will bring suits in the court, in all probability, to compel the corporations to file their articles and pay the incorporation fees which they owe to the office of the secretary.

A large number of corporation are effected. Some of the railroad, telegraph and telephone lines are interested. The action contemplated will compel these corporations to file their articles with the secretary of state and pay the fees under the law which existed at the time the articles should have been filed. Many thousands of dollars will be involved. The law contemplates a penalty of $100 a day during the time of failure of the companies to file their articles. The accumulation of the penalty would amount to millions, and of course no idea is entertained that the full penalty can be recovered, even if the law points in the case are decided in favor of the state and against the corporations. There are fine points of law involved in the statute which remain for the courts, even to the United States supreme court, to settle.

MR. JOHNSON NOT TO BLAME.

Good Old Lady Understood How the Mistake Occurred.

There is a good old lady who cannot resist speaking well of all her acquaintances.

On Thanksgiving day she told the colored man who did chores about the place that he might go into the barnyard and help himself to a chicken. The man obeyed with alacrity and was most profuse in his thanks.

In the course of a few days the lady's husband informed her that on Thanksgiving day neighbors had seen Mr. Johnson seize two choice hens from the coop.

"I did tell him to take one," confessed the lady regretfully, "but, you know, dear, how intensely Mr. Johnson celebrates the holidays. Why, he simply cannot help seeing things double."

THREE BOYS HAD ECZEMA.

Were Treated at Dispensary—Did Not Improve—Suffered Five Months—Perfect Cure by Cuticura.

"My three children had eczema for five months. A little sore would appear on the head and seemed very itchy, increasing day after day. The baby had had it about a week when the second boy took the disease and a few sores developed, then the third boy took it. For the first three months I took them to the N— Dispensary, but they did not seem to improve. Then I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and in a few weeks they had improved, and when their heads were well you could see nothing of the sores. Mrs. Kate Keim, 513 West 29th St., New York, N. Y., Nov. 4, 5 and 7, 1906."

The Truth.

Gobsa Golde descended painfully from his 90-horse power limousine.

"I wish to purchase," he said, "an engagement ring."

"Yes, sir," said the eager clerk. "We have just imported a superb ring, sir—two ruby hearts surrounded—"

"No," said the aged millionaire, in a disillusioned voice; "no, that won't do. There is only one heart concerned in this affair. The girl is marrying me for my money."

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right Starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

No Grace.

Four-year-old Anna was invited to take luncheon with the family of one of her little friends. Before they partook of their meal, the head of the house asked a blessing upon the food, during which time Anna chattered constantly. Not wishing to reprove the child, her hostess said, "I suppose you don't have grace at your house."

"Oh, no," the little girl replied, "we have Bessie."—Harper's Magazine.

Opening Lower Brule Indian Reservation in South Dakota.

Parties wishing full information as to the character of the land, how to reach it and how to take part in the drawing in October, also information in relation to the opening of Tripp county, in the Rosebud Reservation, can secure same by sending One Dollar to Chas. H. Burke, Pierre, South Dakota, formerly Member of Congress and author of the Lower Brule and Rosebud legislation.

Had Measured It.

"How far," asked the first automobilist as they met at a turn in the road, "is it from here to the next town where there's a repair shop?"

"Eleven hills, three bad bridges, one long stretch of deep sand, and two arrests," answered the second automobilist.

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There is no debtor in the world so honorable—so superbly honorable—as love.—Henry Drummond.

WHAT FATHER AND HARRY ACCOMPLISHED

AN ILLINOIS MAN WRITES REGARDING HIS SUCCESS IN WESTERN CANADA.

Change in Homestead Regulations Makes Entry Easily Accomplished.

"Nothing succeeds like success" is an old and true saying having many applications in Western Canada. The following letter is an illustration. The writer, Mr. Gerts, left Chicago a short time ago and the success he has achieved may well be gained by anyone having pluck and energy by locating on the free homestead lands in Western Canada. A change recently made in the Canadian Land Regulations concerning homesteads makes it possible for any member of a family to make entry for any other member of the family entitled to a homestead. For instance, a man may now make entry before the local agent for his father or for his brother or brothers, or for his son or sons, or for a sister or daughter who may be the head of the family having minor children depending upon her for support. A sister, daughter or mother are also entitled to make entry upon a homestead. The only fee required is $10.00 for each entry. A great saving in railway expenses is thus made.

Read what Mr. Gerts has to say:

Battleford, Sask., Aug. 4, 1907.

Dear Sir:—

Thinking a letter from us Northwest settlers might interest you, and I write a few lines and let you know we are progressing finely and well pleased with our new home.

When I think of the many hard working, industrious men east with families who are struggling for a living and doing the strenuous, laying up practically nothing for old age and the thousands of acres of land here yet to be plowed and cultivated capable of raising sixty to eighty bushels of oats, thirty to forty bushels of wheat, it certainly seems a pity the two cannot be brought together. But I will repeat, this country is only for the industrious and thrifty; also I might add, it requires some capital to start.

A man should have at least a team of three good horses; better to have mares so as to have some colts coming along each year. It is best to bring them with him as work horses are high. He should be able to purchase plow, disc and drag, harrow, drill, binder and hay rake. Of course several taking up claims or buying land near together can divide up the purchasing of the above machinery and exchange work. This plan will work well for a few years or until crops will warrant each individual to purchase a full outfit.

We have 480 acres of as good farm land as lies in the famous Cut Knife district. Every foot can be plowed. Last year our oats run 60 bushels per acre. I sold them for 50c per bushel on the place.

The indications are for a good crop this year, though we were very late in seeding owing to the late spring. Last winter was the coldest known in this country by the oldest settlers (some who have been here 35 years), but with a comfortable house and plenty of firewood, which we hauled four miles, we passed the winter quite pleasantly. The air is clear and dry. Some of the days I came from work I was surprised to find the thermometer registering 40° below zero. Though we never keep fire at night, we had nothing freeze in our cellar.

Our stock and chickens wintered fine. I have a yearling heifer, who would hold her own in any "fat stock show." She has never had a drop of milk since she was four months old and has never had a mouthful of grain. A gentleman who saw her made the remark, "He bet that heifer had eaten her head off with grain," but would hardly believe she had never had any grain.

This is a great country for growing all kinds of vegetables and we are certainly enjoying our garden. The flavor of the green peas is especially fine. Last season Mrs. G. canned a lot of them, and we have enjoyed them up to the fresh crop.

I am sorry I did not have time this past season to attend to transplanting trees, but will keep the land I had prepared worked up for next season's planting. I received a number of small trees (ash and maple) from the Government Experimental Farm at Indian Head. I put them around the edge of the garden and they are doing fine. I also received quite a lot of other seeds, oats, wheat, potatoes and rhubarb roots which were acceptable.

It is useless for us to bother with garden flowers as wild ones grow in profusion. We are located near a fine creek, the water of which is soft and fine for bathing and washing. We have a well of water near the house, 32 feet deep and 21 feet of water all the time, though it is harder than the creek water.

Land which could be bought for five dollars per acre three years ago is now worth $14 per acre and steadily advancing each year.

All kinds of improvements are going on. Steam plows and large threshing outfits are already in. Roads are being graded, bridges being built across rivers and creeks. Last year I took my family, also wagon, across the Saskatchewan river in a row boat, swam my team across and now the contract has been let for $200,000 bridge at that place.

The C. N. R. have run their final survey from Battleford to Calgary, running west about one mile north of us. The C. P. R. have run a survey, which runs northwest passes about 500 feet from the northeast corner of our farm. The country will soon be covered with a net work of railroads and it will keep them busy hauling the output of grain. It is certainly encouraging to us settlers.

Two years ago, Harry, my son, and I as you know unloaded our car at Saskatoon and drove 130 miles to our claim. Last fall we had only 18 miles to haul our wheat to railroad and as you see, the prospects are we will have a railroad at our very door and a town near-by. This district can support a good town and it will be well patronized.

Harry arrived home at 12 p. m. last night after going fourteen miles to blacksmith shop to get plowshares beat out. The shop was full of work and it was eight p. m. when Harry left for home and parties still in line to have work done. We will need stores nearer and good mechanics.

We are all enjoying the best of health which is a great blessing. When we left Chicago over a year ago my youngest son's (four years of age) health was so poor that I almost despaired of raising him, but he is certainly a hearty, healthy little fellow now. The pure fresh air has done him worlds of good.

So to sum up the whole. Why should we not be glad we made the break? A good farm, stock increasing, health and an independent life. What more can we expect?

Did we have to make an effort? You can bet we did and hustle, too. Should you pass this way with your shotgun this fall, we should be pleased to let you shoot prairie chickens off our grain stocks.

Respectfully yours,
CHAS. M. GERTS AND FAMILY.

New in Natural History.

Not all English children are well posted on live stock. The following "howlers" are from essays exhibited at a recent show: "The young horses have long legs, so that it might keep up to its mother when wild lions like the lion and tiger are after them to devour them." "The fowl," declares still another, "when alive is used for cock-fighting and when dead for its beautiful feathers." "The pig gets its wool coat off in summer. Then we get the wool of it. The pig is regarded as a bad creature."

Sheer white goods, in fact, any fine wash goods when new, owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equally satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work.

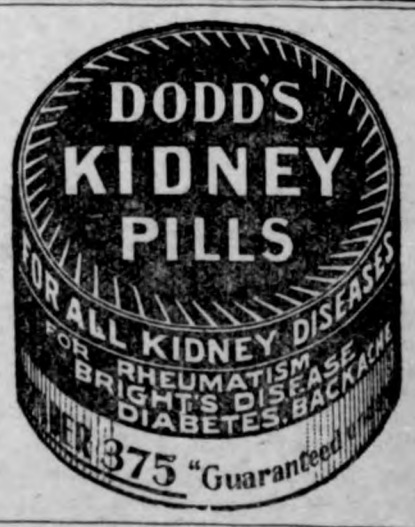
Her Idea of a Wooden Leg.

Hewitt—Is your wife a woman of practical ideas?

Jewett—Well, I could imagine that if I lost a leg she would think that the vacancy could be filled by taking one of the legs out of a pine table that we no longer use."—Judge.

Was Built to Last.

The great military thoroughfare of the Roman world known as the Appian Way, reaching from Rome to Brundisium, was but 15 feet wide, yet 70 years elapsed between its commencement and its completion.



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OPEN WAR IS ON

BURLINGTON TAKES THE LEAD IN DEFYING COMMISSION

OPENLY VIOLATE STATE LAWS

Governor Threatens to Convene Lawmakers and Mete Out Punishment to Roads.

Omaha, Sept. 16.—An open fight between the Burlington railroad and the Nebraska state railway commission is on, and sensational moves are being made by each party every day.

The railroad has issued orders to all employes not to recognize requests for information from the commission, and the commission has retaliated by ordering the investigation and probable prosecution of General Manager Holdrege, because the commission charges the Burlington with having turned in a list of pass holders which is alleged to be false and incomplete. All the other railroads in Nebraska are backing up the Burlington in the fight, while Governor Sheldon and the state officials are lending their support to the commission.

Some time ago the railway commission announced that it would order a reduction of from 10 to 18 per cent on grain shipments within the state. The railroads laid low and took no notice of the forthcoming reduction until just a day of two before the rates were to go into effect. Then a temporary restraining order was secured from the United States court, preventing the lower rates from being placed in effect. And while this is being fought out in the courts, the Nebraska farmers are shipping this year's immense grain crop and are paying the old rate for the service.

But the great weapon in the hands of the commission is the extra session which Governor Sheldon is preparing to call.

The governor says, "if the railroads intend to go into court and secure an injunction every time the commission promulgates an order or begins a hearing, they may just as well be kept busy. Should the commission be enjoined on its hearings, one remedy is left. I can call an extra session of the legislature and the railroads may be compelled to comply with a law making a reduction of 25 per cent on all classes of freight."

The commission has evidence that fourteen passes issued by the Burlington were not incorporated in the list of passes turned in by that road. The law provides a heavy penalty for this and since the list was made under oath, a charge of perjury may lie against the officials.

The fight is cleancut and the people of the state, regardless of party and politics, are behind the commission and the governor.

TRAINS COLLIDE HEAD ON.

Twenty-five Are Killed; Thirty Are Injured, Many Seriously.

White River Junction, Vt., Sept. 16.—Mistaken train orders, an early morning mist, a sharp curve on the Concord division of the Boston & Maine railroad, contributed to cause a fearful headon collision between the southbound Quebec express and a northbound freight, yesterday morning.

From the demolished passenger coaches of the express train were taken twenty-five dead, among them many women and little children and thirty other passengers, most of them seriously injured, many of whom will die. Nearly all the dead in the car were returning from the big fair at Shellbrooke, Que.

The conductor of the freight train was given to understand that he had plenty of time to reach the siding by the night operator at Canaan station, receiving, according to the superintendent of telegraph, an order from the train dispatcher at Concord which confused train Nos. 30 and 34.

The wreck occurred just after the express had rounded a sharp curve to a straight stretch of track, but owing to the early morning mist neither engineer saw the other's headlight until too late.

Death Reveals Elopement.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 16.—The runaway marriage and the story of an invalid mother's vain search for her daughter were revealed in the coroner's office here with the identification of the body of Mrs. John Croft, who was drowned in the Delaware river Wednesday, as that of a New York girl, formerly Marguerite Fitzgerald of 157 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street. The identification was made by C. B. Walker, uncle of the girl. According to Walker, none of the family knew of the marriage until after the drowning. They were then notified by Croft and C. S. M. Bennett of this city, on whose yacht they were when the young woman was swept overboard by a swinging boom.

Lives Lost In Mine Disaster.

Washington, Ga., Sept. 16.—Information was received here yesterday morning of a disastrous explosion at the Columbia gold mine, this county. The explosion was the result of a premature discharge of dynamite and caused the loss of several lives. Telephone lines to the mine are out of order and details are not available.

HERITAGE OF CIVIL WAR.

Thousands of Soldiers Contracted Chronic Kidney Trouble While in the Service.

The experience of Capt. John L. Ely, of Co. E, 17th Ohio, now living at 500 East Second street, Newton, Kansas, will interest the thousands of veterans who came back from the Civil War suffering tortures with kidney complaint. Capt. Ely says: "I contracted kidney trouble during the Civil War, and the occasional attacks finally developed into a chronic case. At one time I had to use a crutch and cane to get about. My back was lame and weak, and besides the aching, there was a distressing retention of the kidney secretions. I was in a bad way when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills in 1901, but the remedy cured me, and I have been well ever since."

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"GONE TO THE DEVIL."

London Inn Responsible for Origin of Common Saying.

The old inns of England have been responsible for the origin of many common sayings. An instance of this is the proverbial phrase "He has gone to the devil." On Fleet street, London, near Temple Bar, was once a tavern which was known by the strictly old-fashioned name, "The Devil and Saint Dunstan." It was famous for its good dinners and excellent wines, and received a large patronage from the lawyers of Temple Bar.

It was familiarly known as "The Devil," and when a lawyer left his office to go there he usually left a notice on his door, "Gone to the Devil." There were some who patronized the tavern to the neglect of their business, and the notice was so regularly exhibited on their doors that it finally came to be used to characterize the man who was losing his grip and going to destruction.—The Sunday Magazine.

Disparity.

The two young women, who had not met for a long time, embraced each other with much fervor.

"How's this, Kate? I hear you have gone and married a rich widower. Is he much older than you?"

"Well, there's considerable difference between our ages, Clara. In fact, he's a war veteran."

"Spanish war?"

"Oh, no; he wasn't in that."

"Civil war, then, of course."

"No—er—Mexican."

What the Poet Says.

After their honeymoon to Niagara Falls they came back and settled on the old farm.

"Gracious, Sile!" said Cynthia. "Why are you in such a bad humor?"

"Making butter is blamed hard work," grumbled Sile, removing the beads from his brow.

"Oh, cheer up, Sile. Don't the poet say that it is 'love that makes the world go round'?"

"Yes, but, by gosh, it don't make the churn go round."

A Faithful Friend.

"Johnny can't come to work to-day, sir."

"Why not?"

"He's troubled somethin' awful with heat exhaustion, sir."

"Ah, yes. It's chronic, isn't it?"

"Ye—yes, sir."

"But didn't I see him playing ball in the vacant lot this morning?"

"Ye—yes, sir. You see, when he plays ball, sir, he forgets the pain, sir."

FOUND OUT.

A Trained Nurse Made Discovery.

No one is in better position to know the value of food and drink than a trained nurse.

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Space forbids giving any more examples, but it will be readily seen how this idea could be adapted to almost any entertainment. Ice cream was served in individual "flower" molds.

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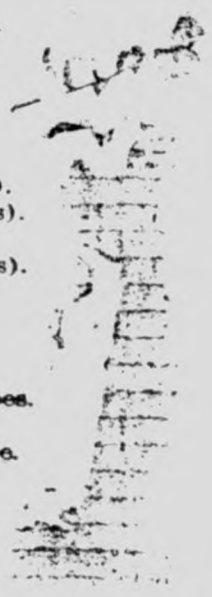
2—Two lids.
3—Two musical instruments.
4—Ten articles used by a carpenter.
5—Two lofty trees.
6—Two good fish.
7—A number of shell fish.
8—A fine stag.
9—A number of small animals, swift and shy.
10—Two playful animals.
11—A number of weathercocks.
12—Two established measures.
13—Two implements of war.
14—Whips without handles.
15—The steps of a hotel.
16—The sides of a vote.
17—Fine flowers.
18—A fruit.
19—Two scholars.
20—Two places of worship.
21—Ten Spanish noblemen to wait upon me.
22—A way out of difficulty.
23—A poor bed.
24—A desert place.
25—A probable remark of Nebuachadnezzer when eating grass.

ANSWERS.

The human body which has:



1—A chest.
2—Two eyelids
3—Drums.
4—Nails.
5—Palms.
6—Soles.
7—Muscles.
8—Hart (heart).
9—Hares (hairs).
10—Calves.
11—Vanes (veins).
12—Feet, hands.
13—Arms.
14—Lashes.
15—In-steps.
16—Ayes and noes.
17—Tulips.
18—Adam's apple.
19—Pupils.
20—Temples.
21—Ten-dons.
22—Cheek.
23—Pallet.
24—Waste.
25—"I browse" (eye brows).

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German M. E. Church Items

Geo. Ulrich lost his best horse last week.

Mrs. Hosmer is visiting her relatives in town.

H. L. Suckow is serving on the jury in Garner these days.

Mrs. Stork and Meta visited with Mrs. Kraus from Sunday to Monday.

Geo. Ulrich was in North Dakota all of last week looking after land interests.

Ida Schwichtenberg came home from Mason City and returned the next day.

Anna Griewe and Emelia Lenz attended the teachers convention in Garner, Saturday.

The mother and youngest brother of ye scribe are visiting at his home this week.

Aug. Wenz spent Sunday afternoon and evening in Germantown, the guest of Roy Schaefer.

Fred and John Griewe, Leonard Sampson and J P. Larsen started for Dakota on Monday.

Otto Martin returned to Garner Monday morning after working some weeks for W. F. Stille.

Emil Koerner and family left Tuesday for their home in Okla. after spending a few weeks among us.

Wm. Stork is keeping house and doing chores at Mr. Jennings, while the latter and family are away on a visit.

Carl Albrecht went to Scott county the first of the week where he is visiting his friends and neighbors of former days.

John Gruetzmacher and family were the guests of Ed. Schaefer, Sunday afternoon. They also attended the evening services in Germantown.

The stereoptican lecture on orphanage and its inmates was largely attended Sunday evening. If we are not mistaken the audience appreciated the pictures. For over an hour the attention was such that one could have heard a pin drop. Several illustrated songs were given by special request. The collection at the close amounted to $11.05, which goes to the Warrenton Orphans.

The league social on Wednesday evening was well attended, about 75 being present. The committee had everything well planned. Those present were divided in three rooms. In each room certain games were played. Then all changed rooms till all had made the round. At the close cake, fruit, coffee and checkers were served. A hearty vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Wellemeyer and a closing song ended the program. Eighteen from Klemme were present.

The Standard Bearer Social last Friday evening was a noteworthy affair. Nearly the whole town and surrounding country had turned out. Our ladies were simply puzzled to know what to do with such a large crowd. It would be hard to decide which country made the best showing. The darkies caused much merriment, but the ladies from Europe with their wooden shoes and outlandish dresses were no less comical. The little Japs made a very fine appearance. The total receipts were $36.49. The ladies had worked like beavers to get up this entertainment.

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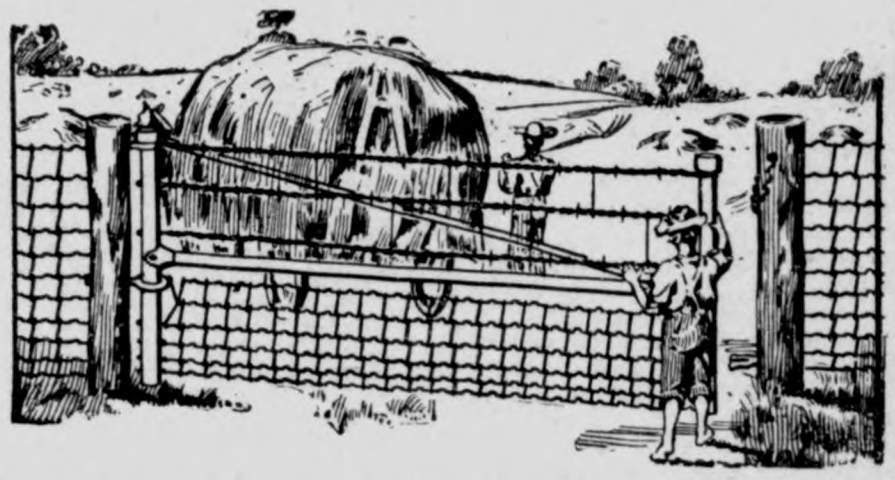

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Hard drink also numbers among its victims the boy stealing a hunk from the ice wagon.

Whether whales and dolphins ever sleep, observation so far has been unable to discover.

If it is not satisfied with its position Brazil might lift itself by its boot straps into first place.

China is beginning to wake up to the fact that it is better to be a nation with a future than a nation with a past.

Korea, in spite of its racial affinities, is now more inclined than any other nation to take stock in yellow peril talk.

The esteemed Salt Lake Tribune thinks "a real gentleman forgets the clothes he wears." So also does the real sloven.

Now that it is possible for an Englishman to marry his deceased wife's sister perhaps he will not want to as much as he did.

The fashion writer who says that a woman can dress easily on $50 a year is dead right. She will have only one dress to put on.

A Wisconsin farmer became paralyzed while hoeing corn, and the funny part of it is that he did not wake up with a head the next morning.

Going out in an automobile is getting to be such a common form of suicide that one might think automobiles were sold in drug stores on doctors' prescriptions.

People who think China is going to the dogs because one old woman is dying have evidently not personally met the 400,000,000 other inhabitants of the Flowery Kingdom.

It takes all kinds of people to make a world. A man came home late and because his wife was sleeping soundly he got mad and threw her out of the window. Yes, what fools men are!

Ground corncobs are said to be the chief constituent of one of the new breakfast foods. The pure food laws must be demanding something more nutritious than excelsior and sawdust.

England is not a good field for schoolteachers looking for situations. Early this summer the authorities in a town advertised for two teachers and received more than 11,000 applications.

Chili avoids trading with the United States as far as possible, but when she wanted the best locomotives for heavy grades, she had to place her order for two dozen and one of them in this country.

In Copenhagen the authorities are trying to exterminate rats by offering a bounty for every rat tail brought to them. This leaves room for fraud. While it is true that a rat that has been deprived of its tail is not likely to grow a second tail, the bringing in of a rat's head would be a more undeniable proof that the animal is dead.

Capt. Joshua Slocum, who sailed around the world alone in his little 36-foot boat, the Spray, a few years ago, still lives and sails his craft. He recently arrived at Nantucket with the Spray from the West Indies. Capt. Slocum is anxious to see the completion of the Panama canal, when he and his little boat will go through to the Pacific ocean.

Dr. William F. Mass of the City of Mexico has been laboring for seven months upon a testimonial to be presented to President Diaz on his next birthday anniversary—the autographs of prominent people throughout the republic. The doctor has been in the important places of a dozen states—there are 27 in all—traveling a distance of 11,000 miles in his quest. Everywhere the man and the idea were well received, and the result will be many albums and a giant collection of autographs.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

RESCUES CHILD FROM WELL.

Perry Girl Goes Down After Drowning Child.

Perry.—Descending into a deep well after the fashion of a chimney sweep, Miss Nell Van Leuvan of this city had a miraculous escape from drowning, having risked her own life in an effort to save that of little Phillip Reed, two and one-half years old, who had fallen into the well.

The child, with his sister Katherine, 5 years of age, were playing in the back yard at the home of T. R. Phillips, where Miss Van Leuven had taken them to spend the afternoon. The baby climbed onto the platform of an old well, when a couple of planks gave way, allowing him to plunge down a distance of fourteen feet into about six feet of water. The little girl ran into the house, screaming and told that her brother had fallen into the water. Miss Van Leuvan as soon as she had taken in the appalling situation, with rare presence of mind, jerked aside the remainder of the platform and descended into the well by means of her hands and feet and main strength. The well was walled up with brick and is less than three feet across.

Miss Van Leuvan succeeded in reaching the child and keeping his head above water until Mrs. Phillips and daughters procured a ladder and lowered it into the well. The plucky young woman reached the top with great difficulty, and handed the almost lifeless baby to Mrs. Phillips, who soon resuscitated it. Only a few seconds longer and it would have been dead. The pieces of plank had fallen into the well first and the little fellow had evidenty held onto them a considerable length of time.

The mother of the Reed children died about a year ago, and it was her last request that Miss Van Leuvan should take the little ones and care for them. Their father resides in Colorado.

The people of Perry think Miss Van Leuvan is entitled to a Carnegie medal.

DOCTOR STABS HIMSELF.

Dr. Getz of Marshalltown Now In Iowa City Hospital.

Iowa City.—Dr. H. L. Getz, former mayor of Marshalltown and at present president of the school board in that city, stabbed himself in the left side with an amputating knife on the West Liberty depot platform. He was at once brought to the state university hospital where he now lies in a very serious condition.

The case seems to be one of mental collapse, which, together with a fear of a return to the state hospital for the insane at Mount Pleasant, where Mr. Getz has formerly been treated, caused the man to stab himself after threatening the lives of several people about him.

He said he never would go back; that no one could make him; that they treated him "like a dog", and other statements of the kind.

A telephone call was sent to Marshal Wiley of West Liberty and he came hurriedly to the depot. He walked toward Dr. Getz, who continually backed away from him. "Don't you touch me. You can't take me," he said. Marshal Wiley told him that he didn't want to take him and that he only wanted to talk to him. He advanced and Getz retreated and they covered considerable distance—the marshal attempting to calm the excited man, who still held his knife in his hand. Wiley finally succeeded in getting within about six feet of Getz, when he placed his knife on the inside of his coat. Mr. Wiley thought he was placing the knife in his pocket and would give himself up, but instead he thrust the knife into his left side just below the heart. He never changed countenance and looked the marshal directly in the eye all the time he did the deed. Getz braced himself for a moment and then threw the knife at the feet of Mr. Wiley. The wounded man was helped into the depot and medical aid summoned. The wound bled profusely. The doctor is said to be a victim of the morphine habit.

Man Hit By A Train.

Marshalltown.—Chas. Carter, aged 40, a painter of State Center here at the fair, was found dead about a mile west of State Center, lying along the Northwestern tracks. He had jumped a freight train out of here about midnight with a companion, George Reimenschneider. The latter saw Carter get off and bade him goodnight. It is presumed he was struck by an eastbound passenger train shortly afterwards.

Postoffice Robbers Admit Guilt.

Oskaloosa,—J. C. Talbot and T. A. Wilson, the two young men who robbed the White City postoffice on the night of August 29, securing $50 in stamps and coin, have pleaded guilty and have been taken to Council Bluffs, where they will be sentenced in the United States court. Both lads are under 21 years of age.

HOG CHOLERA IS SPREADING.

Disease In Worst Form is Ravaging Herds Near Marshalltown.

Marshalltown.—Hog cholera in its worst form form has stricken herds of this country, most of them being on farms between this city and Legrand. Hogs are dying by the hundreds, and the indications are that entire herds will be wiped out before the disease can be checked.

Albert Johnson of Lynnville, who owns a large stock farm managed by Carl Meredith, three quarters of a mile northwest of Legrand, is the heaviest loser so far, 232 head, or almost his entire herd, having died. Roy Elery, southeast of this city, has lost sixty head out of a herd of seventy-five. Ellis Baily, just southeast of town, has lost twenty-four head, and E. J. Robb, a neighbor, eighteen. J. R. Bradbury, John Rank, Carver Ferguson and several other farmers have sustained losses varying in size. An examination of the carcases proves that cholera is the disease with which the animals have become infected, although for a time the disease was pronounced lung fever.

The Texas fever situation which prevails in the southern part of this county near Rhodes, in north Jasper and eastern Story counties, is still prevalent. While the disease is not making any great headway, cattle are dying, and the disease has not been stamped out by any means. It is thought that a frost will check the disease, as it is said that cold weather kills the tick that infects the animals by burrowing through the hide.

MAY MOVE G. W. SHOPS.

Railway Officials May Strike Blow at Oelwein.

Des Moines.—It is announced from authoritative source that the strike now tying up the Great Western railway shops at Dubuque, Oelwein, St. Paul and other points will result disastrously to the town of Oelwein and advantageously to Des Moines, Dubuque, Fort Dodge and St. Paul.

The company is determined to protect itself against what it terms the unjust demands of the men. It has declared that the walkout is unreasonable and has not the support or even the sympathy of the other organizations represented in railway work.

The plan of the Great Western in brief is thus: It is proposed to do away with the big shops at Oelwein, wherein are employed 2,000 men, and place them at the four points named.

Signs of increased activity are noticeable at the small shops of the road here and advices from Dubuque state that three cars are located on the siding at the Dubuque shops where thirty machinists and boiler makers are on strike. New men, who are being cared for on the grounds, are at work. The railway company, it is asserted, is determined to have nothing to do with the strikers. They made them, they assert, all the concessions that reasonably could be asked—all that was asked by and granted to other railway workers.

EDITOR GRANTED NEW TRIAL

Logan.—A. H. Sniff, editor of the Harrison County News at Missouri Valley, convicted of murder in the second degree for killing "Mort" Brundige, was granted a new trial by Judge Green, the motion filed by his attorneys being unopposed by counsel for the state. The date of the new trial has not been fixed.

Sniff's appeal for a new trial was based on objections to Attorney L. T. Genung's address to the jury in summing up the evidence for the state. It was alleged that Genung went outside the evidence and recounted incidents in the life of the defendant which had no bearing on the case on trial. It was also alleged that the jury's verdict was the result of passion and prejudice. No opposition was made to the granting of the motion.

Insane Convict Free Again.

Marshalltown.—Word received here by Clerk of Courts Lounsberry from Supt. W. P. Crumbacher of the state hospital for the insane at Independence tells of the escape of Burt Morgan of this city, an insane ex-convict. Morgan has escaped no less than five times since his transfer from the penitentiary to the insane asylum, and twice was recaptured in this city and returned to the asylum. He escaped only a few weeks ago and was taken at Boone and returned to the hospital.

Getz Has Chance For Life.

Iowa City.—It is stated that there is some hope for the recovery of Dr. L. Getz of Marshalltown, who was brought here after his attempt at suicide at West Liberty. The amputating knife which he used just missed the lower part of the heart and large blood vessels. The patient is quiet and should recover if no complications ensue. His son is at his bedside.

READY FOR THE PLUNGE.

CAGE FALLS AND ELEVEN DIE

HORRIBLE ACCIDENT IN MINE AT NEGAUNEE, MICH.

Brake Fails to Work—Miners Hurled Down 75 Feet—Seven Found Alive But Fatally Hurt.

Negaunee, Mich.—By a cage plunging 75 feet down the shaft of the Jones & Laughlin Cteel company mine, 11 men were killed and seven fatally injured Friday.

The cage with its human freight was being lowered on its first trip for the day when the brake on the hoisting drum suddenly failed to hold. Two other men sprang to the assistance of the one at the brake wheel, but their combined efforts did not avail and the wire cable continued to unreel from the drum like thread from a bobbin.

The cage shot down a couple of hundred feet before a kink in the too rapidly paying out cable caused it to part and from that point the cage had a sheer drop to the bottom of the shaft. The safety catches with which it was equipped failed to operate.

Workmen at the bottom of the mine immediately set about the grewsome task of removing the dead. Seven men were found still alive, but they are fatally hurt.

Thousands of people soon congregated about the mine shaft. In the crowd were the wives and children of the 200 men who are employed in the mine. Each thought that husband or parent or a son was in the cage. There was no way of relieving the suspense, as the fallen cage blocked the exit. It was fully two hours before the cable was adjusted so that the cage could be raised to the surface.

When all the miners came from under ground and many anxious wives and others failed to find members of their families who worked in the mine, the scene was awful. The priests and ministers moved among the people consoling them and begging them to be calm.

LOW FARE LAW HIT AGAIN.

Pennsylvania's Statute Once More Is Declared Invalid.

Harrisburg, Pa.—The two-cent fare law, enacted at the recent session of the Pennsylvania legislature, was adjudged invalid, unconstitutional and void in its application to the Susquehanna River & Western Railway company in an opinion delivered Thursday at Bloomfield by Judge Shull, of the Perry county court.

Britain to Burn Oil In Her Navy.

London.—According to information from the inner circles of the admiralty, the government has decided to substitute oil for coal at the British naval bases throughout the world. It is asserted that the government already has made heavy purchases of oil in Texas, Roumania and Galicia, and is also prepared to monopolize the entire oil-producing field of Nigeria. The latter is still undeveloped, but the authorities are drilling on a large scale in places where the surface conditions indicate plentiful oil deposits.

Bar Spinsters from Saloons.

Milwaukee.—A special from Waupaca says that the common council of that city has passed an ordinance forbidding women to enter saloons unless accompanied by their husbands.

WOMAN SLAIN BY ROBBER.

Chicago Kindergarten Principal Is Found Choked to Death.

Chicago.—Mrs. Lillian White Grant, 40 years old, a widow, well known in Hyde Park and principal of a kindergarten, conducted in the building of the University Congregational church, was found murdered in her room at 5520 Madison avenue, Friday.

Every article of jewelry owned by Mrs. Grant was missing and it is believed robbery was the object of the murderer. Her body was found lying across the bed dressed only in night clothing. One of her own garments was twisted tightly about her neck and knotted under her left ear. Death had been caused by strangulation or a broken neck.

The imprints of the fingers of the woman's assailant were found on her neck, which was broken by the murderer. A colored man who had been assisting Mrs. Grant in preparing to move is being sought by the police.

THIRTY KILLED IN WRECK.

Disastrous Accident Occurs on the Mexican Central Road.

Mexico City.—There has been a disastrous wreck on the Mexican Central railroad. A freight train and a passenger train came into collision at Encarnacion, near the city of Aguas Calientes, and it is reported that 30 persons were killed and many injured. The passenger train was the regular El Paso express, which left that city Tuesday.

No train from the United States came in Thursday over the Central. It is impossible to get further details of the wreck. The railroad officials here admit that the wreck occurred but refuse to talk of the matter.

REJECTED SUITOR SLAYS.

Kills Girl Who Refuses to Marry Him and Commits Suicide.

New York.—Because she had persistently refused to marry him Henry Fischner, a baker, shot and instantly killed Miss Johanna Hoffman Thursday and fatally wounded himself. The shooting took place in the presence of several persons in a bakery and lunch room in Tenth avenue, of which Miss Hoffman's uncle is the proprietor. When the girl fell and several men rushed at him, Fischner shot himself in the head, inflicting a wound from which he died in a hospital.

ENTOMBED IN BLAZING MINE.

Terrible Predicament of Three Men at Sparta, Minn.

Sparta, Minn.—Three men are entombed in the Malta mine here, which is afire. Firemen fought the blaze all Tuesday night and Wednesday, but made little headway. The fire was started by the careless throwing of a lighted cigarette into the hay in the underground stables.

Jail Delivery at Laporte, Ind.

Laporte, Ind.—After knocking down the wife of Sheriff Smutzer with an iron rod wrenched from a bed, when she stepped into the cell corridor to give a drink of water to a sick prisoner Thursday night, Arthur Cummings and John Edwards, awaiting grand jury action on grand larceny charges, escaped from the Laporte county jail. Mrs. Smutzer, though badly hurt, crawled to the outside door and locked it, preventing the escape of 11 other prisoners who were about to rush out.

THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES

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CHAPTER XXV.—Continued.

"Ah, to be sure! You were away Christmas eve, when those vandals broke in. Bates merely mentioned it in the last report I got from him in New York. That was all right. I assumed, of course, that you had gone off somewhere to get a little Christmas cheer; I don't care anything about it."

"But I had followed her—I went to Cincinnati to see her—don't you understand? She dared me to come—it was a trick, a part of the conspiracy to steal your property."

The old gentleman smiled. It was an old trick of his to grow calm as other people waxed angry.

"She dared you to come, did she! That is quite like Marian; but you didn't have to go, did you, Jack?"

"Of course not; of course I didn't have to go, but—"

I stammered, faltered and ceased. Memory threw open her portals with a challenge. I saw Marian on the stairway at the Armstrongs'; I heard her low, soft laughter; I felt the mockery of her voice and eyes; I knew again the exquisite delight of being near her. My heart told me well enough why I had followed her!

"Jack, I'm glad I'm not buried up there in that Vermont graveyard with nobody to exercise the right of guardianship over you. I've had my misgivings about you; I used to think you were a born tramp; and you disappointed me in turning your back on architecture,—the noblest of all professions; but this performance of yours really beats them all. Don't you know that a girl like Marian Devereux isn't likely to become the agent of any rascal? Do you really believe for a minute that she tempted you to follow her so you might forfeit your rights to my property?"

"But why was she trying to find those notes of his? Why did she come back from Cincinnati with his party? If you could answer me those things, maybe I'd admit that I'm a fool. Pickering, I imagine, is a pretty plausible fellow where women are concerned."

"For God's sake, Jack, don't speak of that girl as women! I put her in that will of mine just to pique your curiosity, knowing that if there was a penalty on your marrying her you would be wholly likely to do it,—for that's the way human beings are made. But you've mixed it all up now and insulted her in the grossest way possible for a fellow who is really a gentleman. And I don't want to lose you; I want you here with me! These rich Americans, who go to England to live, don't appreciate the beauty of their own country. This landscape is worthy of the best that man can do. And I didn't undertake to build a crazy house out here but one that should have some dignity and character. That passage around the chimney is an indulgence, Jack,—I'll admit it's a little bizarre,—you see that chimney isn't so big outside as it is in!"—and he laughed and rubbed his knees,—"and my bringing foreign laborers here was really to make it easier to get things done my way. Wait till you have seen the May-apples blossom and heard the robin sing in the summer twilight,—help me to finish the house,—then if you want to leave I'll bid you Godspeed."

The feeling in his tone, the display of sentiment so at variance with my old notion of him, touched me in spite of myself. There was a characteristic nobility and dignity in his plan; it was worthy of him. And I had never loved him as now, when he finished this appeal, and turned away to the window, gazing out upon the somber woodland.

"Mr. Donovan is ready to go, sir," announced Bates at the door, and we went into the library, where Larry and Stoddard were waiting.

CHAPTER XXVI.

Shorter Vistas.

Larry had assembled his effects in the library, and to my surprise, Stoddard appeared with his own hand-bag.

"I'm going to see Donovan well on his way," said the clergyman.

"It's a pity our party must break up," exclaimed my grandfather. "My obligations to Mr. Donovan are very great—and to you, too, Stoddard. Jack's friends are mine hereafter, and when we get new doors for Glenarm House you shall honor me by accepting duplicate keys."

"Where's Bates?" asked Larry, and the man came in, respectfully, imperturbably as always, and began gathering up the bags.

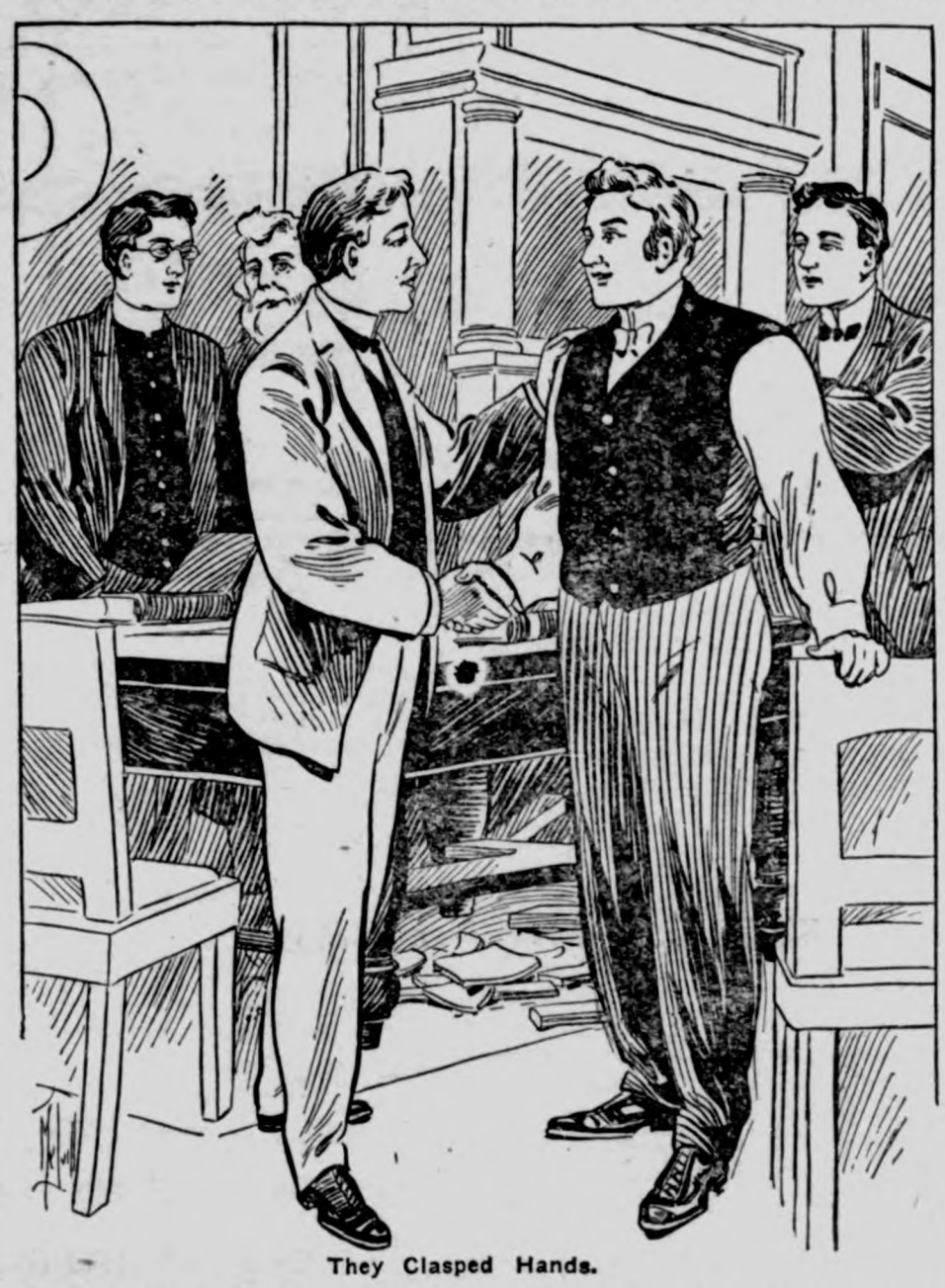
"Stop—one moment! Mr. Glenarm," said Larry. "Before I go I want to congratulate you on the splendid courage of this man who has served you and your house with so much faithfulness and tact. And I want to tell you something else, that you probably would never learn from him—"

"Donovan!" There was a sharp cry in Bates' voice, and he sprang forward with his hands outstretched entreatingly. But Larry did not heed him.

"The moment I set eyes on this man I recognized him. It's not fair to you or to him that you should not know him for what he is. Let me introduce an old friend, Walter Creighton; he was a student at Dublin when I was there, a poor boy with nobody to help him; but I remember him as one of the best fellows in the world."

"For God's sake—no!" pleaded Bates. He was deeply moved and turned his face away from us.

"But, like me," Larry went on, "he mixed in politics. One night in a riot at Dublin a constable was killed. No one knew who was guilty, but a youngster was suspected.—the son of one of the richest and best-known men in Ireland, who happened to get mixed in the row. To draw attention from the boy, Creighton let suspicion attach to his own name, and, to help the boy's case further, ran away. I had not heard from or of him until the night I came here and found him the defender of this house. By God; that was no servant's trick,—it was the act of a royal gentleman."



They Clasped Hands.

They clasped hands, and with a new light in his face, with a new manner, as though he resumed, as a familiar garment, an old disused personality, Bates stood transfigured in the twilight, a man and a gentleman. I think we were all drawn to him; I know that a sob clutched my throat and tears filled my eyes as I grasped his hand.

"But what in the devil did you do it for?" blurted my grandfather, excitedly twirling his glasses.

Bates (I still call him Bates,—he insists on it) laughed. For the first time he thrust his hands into his pockets and stood at his ease, one of us.

"Larry, you may remember that I showed a fondness for the stage in our university days. When I got to America I had little money and found it necessary to find employment without delay. I saw Mr. Glenarm's advertisement for a valet. Just as a lark I answered it to see what an American gentleman seeking a valet looked like. I fell in love with Mr. Glenarm at sight—"

"And I with you!" declared my grandfather. "I never believed your story at all,—you were too perfect in the part!"

"Well, I didn't greatly mind the valet business; it helped to hide my identity; and I did like the humor and whims of Mr. Glenarm. The housekeeping, after we came out here, wasn't so pleasant"—he looked at his hands ruefully—"but this joke of Mr. Glenarm's making a will and then going to Egypt to see what would happen,—that was too good to miss. And when the heir arrived I found new opportunities of practising amateur theatricals; and Pickering's efforts to enlist me in his scheme for finding the money and making me rich gave me still greater opportunities. There were times when I was strongly tempted to blurt the whole thing; I got tired of being suspected, and of playing ghost in the wall; and if Mr. Glenarm hadn't got here just as he did I should have stopped the fight and proclaimed the truth. I hope,"—he said, turning to me,—"you have no hard feelings, sir." And he threw into the "sir" just a touch of irony that made us all roar.

"I'm certainly glad I'm not dead," declared my grandfather, staring at Bates. "Life is more fun than I ever thought possible. Bless my soul!" he said, "if it isn't a shame that Bates can never cook another omelette for me!"

We sent Bates back with my grandfather from the boat-house, and Stoddard, Larry and I started across the ice; the light coating of snow made walking comparatively easy. We strode on silently, Stoddard leading. Their plan was to take an accommodation train at the first station beyond Annandale, leave it at a town 40 miles away, and then hurry east to an obscure place in the mountains of Maryland where a religious order maintained a house. There Stoddard promised Larry asylum and no questions asked.

As my two friends waved farewell to me from the rear platform of their train a mood of depression seized me; I had lost much that day, and what I had gained,—my restoration to the regard of the kind old man of my own blood, who had appealed for my companionship in terms hard to deny,—seemed trifling as I tramped back over the ice. Perhaps Pickering, after all, was the real gainer by the day's events!

I tramped on back toward the Glenarm shore, and leaving the lake, half-unconsciously struck into the wood beyond the dividing wall. The melted snow of mid-day was now crisp ice that rattled and broke under my tread. I came out into an open space beyond St. Agatha's, found the walk and turned toward home in the gathering night.

As I neared the main entrance to the school the door opened and a woman came out under the overhanging lamp. She carried a lantern, and turned with a hand outstretched to some one who followed her with careful steps.

"Ah, Marian," cried my grandfather, "it's ever the task of youth to light the way for age!"

CHAPTER XXVII.

And So the Light Led Me.

He had been to see Sister Theresa, and Marian was walking with him to the gate. I saw her quite plainly in the light that fell from the lamp overhead. A long cloak covered her, and a fur toque capped her graceful head. My grandfather and his guide were apparently in high spirits and their laughter smote harshly upon me. It seemed to shut me out,—to lift a barrier against me. The world lay there within the radius of that swaying light, and I hung aloof, hearing her voice and jealous of the very companionship and sympathy between them.

But the light led me. I remembered with bitterness that I had always followed her,—whether as Olivia, trailing in her girlish grace across the snow, or as the girl in gray, whom I had followed on that night journey at Christmas eve; and I followed now. The distrust, my shattered faith, my utter loneliness, could not weigh against the joy of hearing that laugh of hers breaking mellowly on the night.

I paused to allow the two figures to widen the distance between us as they traversed the path that curved away toward the chapel. I could still hear their voices, and see the lantern flash and disappear. I felt an impulse to turn back, or plunge into the woodland; but I was carried on uncontrollably. The light glimmered and her voice still floated back to me. It stole through the keen winter dark like a memory of spring; and so her voice and the light led me.

Then I heard an exclamation of dismay followed by laughter, in which my grandfather joined merrily.

"Oh, never mind; we're not afraid!" she exclaimed.

I had rounded the curve in the path where I should have seen the light; but the darkness was unbroken. There was silence for a moment, in which I drew quite near to them.

Then my grandfather's voice broke out cheerily.

"Now I must go back with you! A fine person you are to guide an old man! A foolish virgin, indeed, with no oil in her lamp!"

"Please do not! Of course I'm going to see you quite to your own door! I don't intend to put my hand to the lantern and then turn back!"

"This walk isn't what it should be," said my grandfather, "we'll have to make a better one in the spring."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Mr. Riley Did Not Know

Woman Reporter Asked Question Hard to Answer.

A friend of James Whitcomb Riley tells a story of an enccunter the bachelor poet once had with a woman reporter. The energetic young woman after strenuous effort had finally caught Mr. Riley at the telephone. This is the conversation that followed:

"Is this Mr. Riley?"

"Yes. That is Miss—?"

"Miss Jones, of the Courier-Journal. I've been trying all day to get an interview with you, Mr. Riley."

"Ah, would it were a view instead of an interview," said the poet, gallantly.

"Oh, thanks. How long will you remain in Louisville, Mr. Riley?"

"Only a short time."

"Is your wife with you?"

"No, ma'am, she is not."

"Where is she, may I ask?"

"You may ask, my dear Miss Jones, but I find it very difficult to answer I am in absolute ignorance of her whereabouts. For aught I know to the contrary, she may right now be at the other end of this telephone!"

There was much laughter, and afterward an effort to resume the interview. But in vain. Mr. Riley had escaped.—Home Companion.

Cured Him of Calf Love

Actress' Ruse That Got Rid of Undesired Admirer.

Miss Maud Branscombe the famous actress, relates an amusing story concerning the unappreciated attentions of a youth who once fell in love with her. The young man's parents were much concerned about the matter, and implored the actress not to marry him.

"I'll give him a sound thrashing," said the father.

"Don't do that," said Miss Branscombe. "There is a better way of curing him. After the performance this evening I'll put on an old dress and hat, and make myself up to look quite ugly. You bring your boy around to the stage door and point me out to him as I come out."

This was done, and so cleverly was the ruse carried out that Miss Branscombe heard the youth exclaim to his father as she passed them:

"My golly! I thought she was pretty!"

At the Concert of the Gold Club.

The Late Comer (looking at the programme)—How far along have they got?

"Seven up and two to play."—Life

THE PRESIDENT TO CAMP

HE WILL SPEND 17 DAYS IN CANE BRAKES OF LOUISIANA.

Region Abounds in Game and Mr. Roosevelt Will Have Some Good Hunting.

Oyster Bay, N. Y. — Seventeen days of real vacation, with none of the duties of his office to worry him, is what President Roosevelt is to have when he goes into camp next month, and it will be most welcome to him.

Though nominally on his vacation at Oyster Bay this summer, there have been but few hours in which official business has not intruded. A physical and mental recreation, as complete as his cares will permit, is now arranged. President Roosevelt will pitch his camp in the northeastern corner of Louisiana, on or about October 5. The exact spot is yet to be determined.

The plans provide for a "camping trip," but every one who knows northeastern Louisiana knows that the cane brakes shelter game worthy of a huntsman of presidential calibre. Those who have the good fortune to make pleasant the president's camp, expect that the monotony of camp life will occasionally be broken by a hunt.

While the details of the trip have not been thoroughly worked out, the main features were announced by Secretary Loeb Thursday. The president will leave Oyster Bay for Washington next Wednesday and on the following Sunday will start on his western and southern speech-making tour. At Memphis, Tenn., on October 4, the speech-making program will be interrupted and the president will start for the camping grounds. He will break camp on October 21, going directly to Vicksburg, Miss., to make his promised speech there. The return to Washington will be begun almost immediately after, and the White House will be reached on the afternoon of October 23.

The president will be the guest while in camp of Civil Service Commissioner John A. McElhinney, of New Iberia, La., and of John M. Parker, of New Orleans.

Following the speech at Vicksburg October 21, the president has consented to make an address at Hermitage, Tenn., on the following day.

FOUR DIE IN AUTO WRECK.

Prominent Elks Are Killed at Colorado Springs.

Colorado Springs, Col.—A powerful racing automobile occupied by seven prominent Elks and chauffeur and built to hold only three passengers, while running at a terific rate, crashed into a telephone pole at the bottom of the West Hurfando street hill here early Tuesday and was wrecked.

Three of the occupants were killed outright, a fourth died shortly after the accident and others were more or less seriously hurt. The bodies of the three dead were mangled almost beyond recognition. The dead: John S. Grey, formerly of New York, killed outright; Britten L. Graves, druggist, died shortly afterward; W. H. Ralston, a dealer in electrical supplies, killed outright; H. Winnal, killed outright.

The injured are James English, George Buckley, F. H. Ward and A. W. Markscheffel.

The party had been to the Elks' clubhouse at Manitou to attend a social session and was returning home.

NOVELTY IN LA CROSSE, WIS.

Electric Light Company Is Ordered to Increase Its Rates.

La Crosse, Wis.—By a decision handed down Friday by the state railway commission, the electric lighting rates charged by the La Crosse Gas & Electric company are declared to be too low and unremunerative and the company is ordered to put a higher scale of rates into effect.

This is the first decision of this kind ever made in the state. Under the new state law, public service corporations, as well as customers, may appeal to the commission for relief, and this step was taken by the local corporation.

Wu Tung Fang May Return.

Peking.—It was announced Friday that Liang Ton-Yen, who had been selected to succeed Sir Chentung Liang Cheng as minister to Washington, had instead been appointed assistant secretary of the wai-wu-pu or Chinese board of foreign affairs. While no official announcement has yet been made of the name of the new minister to Washington, it is understood that the determination has been reached to send Wu Ting Fang back to that post, from which he was recalled four years ago.

Employes Lose Dock Strike.

Galveston. — The strike of the Southern Pacific dock workers has ended. The company made minor concessions, but the wage scale remains unchanged, 30 to 40 cents an hour.

DO YOU KNOW

That we are showing the finest millinery at lowest prices? We have the prettiest and most stylish hats ever shown also silks, velvets, corsets, waists and a fine line of stamped goods. Miss Weismann who is in charge of the trimming department comes highly recommended. She is well ex perienced in her profession and is sure to please.

MRS. JOHN JOSTEN.

LUMBER

The time, the place and the yard to buy your building material is of

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Groceries Boots Shoes — Ladies and Gents Furnishings — Dry Goods and Notions

FLOUR FEED SALT

Remember we also pay CASH for cream.

CALL IN J.W.WATERMAN

HEALTHIN THE CANAL ZONE.

The highest wages paid maes it a mighty temptation to our young artisans to join the force of silled wormen needed to construct the Panama Canal Many are strained however by the fevers and malaria. It is the nowidg ones—those who have used Electric Bitters who go there without this fear well nowing they are safe from malarious influence with Electric Bitters on hand. Cures blood poison too, biliousness weaness and all stomach liver and kidney troubles Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. druggists, 50c.

We were informed that Aug. Lau bought the Jurken Hansen elevator at Goodell and that he expects to take possession in about a month.

LAME BACK.

This is an ailment for which Chamberlain's pain balm has proven especi ally valuable. In almost every instance it affords prompt and permanent relief. Luke LaGrange of Orange, Mich. says of it: After using a plaster and other remedies for three weeks for a bad lame back I purchsed a bottle of Chamberlain's pain balm and two applications effected a cure. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

The Millinery opening at Mrs. J. Josten's last week Friday and Saturday were well attended. Mrs Josten has a very neat display of hats.

ATTACK OF DIARRHOEA CURED

by one dose of Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy.

I was so weak from an attack of diarrhoea that I could scarcely attend to my duties when I took a dose of Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy. It cured me entirely and I have been taking other medicine for nine days without relief. I heartily recommend this remedy as bein the best to my knowledge for bowel complaints. R G Stewart of the firm of Stewart & Bro., Greenville, Ala. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Schoper and family honored their daughter Ruby with a surprise party on Monday evening, it being her 9th birthday. About 25 of her school mates attended and an enjoyable evening wts spent.

HAD TETTER FOR THIRTY YEARS.

I have suffered with tetter for 30 years and have tried almost countless remedies with little if any relief. Three boxes of Chamberlain's salve cured me. It was a torture. It will break out a little sometimes but nothing to what it used to do. D H Beach Midland City, Ala. Chamberlain's salve is for sale by J L Harr & Co.

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

Germantown News.

Art Wellemeyer visited here Sunday.

Geo. Ulrich lost a valuable horse last week.

Geo. Ulrich returned from N. Dak the ffrst of the week.

Paul Gast started tileing, He has his fall plowing done.

Lewis Sampson and family visited with her parents at Klemme, Sunday.

Quite a number attended the lecture given by Bro. Wessel on Sunday night.

Paul Gast and lady, Herman Gast and lady. Paul Kropp and lady visited at the home of Will Prull, Sunday.

Wm. Bredlow returned from visiting his daughter last week. His wife will remain there for some time yet.

Aug. Stilles, J. J. Stilles, Wm Stinekers and Shorm and wife visited at the home of C. Bredlow last Sunday.

O. H. Martin who has been Wm. Stille's right hand man for some time, returned to his home at Garner. Monday.

Minnie Gast of Steamboat Rock, Iowa, is visiting relatives and friends. She expects to leave for N. Dak. soon.

Mr. Jenning and family are visiting at her folks. Wm. Stork is chief cook and bottle washer during their absence.

Aug. Schuldt's tennant shelled corn last Friday and Saturday and marketed it at Duncan. What's the matter with the Klemme market.

The Gast, Kahler, Kraus and Josten threshing company are threshing in the Bohemian settlement this week. They also have a week's run accross the river in Erin township.

A HUMAN APPEAL.

A humane citizen of Richmond, Ind U. D. Williams, 107 west main street says: I appeal to all persons with weaklungs to tae Dr. King's New Discovery the only remedy that has helped me and fully comes up to the proprietors recommendation. It saves more lives than all other throat and lung remedies put together. Used as a cough and cold cure the world over. Curer asthma, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, hoarseness and phthisic stops hemorrhages of the lungs and builds them up. Guaranteed at J L Harr & Co. drug store 50c and $1 00. Trial bottle free.

Goodell and Vicinity.

John Smith was a business visitor at Dows, Saturday.

Mrs. Aldrich of Rowan, visited with her son Fred Aldrich last week.

Mr. Brennan went to Colorado last week to look for a place to locate.

August Lau of Klemme, has purchased the elevator of Jurken Hansen in Goodell.

Ed. Hughes of Forest City, spent a few days with relatives in this vicinity last week.

Quite a number of teachers of this vicinity attended the teachers meeting at Garner last week.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

One of the best on the market.

For many years Chamberlain's cough remedy has constantly gained in favor and popularity until it is now one of the most staple medicines in use and has an enormous sale. It is intended especially for acute throat and lung diseases such as coughs colds and croup and can always be depended upon. It is a pleasant and safe to and is undoubtedly the best in the maret for the purposes for which it is intended. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Ladies' Furs!

YOU should by all means come in and examine our new line of furs.

Every fur a new fur. Every fur correct in style. Not a last year's fur in the store. You run no risk in buying these furs as they are guaranteed.

Prices very reasonable

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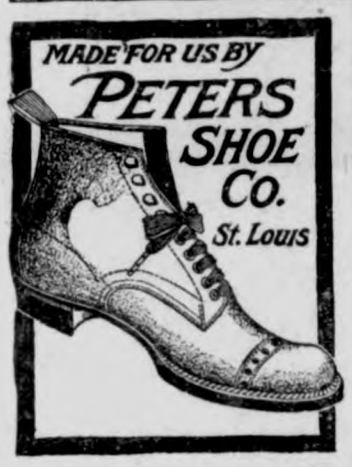
CLOAKS CLOAKS

Follow the crowd to Wellemeyer's. They are neat, new and stylish.



Peters Shoes

We have lately put in a line of Peters shoes. We invite you to call and inspect them. We consider them top notch in quality and style.

Arthur Wellemeyer.

TO OUR

SUBSCRIBERS !

Those knowing themselves to be indebted several years on subscription to The Times, are requested to settle for same at once otherwise we will hand in your account for collection. Please attend to this matter at ONCE.

H. LAU & SON

We have several varieties of plows on hand. Guaranteed to do good work. Will be sold at bottom prices. Corn harvesters, manure spreaders, oils of all kinds, wind mills, Anchor buggies.

We pay highest market price for poultry, delivered to us every Thursday.

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C. H. MANN & Co.
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KLEMME MARKET.

Cream No. 1	22
Eggs fresh	17
Butter roll	17
Corn	50 to 55c
Oats	40 to 44c
Wheat	80 to 90c
Barley	40 to 60c
Hay	5 00 to 7.00
Hogs	5.00 5.50
Cattle	3.00 to 4.50

LOCAL NEWS

See Ell Bros. for ice.

Read the market report.

Aug. Lau transacted business at Goodell, Tuesday.

C. W. Wiles opened up his pool room Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Haskin and daughter visited with Garner relatives Tuesday.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

DeWitt's little early risers are good for anyone who needs a pill. They are small safe sure little pills that do not gripe or sicen. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Frank Kluckhohn and lady and L. O. Turgesen and lady attended the dance at Goodell Monday evening.

Mrs. R M. Lewis, mother of Lew Lewis, died at her home at Beaver Dam, Wis., Friday, Sept. 20. She was 85 years old.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are providing to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. All Dealers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Baumgartner are the happy parents of a little son who made his appearance on Tuesday Sept. 24. John was setting up the cigars on the event and is stepping higher than ever these days.

There's a reason for that ache in your back—right where it stitches every time you bend over turn around or walk any distance. It's your kidneys. Take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills. They are unequaled for bacache weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

H. Weiland's little boy of Germantown who attends school in Dist. No. 8 of which Iras Brown is teacher, fell from a tree and unjointed his wrist. The boy was taken to G. I. Schaper's house where Mr. Schaper and R. Bowen put the wrist to place.

The way to get rid of a cold whether it be a bad cold or just a little one is to get it out of your system thru' the bowels. Nearly all cough cures especially those that contain opiates are constipating. Kennedy's laxative cough syrup contains no opiates and acts gently on the bowels. Pleasant to take. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Mrs. A. B. Shafer moved over her store on Wednesday.

L. A. Fuller was transacting business in Garner, Tuesday.

John Forsythe of Garner, was seen on our streets last week Friday.

The Schuldt sisters drove to the L. W. Wendel home last Sunday.

J. W. Scott of Garrison, will open the Nissen blacksmith shop on Oct. 1st.

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve is good for boils, burns, cuts scalds and skin diseases It is especially good for piles. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Aug. Lau, Jr. is added o i our list as a new subscriber to The Times. He had a good yield of oats, it going 30 bushels to the acre. His corn is also showing up well and out of danger from frost.

Dan Palmby and family of Iowa Falls, visited here among relatives from last week Saturday until Monday when they left for Buffalo Center where they will visit with his sister and family.

Last Tuesday the Auditing Committee of the State Savings Bank were in session and as usual report the affairs of the bank in excellent condition. We wish to extend our congratulations to Mr. P. M. Griesemer and Mr. Wenck for their excellent showing.

Pain everywhere paln in head and painful periods. Neuralgia toothache all pains can be promptly stopped by a thoroughly safe little pink candy tablet known by druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Pain simply means congestion, undue blood pressure at the point where pain exists. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets quickly equalize this unnatural blood pressure and pain immediately departs. Write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. and get a free trial package. Large box 25c.—druggists. All Dealers.

E. H. Koerner and family after visiting among relatives and friends here, left Monday for Mason City. They will also visit relatives at Marble Rock and Greene, Iowa before their return to their home at Elreno, Oklahoma. Mrs. J. Gruetzmacher accompanied them as far as Garner.

Occasional headaches belching bad taste in the mouth lack of appetite and slight nervousness are symptoms of indigestion which when allowed to go uncared for will develop into a case of dyspepsia that will tae a long time to get rid of. Don't neglect your stomach. At the first indication of trouble take something that will help it along in its work of digesting the food you eat. Kodol will make your food do you good and will enable you to enjoy what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The Rock Island stock yards of this place are being cemented and soon will be completed. It will be, when completed, far ahead of what it has been in the way of cleanliness. Some have been using this place as sleeping quarters and say that it is O. K. with the exception that the other lodgers snore too much and that the cement floor is rather hard on a man's constitution.

There are a great many people who have slight attacs of indigestion and dyspepsia nearly all the time. Their food may satisfy the appetite but it fails to nourish the body simply because the stomach is not in fit condition to do the work it is supposed to do. It cant digest the food you eat. The stomach should be given help. You ought to tae something that will do the work your stomach can't do. Kodol for indigestion and dyspepsia a combination of natural digestants and vegetable acids digests the food itself and gives strength and health to the stomach, pleasant to take. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Get your refrigerater filled with ice regulary by Ell Bros.

G. H. Niemeyer of German township, is one of our new subscribers.

G. G Washburu and family visited with Ed. Schefer and family Sunday.

Mrs. A. B. Shafer is having her store reshingled Steve Day and Julius Henschen did the work.

Mrs. Baumgartner, mother of our tonsorial artist, arrived from Garner Wednesday to see her grandson J. E. junior.

FOR RENT—The L. W. Fuiler property which I recently purchased I have for rent.

F. Gruetzmacher.

Allie Griesemer of Garner, drove to Klemme Saturday of last week and returned with his brother Paul for an over Sunday visit at home.

A picked up nine from Klemme and also from Belmond played ball in Germadtown one day last week. Score 9 to 7 in favor of Belmond. Our "Bally" did the twirling act and struck out his contestants right and left.

G. I. Schaper, one of our standby subscribers and prosperous farmers of Germantown, made this office a profitable call Tuesday. He says that from 65 acres of oats he realized 1900 bushels. His corn will also average about 25 bushels to the acre.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

H. L. Suckow. Klemme
Henry Lewis, Klemme
Will Prull, German twp.
Peter Josten, Garner
Wm. Monaghen, Goodell
G. I. Schaper, German twp.
Rev. J. F. Hartke, Redfield, S. Dak.
Chas. Gruetzmacher, Charles City.

To check a cold quicly get from your druggist some little candy cold tablets called preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sicening, taken at the sneeze stage. Preventics will prevent pneumonia bronchitis lagrippe, etc. Hence the name preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 preventics 25c. Sold by All Dealers.

The Standard Bearer social last Friday evening was largely attended and their programme was well carried out. Their eatables were relished with the exception of their "Dutch soup" which was such a rare dish that we didn't understand how to eat it and passed it by. The ladies of this society worked hard in preparatory of this entertainment and we received our moneys worth. The characters of Europe, Asia and Africa did themselves proud and had the appearance of the real article, especially the wooden shoe dutch.

Stomach troubles heart and kidney ailments can be quicly corrected with a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The prompt and surprising relief which this remedy immediately brings is entirely due to its restorative action upon the controlling nerves of the stomach, etc. A weak stomach causing dyspepsia a weak heart with palpitation or intermittent pulse always means weak stomach nerves or weak heart nerves. Streng then these inside or controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's restorative and see how quicly these ailments disappear. Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. will mail samples free, write for them a test will tell. Your health is certainly worth this simple trial. Sold by All Druggists.

Mi-s Gertrude Wendel was at Garner between trains last week Saturdy.

The changes of ads. this week are Arthur Wellemeyer and Mrs. J. Josten.

This part of the county was met with a killing frost on Tuesday night,

Mrs. Hosmer of Kanawha, visited relatives in our city Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Musfeldt and Mrs Aug. Lau returned Monday from their Clayton county visit.

Mrs. Geo. Nissen and daughter Mabel arrived Wednesday for a visit among relatives.

Hugo Neef and his cousin Miss Ida Schwichtenberg were at Mason City, Monday.

Rev. Gatterman and family of Maringo, Iowa, are visiting among relatives and friends.

Grandma Lau left for Guttenberg Saturday where she is visiting with old acquaintances.

Mrs. John Waterman and daughter Mabel returned from their Clayton county visit Monday.

Herman Schuldt and force are busy these days erecting the N. L. Palmer residence. They began Friday.

J. Gruetzmacher and family and E. H. Koerner and family visited Sunday with Ed. Schaefer and family.

Chas. Gruetzmacher of Charles City, was visiting with his brothers and families the forepart of this week.

PAY UP.—Those owing me on account for machinery and twine are requested to pay up at once.

H. Lau & Son.

Mrs. C. H. Mann, mother of this scribe of Garner, made us and family a pleasant visit over Sunday, returning on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Brocker of Garner and the Misses Scharp of Bassett, visited on Tuesday with J. Gruetzmacher and family.

Thos. Blank who is foreman of a bridge gang on the Rock Island System is now working near Armstrong. Mr. Blank spent over Sunday at home.

J. J. Wilson, live stock auctioneer, has an ad on local page. He has had the experience and is the man to get to cry your sales. His address is Thornton, Iowa.

FOR RENT.—My residence now occupied by Thos. Nelson. It is a six room house with one acre of land, also other good buildings. Rent $7.00 per month.

C. W. Stiehl.

Last Friday Mr. W. G Lowe, Manager of the Toland's Business University of Mason City, gave this office a friendly call. It is Mr. Lowe's intentention to increase the enrollment of his school and in view of this we wish to say to our young men that we believe you cannot do any better than to take advantage ot the offer which Mr. Lowe has to make to you. We understand that Mr. P. M. Griesemer and Mr. F. J. Wenck, Cashier and Assistant Cashier of the State Savings Bank respectively were graduates of the Toland's Business University of Mason City, and if these young men are fair samples of the graduates of Mr. Low's school, no one need hesitate to attend and further recommendation as to the school is unnecessary. Mr. Lowe also informs us that any one desiring information as to his school can call at the State Savings Bank for particulars.

STOP

I am not only in the painting business, but am also prepared to take your pictures. Copying a specialty. Prices reasonable.

JOE MILLER.

ATTENTION!

We buy hogs six days in the week, but want them delivered only on Tuesdays and Saturdays of each week. Highest market price will be paid for hogs and all kinds of grain, also No. 1 hard and soft coal for sale at bottom prices at the North Elevator. Yours for business,

AUG. LAU & SON.

REMEMBER

that I am in the junk business I have been buying in this vicinity for years.

I buy iron, metals, rags and rubbers. I pay cash, no tin ware exchanged for your goods. Address me at Goodell, Ia.

K. Friedman.

J. E. BAUMGARTNER
The Tonsorial Artist

Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.

Good Bath Room In Connection.

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Call in

COL. J. J. WILSON
Livestock Auctioneer,
Thornton, Iowa, R. F. D.

Best of references. Let me cry your sale. Make your dates with the State Savings Bank.

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Sour Stomach

No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol for dyspepsia does not only relieve indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy helps all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Mr. S. S. Ball, of Ravenswood, W. Va., says:—"I was troubled with sour stomach for twenty years. Kodol cured me and we are now using it in milk for baby."

FOR BACKACHE—WEAK KIDNEYS
TRY
DeWITT'S KIDNEY and BLADDER PILLS—Sure and Safe.
Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., Chicago.

Sold by J L Harr & Co.

A MISSOURI WOMAN

Tells a Story of Awful Suffering and Wonderful Relief.

Mrs. J. D. Johnson, of 603 West Hickman St., Columbia, Mo., says:

"Following an operation two years ago, dropsy set in, and my left side was so swollen the doctor said he would have to tap out the water. There was constant pain and a gurgling sensation around my heart, and I could not raise my arm above my head. The kidney action was disordered and passages of the secretions too frequent. On the advice of my husband I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. Since using two boxes my trouble has not reappeared. This is wonderful, after suffering two years."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

TEA FROM THE FLOWERS.

This Product Little Known in the United States.

Tea, not from leaves, but from the flowers alone of the plant, is rarely encountered in commerce. The petals, stamens, etc., are sun dried, and the resulting tea is of a rich, deep brown hue of peculiarly delicate odor, and gives a pale amber colored infusion rather more astringent in taste than that from the average fair grade leaf. The taste for it is an acquired one, and even if this tea could be made commercially possible, it is doubtful if it would ever become popular.

The American tea trade could advantageously take a suggestion from the brick tea of the far east. In our country, the tea dust, some of which is good quality, is not properly utilized. In Europe it is a regular article of trade, and it is advertised and sold as tea dust. In America it is sold to thousands of cheap restaurants, who make from it the mixture of tanic acid, sugar and boiled milk which they sell as "tea." If, as in the orient, this dust was compressed into bricks, good tea could be made from it.

KNEW VALUE OF AN OATH.

Colored Witness at Least Was Aware of Its Pecuniary Worth.

Clarence S. Darrow, the well known lawyer and essayist, discussing the Haywood trial, in which he played so prominent a part, said the other day:

"Some of the evidence in that trial was so transparently false that it reminds me of a case that came off in Alabama a few years back. One of the witnesses in this case was an extremely ignorant man. As his testimony progressed, his ignorance became so shockingly evident that the judge, looking sternly down at him said:

"'Look here, sir, are you acquainted with the value of an oath?'

"The witness answered anxiously:

"'Jedge, I hope I am. That thar lawyer on yer left hand gimme six dollars to sw'ar agin the other side. Thet's the correck value of an oath, ain't it, jedge?'"

PUTS THE "GINGER" IN.

The Kind of Food Used by Athletes.

A former college athlete, one of the long distance runners, began to lose his power of endurance. His experience with a change in food is interesting.

"While I was in training on the track athletic team, my daily 'jogs' became a task, until after I was put on Grape-Nuts food for two meals a day. After using the Food for two weeks I felt like a new man. My digestion was perfect, nerves steady and I was full of energy.

"I trained for the mile and the half mile runs (those events which require so much endurance) and then the long daily 'jogs,' which before had been such a task, were clipped off with ease. I won both events.

"The Grape-Nuts food put me in perfect condition and gave me my 'ginger.' Not only was my physical condition made perfect, and my weight increased, but my mind was made clear and vigorous so that I could get out my studies in about half the time formerly required. Now most all of the University men use Grape-Nuts for they have learned its value, but I think my testimony will not be amiss and may perhaps help some one to learn how the best results can be obtained."

There's a reason for the effect of Grape-Nuts food on the human body and brain. The certain elements in wheat and barley are selected with special reference to their power for rebuilding the brain and nerve centres. The product is then carefully and scientifically prepared so as to make it easy of digestion. The physical and mental results are so apparent after two or three week's use as to produce a profound impression. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

DES MOINES LETTER

Items of Interest From Our Correspondent at the State Capital.

Corporations Are Hit Hard.

Des Moines.—By holding that any foreign corporation which is doing business in Iowa without having filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state has no rights in Iowa courts and is subject to a penalty of $100 per day for each day it has done business in the state, Justice Zell Roe landed a solar plexus blow upon the corporations.

Incidentally Justice Roe furnishes Attorney General Byers an acting basis for the suits he is soon to commence against the Standard Oil company, the Postal and Western Union telegraph companies and a dozen other big concerns for the recovery of millions of dollars in penalties.

It was in sustaining a demurrer in two civil suits started by the International Text Book company of Scranton, Pa., that Justice Roe handed down his decision. Probably no such wide reaching holding was ever before given in an Iowa justice court. For the case will be appealed at once. Then if the higher courts sustain the holding of Justice Roe the state will be in position to absolutely collect the enormous penalties for which Attorney General Byers is working.

In the case at point the International Text Book company of Scranton, Pa., brought suit against Thomas Shea and Thomas Jackson. These two young men had entered into contracts with the school to take a course in correspondence. But they had failed to settle the contracts. So the company started suit. The amount involved was some $80.

In the petition filed by Attorney C. W. Johnston the company pleaded that it was a foreign corporation. Read & Read, attorneys for the defendants, then raised the point that the company had failed to file its articles of incorporation and that under the section quoted above it had not the right to eminent domain in the state of Iowa. A demurrer upon that point was argued at length. Justice Roe sustained the demurrer.

"The law is absolutely plain upon the point," said the magistrate. "This company has failed to comply with the statute. I must therefore hold that it has no right to sue in an Iowa court."

The penalty in the case at issue will amount to thousands of dollars. The International concern has been doing business in Iowa for several years. The penalty amounts to $36,500 for each year it has thus been engaged.

Attorney General Byers has ascertained that a dozen of the biggest Iowa corporations are in the same boat with the Scranton institution. He commended Justice Roe today uo-He commended Justice Roe upwill furnish the basis for the suits which Mr. Byers will shorty file in the local courts.

Must Pay Railroad Fare.

If the Iowa railroad commission has a representative at the state commissioners' convention in Washington, D. C., Oct. 8, he will have to pay his railroad fare like an ordinary mortal.

On this account Commissioner W. L. Eaton has drawn a resolution directing Chairman N. S. Ketchum and Secretary Dwight Lewis of the board to attend the Washington meeting.

Such a resolution will be authority for spending the necessary money for traveling to and from Washington and incidental expenses, and charging it to the board's contingent fund.

It is an unique sensation for the commissioners to consider the question of expending funds for railroad fare. Under comity with other states and other railroad commissioners the commissioners of all the states have been traveling freely about the country on passes. But the federal and state laws against passes have stopped this practice. If the Iowa commission wants to go anywhere outside of Iowa, its members must come through with the coin.

Seeing that the salary of members of the board is only $2,200 a year and that of the secretary is only $1,800, visits to Washington can hardly be paid out of their private purses. Messrs. Ketchum and Lewis have persistently refused to consider the matter of attending the convention at the state expense, but Commissioner Eaton said that he proposed to force the proposition through and has drawn it in the form of a resolution that it may be spread properly on the record.

State Fair Profits Figured.

Between $20,000 and $25,000 was made by the last state fair, according to the final figures made by Secretary Simpson and Treasurer Ellyson. The receipts were approximately $104,000, and the expenses about $80,000. Had there been good weather, it is believed the fair would have made $50,000 net his year.

Board Buys Supplies.

Iowa butter makers got all of the contracts for the $80,000 worth of butter bought by the state board of control for the state institutions, and which will last a half year. In all 138 tons of butter was purchased. At the ruling Elgin prices when delivered, it will amount to about $80,000.

The board bought 274,600 pounds of butter, 191,240 pounds of pork and pork products, and 675,000 pounds of beef for the inmates of the state institutions during the next half year.

Agar carried off the contracts for all of the pork products except those at three institutions. The total amount paid for this class of food for the next half year is about $21,000, of which the Agars get about $19,000.

The beef comes to $45,500. Three firms got in on the awards for it, Anamosa, Clarinda, Knoxville and Vinton contracts going to Swift & Co., Council Bluffs and Glenwood to Cudahy and the others to S. & S. of Chicago. Anamosa, Council Bluffs and Davenport pork contracts went to Armour & Co. of Chicago.

Following are the enormous quantities in pounds of both beef and pork consumed at the respective institutions:

	Pork.	Beef.
Anamosa	13,000	26,000
Cherokee	10,600	42,000
Clarinda	11,400	106,400
Council Bluffs	6,500	27,300
Davenport	4,900	24,800
Eldora	2,100	10,000
Fort Madison	23,000	74,000
Glenwood	10,500	68,000
Independence	8,000	105,000
Knoxville	6,000	19,300
Marshalltown	44,040	50,000
Mitchellville	6,800	8,800
Mount Pleasant	35,200	93,000
Vinton	4,200	14,400

Dissatisfied With Interurban Rates.

A petition signed by 116 farmers, patrons of the Perry interurban line, asking the state railraod commission to correct abuses of which the petitioners complain, has been filed at the state house.

The petitioners complain against the establishment by the company of pay stations and the sale of tickets to and from these stations, without respect to the flag stations at which people embark and are discharged from the cars.

They also complain because the interurban company, using the street car tracks within the city streets, charges a mileage rate instead of the franchise rate permitted the city company.

In respect to the first matter, it is pointed out that farmers living north of the city on whose places flag stations have been established, are compelled to pay mileage rates to the pay station beyond their places, going north, and from the pay stations behind them coming into town.

For instance, J. I. Daily, who did not sign the petitions, gave the company $2,000 worth of land, or nine acres, for the right of way across his land. The company established a flag station on his land. He lives exactly six miles from the waiting room at Sixth and Mulberry streets. He has to pay to Johnston, three miles beyond his farm. It costs him 13 cents to go the six miles, or 3 cents a mile.

Maneuver Claims Cut.

William Mollison, a farmer up north of Des Moines, says that the soldiers frightened his herd of black cattle into nervous prostration during the war maneuvers in August, and he wants the state to pay him $71 on account of the fright and shock experienced by his choicest muleys. The board of appraisers turned down the $71 bill and the legislature of 1909, in addition to settling the senatorial succussion will have this claim probably, to contend with, for Mr. Mollison is said seriously to entertain the belief that his herd suffered damage from fright through the operations of the soldiers. Altogether twenty claimants got awards of damages which came to a total of $1,118.91.

Victim of Hazing.

Frank Carpenter, a Drake Freshman, is said to have been a victim of hazing. It is claimed that he was decoyed from home, dragged to the interurban bridge in Beaver valley and bound hand and foot to the ties. His clothes were stripped from his back and his entire body was covered with sand, molasses, grass and dirt. He was the nwhipped over the back, shoved off the approach of the bridge, and left alone in the darkness. The sophomores escaped and Carpenter walked home unaccompanied.

Boozers Barred From Escaping.

The board of control is through fooling with the inebriates at the Knoxville institution, and has contracted for bars for the windows in order to keep them from escaping and to save hiring men to watch them

TRUST FOOLS TEXAS

CORSICANA COMPANY BELIEVED TO BE PART OF STANDARD.

TILFORD DOES NOT KNOW

Attorney Kellogg Says Officers of Latter Control the Former—Immense Personal Profits of J. D. Rockefeller.

New York.—That the Standard Oil company is operating under the name of the Corsicana Refining company in the state of Texas, which has forbidden the oil combine to operate within the state, was indicated Thursday, when Wesley H. Tilford, treasurer of the Standard Oil company, under examination in the government's suit against the company, testified that H. C. Folger and C. M. Payne, who Frank Kellogg, the attorney for the government, states control the Corsicana company, are prominent in the conduct of affairs of the Standard Oil company.

Mr. Kellogg sought to draw from the witness the information that the Consicana company was really a Standard Oil company and was operating in Texas because the anti-trust laws of that state would not permit the combine to operate there. Mr. Tilford replied that, so far as he knew, the Standard Oil company had no interests in Texas. He said that Mr. Folger and Mr. Payne were both officers of the Standard Oil company, but he was not aware that they owned the Corsicana company.

Another interesting development was the official statement made for the first time, of John D. Rockefeller's personal holdings in the Standard Oil company. Just to what extent the reputed head was individually interested in the great concern has long been a matter of speculation. It was brought out that Mr. Rockefeller owned 256,854 shares, or more than one-fourth of the total 972,500 certificates of the Standard Oil company.

Based on the earnings of the company as placed on record Tuesday, it is computed that Mr. Rockefeller's personal profits during the past eight years have aggregated almost $125,000,000. At Tuesday's hearing it was testified that in the years 1899 to 1906 inclusive, the Standard Oil company had earned total profits of $490,315,934.

A Big Profit in Oil.

New York.—More light was shed upon the remarkable earning capacity of the various subsidiary companies of the Standard Oil company Wednesday when Frank B. Kellogg, who is conducting the federal suit, succeeded in placing upon the record the profits of 17 of the principal subsidiary companies in the years 1903 and 1906.

The statement of the earnings of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, which was recently fined $29,240,000 by Judge Landis, of Chicago, for rebating, disclosed that in 1906 the company earned no less than $10,516,082 on a capitalization of $1,000,000, or over 1,000 per cent. a year. The Indiana company in 1906 earned more than any subsidiary company of the big combine.

In a period of eight years, from 1899 to 1906 inclusive, the company, on a statement spread upon the records of Tuesday's hearings, was shown to have earned total profits of $490,315,934, or at the rate of more than $61,000,000 a year, and distributed to its shareholders in the same period $308,359,403.

CHICAGO'S CHARTER BEATEN.

Voters Reject the Instrument at the Special Election.

Chicago.—Chicago's new city charter, the result of many months' work by committees and organizations, was defeated in the special election Tuesday. The vote was nearly two to one against it.

The efforts of the United societies for Local Self-Government, the South Park board, the Deneen faction among the Republicans and of the Democrats generally, are credited with the result. The claim that the new charter would result in much higher taxes had much to do with its defeat.

Arrest 800 Men in One Raid.

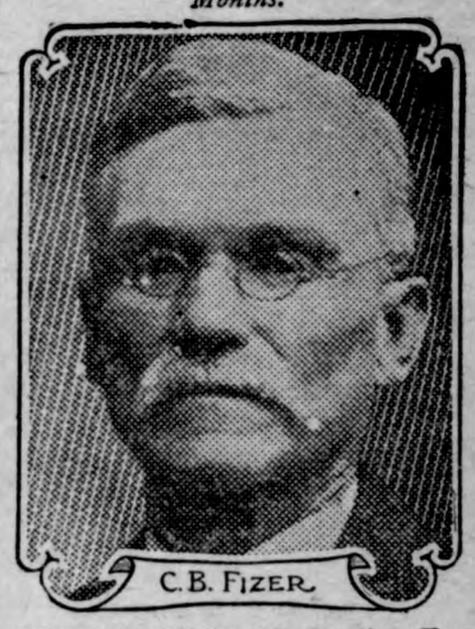
Lodz, Russian Poland. — Troops and police made a sudden descent upon the large cotton mill here owned by Marcus Silberstein, who was murdered by his employes Sept. 13, because he refused to pay them for the time they were out on strike. Eight hundred of the workmen were taken into custody.

War on Greek Restaurants.

Joliet, Ill. — War against Greek restaurants was begun following an attack on Frank McFadden, collector for a laundry, by the proprietor of the Royal restaurant in North Chicago street. The restaurant keeper, a

KIDNEY TROUBLE

Suffered Two Years—Relieved In Three Months.



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The Truth of It.

She—I always think of motoring as the poetry of motion.

He—Yes, until the machine breaks down. Then it becomes blank verse. —Puck.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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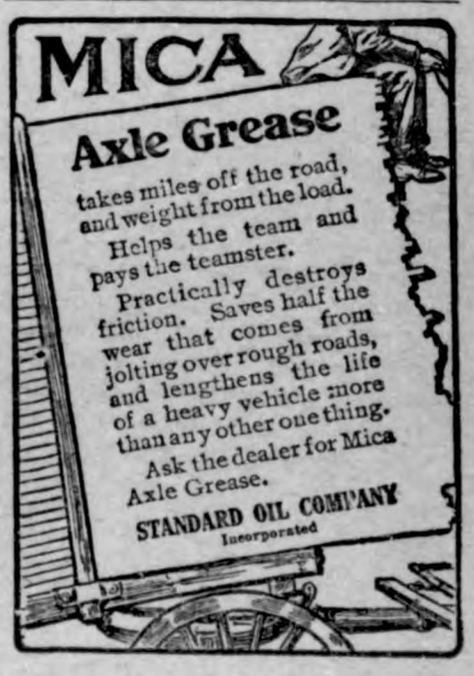
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REFORM FOR KOREA

PRINCE ITO HAS LEFT TOKIO FOR SEOUL.

WARNS THE MISSIONARIES

Koreans Are To Be Improved, if Force Is Necessary, Declares Jap.

Tokio, Sept. 22.—Prince Ito, the Japanese resident general to Korea, leaves here today for Seoul. Yesterday morning he granted an audience to the correspondent of The Associated Press immediately before his investiture at the palace, in which he spoke freely of the future of Korea.

During the month that Prince Ito has been in Tokio, Korea has been his only theme, and the result of his labors is that the emperor and his ministers have given their approval to his programme for a reform administration in Korea; in fact, never except in time of war have the politicians of Japan been so united on one policy. Discussing this subject with the correspondent, Prince Ito showed a depth of feeling unusual in Japanese. "It is right," he declared, "and, therefore, must be done. It must succeed if it is possible of human accomplishment."

Prince Ito has been opposed steadfastly to the annexation of Korea, and this against his friends and advisers. Instead, he drew up a programme providing for equitable land laws, a fair system of taxation, the protection of life and property, education for everybody, establishment of fair courts of justice and the stern abolition of corruption.

The estimated cost of these reforms to Japan is $10,000,000 in five years, and this has been approved. It will not become a tax upon the Korean people but it is an investment by Japan.

DRUDE ATTACKS TRIBESMEN.

French General Burns Moorish Camps Near Casa Blanca.

Casa Blanca. Sept. 23.—Negotiations for peave having failed, General Drude yesterday resumed the offensive and burned a Moorish camp at Sidebraham, south of Casa Blanca.

The tribesmen offered little resistance. The operator's chief note was the brilliant forced march of the French troops, who covered forty kilometers in twelve hours.

The expedition, consisting of 2,000 infantry, with cavalry, artillery and native auxiliary, left camp before dawn. In two hollow squares it marched some distance under the cover of darkness unobserved by the tribesmen.

Shots fired by the advance guard gave the alarm to the enemy. The tribesmen came up in large numbers, but a vigorous attack by the first squad soon dispersed them. No further stand was made by the enemy although scattered groups of horsemen harassed the French flank.

MUST KEEP PHILIPPINES.

Admiral Dewey Opens Fire on Advice to Sell.

New York, N. Y., Sept. 23.—Admiral Dewey strongly resents the proposition that has been discussed in a more or less academic manner to surrender the Philippines, which, of all men, he was a leading factor in bringing under the American flag.

In an interview the admiral sets out clearly the reasons which impel him to insist upon the retention of the islands. Singularly enough, in view of the fact that the admiral is a man of war by trade, the strong point of his argument is not based upon the military or naval importance of the archipelago, but almost altogether upon the great value, present and prospective, of the Philippines to America in the extension of our trade with the orient, which he regards as holding out the best promise of commercial expansion.

CONSTANTINE FOUND GUILTY.

Jury Returns Verdict After A Short Session.

Chicago, Sept. 22.—Frank J. Constantine was found guilty of the murder of Mrs. Arthur Gentry by a jury in Judge Kavanagh's court last night. His punishment was fixed at imprisonment in the penitentiary for life.

The jury deliberated less than two and a half hours, announcing at 11:45 after the court had been reconvened by Judge Kavanagh following an earlier evening session, that it had agreed.

The court room was crowded.

The prisoner received the announcement of his fate with seeming indifference. He stood near the jury box when the foreman announced the finding and beyond tightening of his grip upon the chair on which he leaned and a blanching of the face, he showed no emotion.

Renominate Tom Johnson.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 12.—Mayor Tom L. Johnson was nominated for a fourth term as mayor by acclamation at the city democratic convention yesterday to oppose Congressman Burton, the republican nominee. In the platform adopted, 3-cent street car fare is put to he front.

Origin of Scotland's Motto.

It was thought by the Danes to be cowardly to attack an enemy after nightfall, but on one occasion when they were waging war in Scotland, they deviated from their usual rule. On they crept, noiselessly and unobserved, in their bare feet, upon the unsuspecting Scotchman. When near the camp one of the Danes trod upon a thistle and in his pain cried out. This aroused the sleeping Scotchmen, and they gave the alarm. The Danes were defeated with terrible loss of life, and ever since that time the thistle has been the insignia of Scotland, with the motto: "Nemo me impune lacessit."—"No one provokes me with impunity."

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Nobody Wanted Church.

When North Gosforth church, near Newcastle, Eng., which had never been consecrated, but in which services had been held regularly, was put up at auction, not a bid was made for the property.

Plague of Frogs Annoy.

The Rye and an adjoining spur of the Chiltern hills, near High Wycombe, Eng., are nightly overrun with a countless host of frogs. Local residents have had to seek fresh promenades, and a crusade against the frogs is being planned.

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Mrs. May Fry, of 836 W. Colfax Ave., South Bend, Ind., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I take great pleasure in writing to thank you for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I also took the Blood Purifier in alternate doses with the Compound. Your medicine removed a cyst tumor of four years' growth, which three of the best physicians declared I had. They had said that only an operation could help me. I am very thankful that I followed a friend's advice and took your medicine. It has made me a strong and well woman and I shall recommend it as long as I live."

Mrs. E. F. Hayes, of 26 Ruggles St., Boston, Mass., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I have been under different doctors' treatment for a long time without relief. They told me I had a fibroid tumor, my abdomen was swollen and I suffered with great pain. I wrote to you for advice, you replied and I followed your directions carefully and today I am a well women. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound expelled the tumor and strengthened my whole system."

Mrs. Perry Byers, of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I was told by my physician that I had a fibroid tumor and that I would have to be operated upon, I wrote to you for advice, which I followed carefully and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am not only cured of the tumor but other female troubles and can do all my own work after eigh years of suffering."

Mrs. S. J. Barber, of Scott, N. Y. writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"Sometime ago I wrote you for advice about a tumor which the doctors thought would have to be removed. Instead I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and to-day am a well woman."

Mrs. M. M. Funk, Vandergrift, Pa., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I had a tumor and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound removed it for me after two doctors had given me up. I was sick four years before I began to take the Compound. I now recommend Lydia E Pinkham's Vegetable Compound far and near."

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Garner, Iowa, Sept. 21, 1907.

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In Barz's Addition to Klemme.

Block one 1, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4 in block two 2, block three 3, block four 4, block five 5, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, in block six 6, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, nine 9, ten 10, eleven 11, twelve 12, in block eight 8, block nine 9, block ten 10, block eleven 11, block twelve 12.

In Klemme's Addition to Klemme.

Lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, nine 9, ten 10, eveven 11, twelve 12, thirteen 13, fourteen 14 in block one 1, block two 2, block three 3, block four 4, block five 5, block six 6, block seven 7, south one-half s½ of block eight 8, block nine 9, block ten 10, south one-half s½ of block eleven 11, south one-half s½ of block twelve 12, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7 in block thirteen 13, lots one 1 two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6 in in block fourteen 14, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8 in block fifteen 15, block sixteen 16, block seventeen 17, block nineteen 19, block twenty 20, block twenty-one 21, the ne¼ ne¼ ne¼ of Sec. 31, 95, 23 and 1 acre in ne¼ ne¼ Sec. 31, 95, 23, Out-lot one 1, east half e½ out-lot two 2, west half w½ of out-lot two 2, 1 acre northwest corner out-lot three 3, n½ ne¼ of out-lot five 5, n½ nw ¼ out-lot seven 7.

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In Gruetzmacher Bros. & Hanson's Sub division of Out-lot Six 6 of H J Klemme's Addition to Klemme.

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You are hereby notified that there has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of Hancock county, Iowa, a petition asking the Board of Supervisors of said county to establish a part of the above described lands in a Drainage District and order the same drained in accordance with Chapter Two (2) Title X of the Code of Iowa and all laws amendatory or additional thereto on the grounds that the same are in part too wet for cultivation, subject to overflow and in the opinion of the petitioners the public health, convenience, utility and welfare will be promoted by the draining thereof, which said petition was accompanied by a bond as provided by said law which has been duly approved and filed; That the Board of Supervisors appointed an Engineer to make a preliminary survey thereof and the Engineer has filed his report showing the survey and recommending the establishment of all of the above described land in a drainage district and draining thereof.

You are further notified that the said petition will come on for hearing on the 14th day of October, A. D, 1907 at an adjourned session of the Board of Supervisors to be holden at the Court House in Garner, Iowa, on said date.

You are further notified that all claims for damages or compensation must be filed in the office of the County Auditor not less than FIVE (5) days before the day set for said hearing and also that you may appear and resist the granting of the said petition if you see proper so to do and that, unless you do, the said lands will be drained as provided by the laws above referred to and you and each of you will be forever barred from objecting thereto or claimins damages or compensation on account thereof.

Witness my hand and official seal this 21st day of September, A. D., 1907.

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The question of how to cure a cold without unnecessary loss of time is one in which we are all more or less interested for the quicker a cold is got ten rid of the less the danger of pneu monia and other serious diseases. B W L Hall of Waverly, Va. has used Chamberlain's cough remedy for years and says: I firmly believe Chamberlain's cough remedy to be the absolute ly the best preparation on the maret for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me For sale by J L Harr & Co.

German M. E. Church Items

Hugo and Camilla Neff left Monday morning for college.

Mcther Friedow is visiting her son out in German township.

Aug. Schuldt returned from his Chicago trip on Wednesday.

Mother Kraus entertained the Womans' Missionary Society on Thursday.

Mrs. Hans Josten and children called on Germantown friends and attended the services.

LaSette and Bennie Schwichtenberg visited their sister in Mason City on Monday between trains.

Dr. Gilbert of Goodell, was called in consultation with Dr. Zinn on Monday in the case of Fred Arnold.

Mrs. Jno. Gruetzmacher and daughters Hulda and Esther were in Mason City Wednesday and Thursday.

The "Missionary Study" class of Germantown met for their monthly study at the Schoenwetter home Thursday evening.

Mrs. Louis Sampson and daughter Florence were in Mason City Wednesday to have some dental work attended to.

Otto Martin of Concord, is working for W. C. A. Gast and in the meantime writing up the locals for Route 4. in which he is an adebt.

We would urge all Sunday school teachers to attend the county Sunday school convention in Garner Friday and Saturday, October 11 and 12.

G. I. Schaper purchased a piano for his home last week. Since he is a good player on the accordian, we expect to hear him give us a tune on the piano soon.

A number of our people attended the funeral services of Mrs. Fotheringham in Garner last Sunday. The deseased was at one time a member of our Germantown Sunday school.

W. C. A. Gast had the misfortune to burn his face last week. He had drawn some live coal from the fire grate of his engine and poured some water on them to put them out. The hot steam slightly burned his face The next night he caught cold in it and this caused the trouble.

A CRIMINAL ATTACK

on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the appendix. It's generally the result of protracted constipation following liver torpor. Dr King's new life pills regulate the liver prevent appendicitis and establish regular habits of the bowels, 25c at J L Harr & Co drug store.

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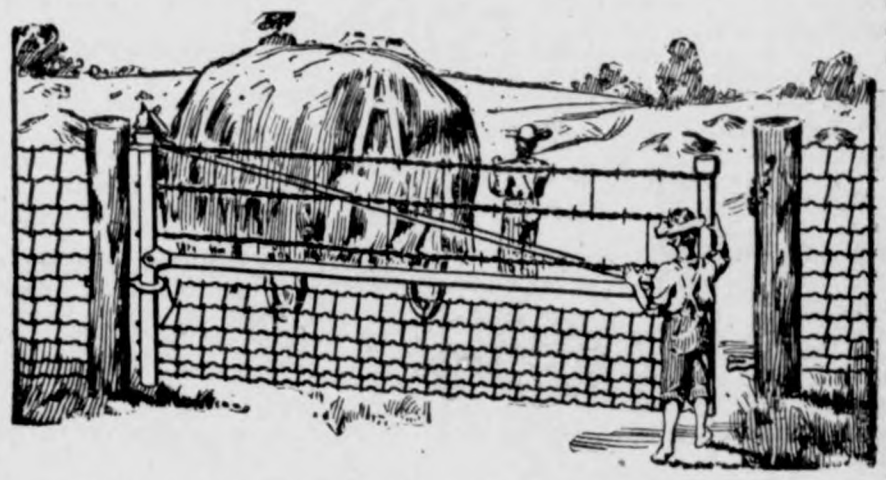

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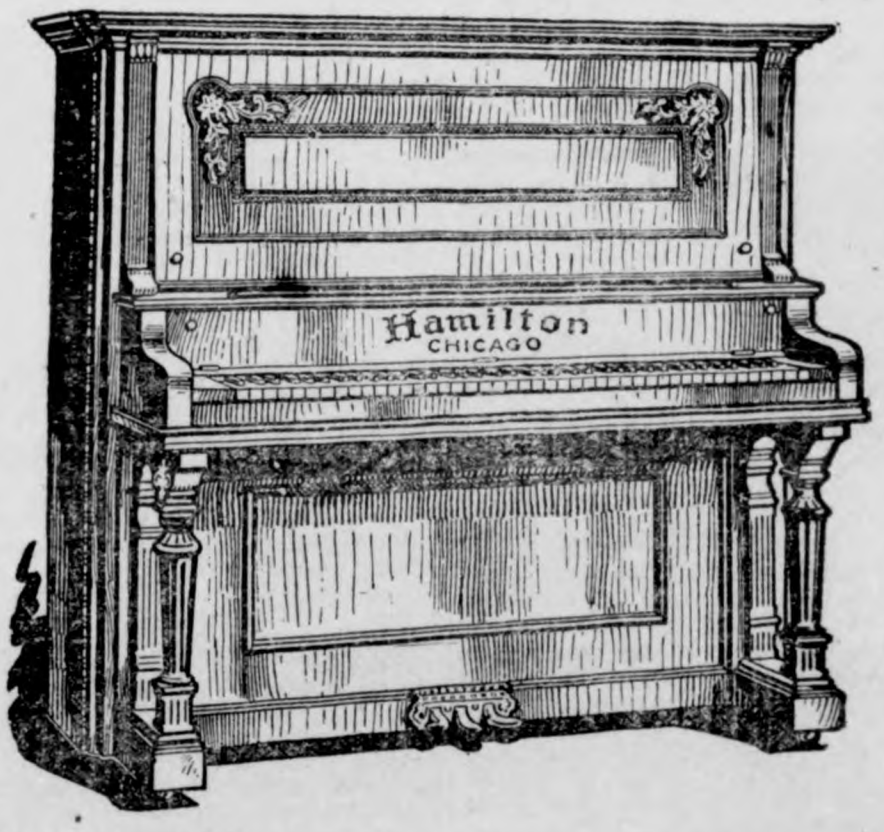

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Klemme, - - Iowa

Does any one know where the dead of night is buried?

The easiest way to get popular with people is to let them bore you.

A man ceases to be the whole thing after taking unto himself a better half

Yes, the wife beater ought to have a good, stiff dose of his own medicine.

Hustle for what you can get, and don't worry about what you can't have.

Don't tell all you know, if you want people to think you know more than you do.

Wisdom is knowing how ignorant we are and keeping the knowledge to ourselves.

Women are to wear pointed shoes this fall, which ought to be good news for the chiropodists.

It's all well enough to ask advice, but occasionally a man makes the mistake of following it.

The farmers will be $1,000,000,000 richer after this year's crop is harvested; that is, about $100 apiece.

A Detroiter was arrested twice on the same day, thus showing another instance in which the police are not like lightning.

A boy who swallowed a whistle ejects music with every breath, and the neighbors are only glad that he did not swallow a piano.

Sonoma, Cal., tells the world that it has a soda water well. This will amount to little unless an ice cream well can be bored to work in conjunction.

A Texas paper refers to "the savages inhabiting Manhattan Island." Some Texan has evidently been playing the role of a tenderfoot in New York.

A scientist says that first love is "a species of cerebral commotion and a stirring of some hitherto dormant associations by appropriative affinitive impression." O, pshaw!

King Edward's indignation at the impropriety of a London performance may cause a number of English playwright to follow up the practice of making first productions in America.

The worst obstacle to successful ballooning seems to be the earth. They are always bumping into that, with usually disastrous results. If the earth could be avoided, somehow, particularly in the downward flights, the science and pastime of aeronautics might be more popular.

It has been discovered that the modern tourist is not the only person who has scribbled his name on the walls of public buildings. Mr. H. H. Hall an English Entomologist, said in a recent lecture on the excavations at Thebes, that he had noticed on the tomb of Rameses IV. a remark writtetn by an ancient Greek tourist.

As usual, American missionaries are courageous and refuse to leave their converts and their stations, even though peril impends. The diplomatic corps at Tangiers is reported as thrilled with the courage of the Christian Americans, who refuse to come out of the zone of danger from the rampant and murderously inclined Moors.

Connecticut has found that a trap made of a wooden nutmeg frame inclosing sharpened shingle nails, a mowing machine, cutting bar and chisels carefully sharpened and all upturned, is sufficient to stop any automobile that crosses it. But the enterprising inventor is temporarily out of business, having been discouraged by the courts.

Rear Admiral Charles H. Davis, Jr., just retired, a native of Cambridge was a worthy successor to his father of the same name and equal rank, says Boston Herald. His scientific and diplomatic work, notably his conduct at Jamaica in the Swettenham incident, sustained the reputation of our high naval officers as more than mere fighters.

In 1817 one Richard Thornton, called to the bar of the king's bench charged with the murder of Mark Askford, in open court threw down his glove and defied his accuser. Whereupon there was a pretty to-do. Wager of battle, it was supposed, had died a natural death in the dark ages, but Lord Ellenborough, after much consultation of precedent, held that it was still the law of England, and ordered a field to be prepared. Thornton's accuser thereupon declining combat, the prisoner was discharged. Next year parliament passed an act abolishing this privilege of appeal to the strong right arm.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

SAVE LIVES OF FIVE

Quinette of Prisoners on Upper Floor of Burning Building.

Burlington.—Cheer upon cheer arose from the lips of 5,000 people, when the most thrilling rescues in the history of the Burlington fire department were effected. One woman and four men were brought down the long ladders hanging to the backs of the firemen, whose ccurse was impeded by the thick, smothering clouds of smoke which poured from every window.

Trapped on the upper floors of the Tama building, their access to the fire escape shut off by the flames, the quintette would inevitably have been burned or suffocated, for the fire spread with unprecedented rapidity.

The blaze started in the basement, gutted the two lower stories and ruined the contents of the upper floors, four in number. Nearly all the occupants of the building fled for their lives successfully, but the five who stopped to gather up precious effects found their egress shut off. Hastening to the windows they called piteously to the crowd below and two of the men made as if they were about to jump.

Shouts from the crowd deterred them, and in a short time the firemen were throwing up a long line of ladders.

Terrific enthusiasm greeted their arrival in safety on terra firma, the pent-up anxiety of the gathered thousands finding vent in the lustiest of cheering.

The fire is the worst Burlington has experienced in some time, and the loss will reach $75,000. Insurance, however, is approximately $60,000.

The L. B. Ringold Clothing company's loss will amount to $45,000 with about $30,000 insurance. Sutter & Ludman Drug company will lose $3,000, with $4,000 insurance. The Williams' loss is total and will reach $5,000, with $3,000 insurance. The other losses are largely from smoke and water, and are well covered.

BLOOMFIELD LAD ESCAPES.

Jumps From Train Running 40 Miles an Hour.

Oskaloosa.—Frank Jones, a 13-year-old Bloomfield boy, enroute to the reform school at Eldora in charge of Sheriff J. A. Wilkinson, jumped from a train running at a speed of forty miles an hour and made his escape. Between two stations he asked the sheriff to go to the toilet room and was granted permission. He managed to climb through a window and reach the steps to the platform of the car. A traveling man who happened to pass between the cars noticed the boy and informed the sheriff. Wilkinson hurried to the platform and just as he was reaching out to grasp his prisoner, the lad leaped from the train. After he stopped rolling he lay still and to all appearances had been killed by the fall. The train was backed up and just as the sheriff was dismounting, the boy came to, looked about in a dazed manner and got to his feet. He saw the sheriff approaching and took to his heels. Wilkinson is a heavy man and he came out a poor second in the race which ensued. The boy soon distanced his pursuer and has not been captured.

SHORTAGE OVER $20,000.

Committee Reports on M'Arthur Defalcation.

Dubuque.—The report of the special committee investigating the shortage in the acounts of deposed Superintendent Arthur McArthur of the municipally owned water works plant is complete. The findings are being withheld and in the hands of the county attorney. It is learned that the peculations run to $22,000, $10,000 being stolen outright, and funds juggled and unaccounted for amounting to $12,000. The grand jury at the October term will indict and civil suits will be filed by the city against McArthur's bondsmen.

Teacher Stabbed by Negro Boy.

Oskaloosa.—Robert Hart, a 17-year-old colored boy, seriously stabbed his teacher, Professor Cartwright at Cricketts, a small mining center near here. Hart had been tapping on the window and refused to stop when ordered. Professor Cartwright started to punish him when they boy drew a knife and slashed him across the arm. An artery was severed and the professor nearly bled to death before a physician could be secured to stop the flow of blood. Hart has been arrested.

Land Ceder Falls Burglars.

Cedar Falls.—The Cedar Falls Manufacturing company has suffered a second loss from burglars and $200 worth of the stock was taken. Two suspects were held in Mason City until the arrival of Marshal Enlow from Cedar Falls. The arrests followed the effort to dispose of the stock to parties in Mason City.

RODNEY HAD A SENSATION.

Lively Day Follows Disappearance of Valuable Papers.

Sioux City.—A misplaced packet of negotiable paper aggregating $40,000 at the savings bank in Rodney, Iowa, threw the business men of that town into a panic, resulted in the practical arrest of J. P. Rogers, the bank's cashier who had come to this city, and brought about a record breaking trip from Omaha, Nebraska to Sioux City on the part of William MacDiarmid, president of the bank, and E. L. Collins, its special examiner, on a special train over the Northwestern railroad.

When William MacDonald, assistant cashier of the bank at Rodney, opened for business he discovered the packet of notes was missing and a search failed to locate them.

Rogers, the cashier, had come to Sioux City on business for the bank. MacDonald at once telephoned President MacDiarmid, who was at Omaha, of his discovery. The news at the same time spread over the town and caused a sensation.

With no train out of Omaha for Sioux City until evening, MacDiarmid chartered a special train and, accompaned by Examiner Collins, started for this city at 1:40 o'clock, making the run in two hours and traveling at the rate of 75 miles an hour.

Rogers was found at the West hotel and taken to the local ponce station but disclaimed all knowledge of the whereabouts of the missing papers.

He accompanied the banker and the examiner to Rodney on the 5 o'clock train and a half hour after their arrival there the valuable notes were discovered in an unused cubby hole.

BLODGETT UNDER ARREST.

Former Editor Secretary Indicted in Boone County.

Des Moines.—D. T. Blodgett, former editor of the Secretary, a publication issued in Des Moines for a short time, has been placed under arrest. He is held in the Des Moines city jail on a bench warrant issued by the clerk of the district court at Boone, following an indictment by the Boone county grand jury, charging him with uttering a forged instrument.

Blodgett was recently released from indictment by the Polk County grand jury on a charge of criminal libel by Judge Brennan on the grounds that three terms of district court had passed after the indictment was returned. It was alleged that Blodgett published in the Secretary statements derogatory to certain judges of the district court.

The present indictment by the Boone county grand jury, it is alleged, follows testimony given before the grand jury of Boone county, accusing Blodgett of turning in an order for certain school books to the publishing firm of J. P. Holst of Boone bearing forged signatures of the officers of the Douglass township school board, about a year ago.

VICTIM OF GASOLINE DEAD.

Des Moines Woman Passes Away After Two Days' Agony.

Des Moines.—Mrs. John Browning of Highland Park died at Mercy hospital after two days' agony following burns received while filling the tank of her gasoline stove. She was still a young woman and leaves her husband and two small children.

The accident was a peculiarly heartrending one. The woman while filling the tank of her stove spilled some of the gasoline upon her clothes, not knowing what she had done. When she struck a match to light the generator of the stove, the flame flashed to her clothing and burned them entirely from her as she ran screaming for help to a neighbor. Her little ones ran to her aid, but almost miraculously escaped catching fire also.

Farmer Shoots Himself.

Le Mars.—Lawrence Lewis a farmer living six miles north of here, shot himself with a revolver, the bullet lodging over the heart. He is in a precarious condition at the city hospital. Lewis, who is a renter, had trouble with his landlord about the rent and on going home went up stairs and shot himself in spite of the efforts of a younger brother to prevent the rash act. Lewis is 23 years of age and was to be married shortly to a Le Mars young woman.

Avoca Wreck; Fireman Dead.

Avoca.—Fireman Fred Plefley of the Hyland branch, was instantly killed, and Brakeman Elmer Koepkep of the Carson branch, was internally injured in a wreck on the Rock Island here. A Rock Island and eastbound freight crashed into two branch engines switching on the main line. The switch engine, fired by Plefley, was splintered and he was mangled beyond recognition. The engineer escaped. No one is particularly blamed for the accident

REWARDED.

GLOVER LEAF BUYS ALTON

DIRECTORS VOTE TO SIGN CONTRACT FOR PURCHASE.

Road's Physical Condition Found Good—Unification of Shonts-Hawley Properties Will Follow.

New York.—The directors of the Toledo, St. Louis & Western railway at a meeting here Friday voted to sign a contract for the purchase of the Chicago & Alton railway from the Rock Island interests, in accordance with the agreement that such should be done provided the Alton received immunity in connection with the Standard Oil rebating investigation. Attorney General Bonaparte recently announced that such immunity would be granted.

Before the directors acted, a committee submitted an exhaustive report of the physical condition of the road, which was declared to be highly satisfactory.

The old Chicago & Alton board will probably meet during the coming week and resign in a body, after which the new interest will assume formal control. It is expected that some unification of the so-called Shonts-Hawley properties, namely the Toledo, St. Louis & Western, Chicago & Alton, Iowa Central and Minneapolis & St. Louis roads, will speedily follow.

It is planned to make direct connections between the Iowa Central and Chicago & Alton and the Toledo, St. Louis & Western road, thereby effecting a link with Minneapolis and St. Louis. This will give the unified system direct lines between Detroit, St. Louis and Kansas City, as well as direct lines between Chicago and Kansas City.

RICHARD WALTON ARRESTED.

Alleged Murderer of Chicago Woman Caught in Springfield.

Springfield, Ill.—Richard Walton, the negro charged with the murder of Mrs. Lillian White Grant in Chicago by strangling her Sept. 18, was arrested Thursday morning and is being held awaiting orders from Chicago.

Walton was picked up on the charge of vagrancy and when taken before the police magistrate was dismissed and ordered out of the city. Before he had left the station, however, he was recognized from a photograph furnished the police, and was rearrested on suspicion. He later admitted that he was Walton.

NO THIRD TERM: ROOT.

Secretary of State Declares Roosevelt Will Not Run.

Little Rock, Ark.—Elihu Root, secretary of state, spent a short time here Friday, en route to the City of Mexico, traveling in the private car "Signet" attached to Iron Mountain train No. 5. When pressed for a political statement, he said: "President Roosevelt will not be a candidate of the Republican party. It is true that from many sections of the country there are coming requests that the president allow his name to be presented to our next national convention, but this will not be the case."

Police Shoot Crap Players.

Pittsburg, Pa.—During a raid Tuesday by the police on a crap game participated in by a number of negroes, the officers opened fire on the men when they ran and Daniel Murphy, 12 years old, white, was fatally shot and Hays Kessler, colored, was shot through the back. The others escaped.

FRISCO WELCOMES SQUADRON.

Four Vessels from Asiatic Station Arrive in Pacific Port.

San Francisco. — The first division of the Pacific fleet, the fore guard of the American navy which is to assemble in Pacific coast waters Thursday or Friday, steamed through the Golden Gate at sunrise Friday morning.

The four armored cruisers passed the Heads in file formation, led by the flagship West Virginia flying at her masthead the two-starred flag of the commander of the fleet, Rear Admiral James H. Dayton. Five hundred yards to the rear came the Colorado, followed at a like distance by the Maryland, and that by the Pennsylvania. The arrival of the four big sister ships marked the end of a 36,000-mile cruise, which began at Newport, R. I., last September.

GETS AFTER OMAHA PACKERS.

Nebraska Food Commissioner Starts Out to Enforce the Law.

Lincoln, Neb. — Food commissioner Johnson is beginning a campaign against the packing houses which are offending against the pure food law. Packages of meat must hereafter have the net weight stamped upon them.

To start his campaign for packages of honest weight, Johnson Wednesday ordered the county attorney of Douglas county to institute proceedings against the South Omaha packing houses. It is found that packages of bacon and ham are wrapped with paper and cloth until five or six per cent. of the stamped weight is thus accounted for. The order is that all Nebraska packers must comply with the law. If outside packers do not, the retailers handling the goods will be held responsible.

AMASA CAMPBELL GUILTY.

Jury, However, Asks Clemency for Slayer of Dr. Harris.

Chicago. — A verdict of manslaughter, with a recommendation to the state board of pardons for extreme clemency, was given by a jury in Judge Windes' court Tuesday evening against Amasa C. Campbell, the lumber dealer of Antigo, Wis., who shot and mortally wounded Dr. Benjamin S. Harris last December in the Stock Exchange building. Campbell suspected Harris of improper relations with the former's wife.

Attached to the verdict was a petition to the state pardon board, signed by every member of the jury, recommending that Campbell be confined in the penitentiary not to exceed the minimum term prescribed by law. This is one year.

President in Capital Again.

Washington.—President Roosevelt arrived here from his summer vacation at Oyster Bay at 5:57 p. m. Wednesday. A large crowd was at the Pennsylvania station to greet him. Postmaster General Meyer, Secretary Straus, Assistant Secretary Murray of the department of commerce and labor and a number of other federal officials met the president at his car and accompanied him to his carriage in Sixth street, where it was surrounded with people who cheered lustily.

Grand Duke of Baden Dying.

Constance, Grand Duchy of Baden, —Grand Duke Frederick, who has been suffering from intestinal inflammation for a week or more, is rapidly growing worse and is not expected to survive long.

THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES
By MEREDITH NICHOLSON
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CHAPTER XXVII.—Continued.

Then they were silent and I heard him futilely striking a match, when suddenly the lantern fell, its wires rattling as it struck the ground, and the two exclaimed with renewed merriment upon their misfortune.

"If you will allow me!" I called out, fumbling in my pocket for my own matchbox.

I have sometimes thought that there is really some sort of decent courtesy to me. An old man caught in a rough path that was none too good at best! And a girl, even though my enemy! But these were not, I fancy, the reflections that crossed my mind at the moment.

"Ah, it's Jack," exclaimed my grandfather. "Marian was showing me the the way to the gate and our light went out."

"Miss Devereux," I murmured. I have, I hope, an icy tone for persons who have incurred my displeasure, and I employed it then and there with, no doubt, its fullest value.

She and my grandfather were groping in the dark for the lost lantern, and I, putting out my hand, touched her ungloved fingers.

"I beg your pardon," she murmured frostily.

Then I found and grasped the lantern.

"One moment," I said, "and I'll see what's the trouble."

I thought my grandfather took it, but the flame of my wax match showed her fingers clasping the wire frame. The cloak slipped away, showing her arm's soft curve, the blue and white of her bodice, the purple blur of violets; and for a second I saw her face, with a smile quivering about her lips. My grandfather was beating the ground impatiently with his stick, urging us to leave the lantern and go on.

"Let it alone," he said. "I'll go down through the chapel; there's a lantern in there somewhere."

"I'm awfully sorry," she said, "but I recently lost my best lantern!"

To be sure she had! I was angry that she should so brazenly recall the night I found her looking for Pickering's notes in the passage at the Door of Bewilderment!

She had lifted the lantern now, and I was striving to touch the wax taper to the wick, with imminent danger to my bare fingers.

"They don't really light well when the oil's out," she observed, with an exasperating air of wisdom.

I took it from her hand and shook it close to my ear.

"Yes; of course, it's empty," I muttered disdainfully, and threw it from me.

"Oh, Mr. Glenarm!" she cried, turning away toward my grandfather.

I heard his stick beating the rough path several yards away. He was hastening toward Glenarm House.

"I think Mr. Glenarm has gone home."

"Oh, that is too bad!" she exclaimed.

"Thank you! He's probably at the chapel by this time. If you will permit me—"

"Not at all!"

A man in the sixties should not tax his arteries too severely. I was quite sure that my grandfather ran up the chapel steps; I could hear his stick beating hurriedly on the stones.

"If you wish to go farther"—I began.

I was indignant at my grandfather's conduct; he had deliberately run off, leaving me alone with a young woman whom I had resolved never to see again.

"Thank you; I shall go back now. I was merely walking to the gate with Mr. Glenarm. It is so fine to have him back again, so unbelievable!"

It was just such a polite murmur as one might employ in speaking to an old foe at a friend's table.

She listened a moment for his step; then, apparently satisfied, turned back toward St. Agatha's. I followed, uncertain, hesitating, marking her definite onward flight. From the folds of her cloak stole the faint perfume of violets. The sight of her, the sound of her voice, combined to create—and to destroy!—a mood with every step.

I was seeking some colorless thing to say when she spoke over her shoulder:

"You are very kind, but I am not the least afraid, Mr. Glenarm."

"But there is something I wish to say to you, now that we have met. I should like—"

She slackened her step.

"Yes."

"I am going away."

"Yes; of course; you are going away."

Her tone implied that this was something that had been ordained from the beginning of time, and did not matter.

"And I wish to say a word about Mr. Pickering," I added.

She paused and faced me abruptly. We were at the edge of the wood, and the school lay quite near. She caught the cloak closer about her and gave her head a little toss I remembered well, as a trick compelled by the vagaries of woman's headdress.

"I can't talk to you here, Mr. Glenarm; I had no intention of ever seeing you again; but I must say this to you—"

"Those notes of Pickering's—I shall ask Mr. Glenarm to give them to you—as a mark of esteem from me."

She stepped backward as though I had struck her.

"You risked much for them—and for him—" I went on.

"Mr. Glenarm, I have no intention of discussing that, or any other matter with you—"

"It is better so—"

"But your accusations, the things you imply, are unjust, infamous!"

The quaver in her voice shook my resolution to deal harshly with her.

"If I had not myself been a witness—" I began.

"Yes; you have the conceit of your own wisdom, I dare say."

"But that challenge to follow you, to break my pledge; my running away, only to find that Pickering was close at my heels; your visit to the tunnel in search of those notes—don't you know that those things were a blow that hurt? You had been the spirit of this woodland to me. Through all these months, from the hour I watched you paddle off into the sunset in your canoe, the thought of you made the days brighter—steadied and cheered me, and awakened ambitions that I had forgotten—abandoned—long ago. And this hideous struggle here—it seems so idle, so worse than useless now! But I'm glad I followed you—I'm glad neither fortune nor duty kept me back. And now I want you to know that Pickering shall not suffer for anything that has happened. I shall not punish him; for your sake he shall go free."

A sigh so deep that it was like a sob broke from her. She thrust forth her hand entreatingly.

"Why don't you go to him with your generosity? You are so ready to believe ill of me! And I shall not defend myself; but I will say these things to you, Mr. Glenarm: I had no idea, no thought of seeing him at the Armstrong's,—it was a surprise to me—and to them—when he telegraphed he was coming. And when I went into the tunnel there under the wall that night, I had a purpose—a purpose—"

"Yes?" She paused and I bent forward, earnestly waiting for her words, knowing that here lay her great offending.

"I was afraid—I was afraid that Mr. Glenarm might not come in time; that you might be dispossessed—lose the fight, and I came back with Mr. Pickering because—that was the easiest and quickest way—and I thought some dreadful thing might happen here—to you—"

She turned and ran from me with the speed of the wind, the cloak fluttering out darkly about her. At the door, under the light of the lamp, I was close upon her. Her hand was on the vestibule latch.

"But how should I have known?" I cried, "when you had taunted me with my imprisonment at Glenarm: you had dared me to follow you. If you can tell me—if there is an answer to that—"

"I shall never tell you anything—more! You were so eager to think ill of me—to accuse me!"

"It was because I love you; it was my jealousy of that man, my boyhood enemy, that made me catch at any doubt! You are so beautiful—you are so much a part of the peace, the charm of all this! I had hoped for spring—for you and the spring together!"

"Oh, please—!"

Her flight had shaken the toque to an unwonted angle; her breath came quick and hard as she tugged at the latch eagerly. The light from overhead was full upon us, but I could not go with hope and belief struggling unsatisfied in my heart. I seized her hands and sought to look into her eyes.

"But you challenged me—to follow you! I want to know why you did that!"

She drew away, struggling to free herself.

"Why was it, Marian?"

"Because I wanted—"

"Yes?"

"I wanted you to come, Squire Glenarm!"

My history of the affair at Glenarm has overrun the bounds I had set for it, and these, I submit, are not days for the desk and pen. Marian is turning over the sheets of manuscript that lie at my left elbow and demanding that I quit work for a walk abroad. My grandfather is pacing the terrace outside, planning, no doubt, those changes in the grounds that are his constant delight.

Of some of the persons concerned in this winter's tale let me say a word more. The prisoner whom Larry left behind we discharged after several days with all the honors of war, and (I may add without breach of confidence) a comfortable indemnity. Larry has made a reputation by his book on Russia—a searching study into the conditions of the Czar's empire, and, having squeezed that lemon, he is now in Tibet. His father has secured from the British government a promise of immunity for Larry, so long as that amiable adventurer keeps away from Ireland. My friend's latest letters to me contain, I note, no reference to The Sod.

Bates is in California conducting a fruit ranch, and when he visited us last Christmas he bore all the marks of a gentleman whom the world uses well. Stoddard's life has known many remarkable changes in the three years that have passed, but they must wait for another day, and, perhaps, another historian. Suffice it to say that it was he who married us—Marian and me—in the little chapel by the wall, and that when he comes now and then to visit us, we renew our impression of him as a man large of body and of soul. Sister Theresa continues at the head of St. Agatha's, and she and the other Sisters of her brown-clad company are delightful neighbors. Pickering's failure and subsequent disappearance were described sufficiently in the newspapers, and his name is never mentioned at Glenarm.

As for myself—Marian is tapping the floor restlessly with her boot and I must hasten—I may say that I am no idler. It was I who carried on the work of finishing Glenarm House, and I manage the farms which my grandfather has lately acquired in this neighborhood. But better still, from my own point of view, I maintain in Chicago an office as consulting engineer, and I have already had several important commissions.

Glenarm House is now what my grandfather had wished to make it, a beautiful and dignified mansion. He insisted on filling up the tunnel, so that the Door of Bewilderment is no more. The passage in the wall and the strong box in the paneling of the chimney-breast remain, though the latter we use now as a hiding place for certain prized bottles of rare whisky which John Marshall Glenarm ordains shall be taken down only on Christmas Eves, to drink the health of Olivia Gladys Armstrong. That young woman, I may add, is now a belle in her own city, and of the scores of youngsters all the way from Pittsburg to New Orleans who lay siege to her heart, my word is, may the best man win!

Marian—the most patient of women—is walking toward the door, eager for the sunshine, the free airs of spring, the blue vistas lakeward, and at last I am ready to go.

The End.

"I Wanted You to Come, Squire Glenarm?"

CHANGES COLOR OF EYES.

Remarkable Peculiarity Discovered in Javanese Spider.

M. W. Strickland of Singapore recently had a strange experience while sitting in a garden at Buitenzorg, Java. Watching a captive spider remarkable for the possession of a pair of eyes which glow like gig lamps amid a cluster of smaller eyes, he was amazed to note that the "gig lamps" slowly changed in color from brown to grass green and back again to brown!

Further, as if to increase his astonishment, the creature proceeded to change the color of its eyes alternately, thereby exercising a most uncanny fascination over the mere man. There was something so diabolically deliberate in these changes as to make it seem that the rector took a genuine pride in the performance.

The offer of a substantial reward for other specimens of the same species proved unavailing, but it was instrumental in bringing to light a second species, of a grass green color slashed with yellow, which proved in every way as great an expert in the gentle art of ogling as its somberly colored relative.

So far as is known, this change in the color of the eyes occurs only in certain species of ducks, and then only under the influence of fear, while in the spider world it would appear to be almost voluntary.

When the Disease Let Go.

An old man was just recovering from an operation, and as he lay regaining consciousness he heard the doctor say to a nurse, regarding some powders to be given him: "If one every hour is too much give him a half one every half hour." The old gentleman raised himself up on his elbow and said:

"Say, doc, that reminds me of a man that had a Newfoundland dog. His wife got so tired of having him (the dog, not the man) track up the floors and porches that finally she made her husband take the dog to town and sell him. That afternoon he returned radiant. 'Well,' he said, 'I've sold him for $25!' 'Good,' cried his wife. 'I can get that hat now.' 'But,' continued the man, 'I bought two puppies with the money.'"

The doctor looked at the nurse and said:

"I think he'll recover."

P. S.—He did.—Judge's Library.

Western Hustle.

In Salt Lake City were several firms which mailed advertising circulars to the farmers of the surrounding country when they had anything new to offer, says the Saturday Evening Post. A bright boy went to these men, and offered to deliver 2,000 such circulars in the rural free delivery mail boxes for five dollars. Six different firms accepted the offer. The lad then went to the printer, and secured a commission of five dollars on the sale of the 12,000 circulars. Next, he started out in a rig which he secured rent free from the livery stable in return for nailing up signs advertising it. The delivery of the circulars took him four days, for which he had received $35—nearly nine dollars a day.

Important People.

Towne—He seems to be quite an important person now.

Browne—You're not telling anything new. He and his family always were important.

Towne—O! come off!

Browne—It's a fact. He started out as a janitor, his brother is a policeman and his sister is a cook-lady.

HOME-MADE REMEDY

INEXPENSIVE AND EASILY PREPARED BY ANYONE.

Is Said to Promptly Relieve Backache and Overcome Kidney Trouble and Bladder Weakness Though Harmless and Pleasant to Take.

What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, as formulated by a noted authority, who claims that he has found a positive remedy to cure almost any case of backache or kidney or bladder derangement, in the following simple prescription, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

A well-known authority, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless, and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy, or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic afflictions with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sickness and suffering. Those who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

KNEW WHAT PAPA SAID.

And It Was Something of a Variation of Old Adage.

Tommy was stubborn and his teacher was having a hard time explaining a small point in the geography lesson.

"Tommy," teacher began, "you can learn this if you make up your mind. It's not one bit smart to appear dull, I know," she continued, coaxingly, "that you are just as bright as any boy in the class. Remember, Tommy, where there's a will there's——"

"Aw," broke in Tommy, "I know all dat, I do. Me fadder's a lawyer, he is, an' I've heard him say it lots o' times."

"You should not have interrupted me," reprimanded the teacher, "but I'm glad that your father has taught you the old adage. Can you repeat it for me?"

"Sure," said Tommy, confidently. "Me fadder says dat where der's a will—der's always a bunch o' poor relations."—Lippincott's.

FURIOUS HUMOR ON CHILD.

Itching, Bleeding Sores Covered Body—Nothing Helped Her—Cuticura Cures Her in Five Days.

"After my granddaughter of about seven years had been cured of the measles, she was attacked about a fornight later by a furious itching and painful eruption all over her body, especially the upper part of it, forming watery and bleeding sores, especially under the arms, of considerable size. She suffered a great deal and for three weeks we nursed her every night, using all the remedies we could think of. Nothing would help. We tried the Cuticura Remedies and after twenty-four hours we noted considerable improvement, and after using only one complete set of the Cuticura Remedies, in five consecutive days the little one, much to our joy, had been entirely cured, and has been well for a long time. Mrs. F. Ruefenacht, R. F. D. No. 3, Bakersfield, Cal., June 25 and July 20, 1906."

"Mere Man."

It is not the ideal man that woman has to live with. The worst service she can do the actual man is to expect too much of him. Do not treat him as important or magnificent, or anything of that kind. He has no abilities for the part. There is nothing great about man. He is human. Which is a comfortable thing day by day so long as you treat him properly.—The Newsletter.

With a smooth iron and Defiance Starch, you can launder your shirtwaist just as well at home as the steam laundry can; it will have the proper stiffness and finish, there will be less wear and tear of the goods, and it will be a positive pleasure to use a Starch that does not stick to the iron.

As to the Scorchers.

"Do many 'endurance race' autos pass here?" asked the city boarder, peering down the road. "Yeas, stranger," replied the old farmer. "They are all endurance racers to us." "To you?" "Sure. It is an endurance test of patience to keep from blazing away at them every time they run over a cow or scare a horse."

DO YOU KNOW

That we are showing the finest millinery at lowest prices? We have the prettiest and most stylish hats ever shown also silks, velvets, corsets, waists and a fine line of stamped goods. Miss Weismann who is in charge of the trimming department comes highly recommended. She is well experienced in her profession and is sure to please.

MRS. JOHN JOSTEN.

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FLOUR FEED SALT

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CALL IN **J.W.WATERMAN**

Goodell and Vicinity.

W. H. Monaghen lost a valuble horse Monday.

L. E. Avery is having an extensive job of tiling done on his farm.

Messrs. Geo and Charles Ruka have gone to Wisconsin to visit with relatives.

Mr. Tuttle and wife of Wilhams, spent Sunday at the home of L. E. Avery.

Mr. Brennan returned from Colorado Tuesday where he has been for the past week.

Mr. Greenfield and wife are to have a public sale next week. They expect to go to California to spend the winter.

John Dominy returned from Texas where he has been land seeking. Klemme may have their "Texas Bill" but Goodell has got a "Texas Jack."

Ell Center.

A friend from Ohio, has been visiting Lew Kuck and wife.

Cloyd and Charlie Lawhorn went to the Lake Wednesday to hunt and fish.

Mrs. Groesbeck returned from her visit at Iowa City.

Mrs. Haskin spent a few days this week with Mrs. Hod Lawhorn.

Mrs. Braund spent several days last week with her daughter near Forest City.

W. L. Lawhorn and wife left Wednesday for Storm Lake where they will visit a few days before returning to their home at Lena, Ill. Miss Hazel Lawhorn went with them and will spend the winter a d attend school at Lena.

AFFLICTED WITH SORE EYES FOR 33 YEARS

I have peen afflicted with sore eyes for 33 years. Thirteen years a.o I be came totally blind and was blind for six years. My eyes were badly inflamed. One of my neighbors insisted upon my trying Chamberlain's salve and gave me half a box of it. To my surprise it healed my eyes and my sight came back to me.—P C Earls, Cynthiana, Ky. Chamberlain's salve for sale by J L Harr & Co drug store.

New Decorative Idea.

The hostes who wishes something different is asked to try using striped and fancy grasses, rushes and little wild foliage plants that grow in damp places and along streams. A table can be made very pretty with these using no flowers. Try it.

Something New.

Just received a consignment of J. R. Watkins' Stock Dip which is good for all animals. Every farmer should use it.

1 Dr. C. W. Stiehl.

HIS DEAR OLD MOTHER.

My dear old mother who is now 83 years old thrives on Electric Bitters writes W B Brunson of Dublin, Ga. She has taken them for about 2 years and enjoys an excellent appetite feels strong and sleeps well. That's the way electric bitters affect the aged and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weaknes and general debility. Weak puny children to are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach. liver and kidney troubles by J L Harr & Co druggists, 50c,

Avery Center Wedding Bells.

Last Monday, sept. 20th Dan Cupid by his cunning evaded the many friends and hied away to Mason City two of our prominent young folks Martha Bachman and George Griggs to be united in marriage.

The ceremony uniting the two hearts as one was performed by Rev. Carlton of the *M.* E. parsonage of Mason City and from here the young couple departed upon their honey moon to the Twin Cities where they expect to spend a few days and then return home. Mr. George Griggs is one of our prosperous farmer and fur buyer and has made a marked success in his line of business while Martha Bachman is one of our best young ladies and who is liked by every one with whom she comes in contact. We predict a very happy home and the future is very bright for this young couple We are pleased to extend our heartiest congratulations and best wishes.

A CERTAIN CURE FOR CROUP

Used for ten years without a failure.

W C Bott a star City, ind. hardware merchant is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's cough remedy. His children have all been subject to croup and he has used this remedy for the past 10 years and though they much feared the croup his wife and he always felt safe upon retiring when a bottle of Chamberlain's cough remedy was in the house. His oldest child was subject to severe attacks of croup but this remedy never failed to effect a speedy cure. He has recommended it to friends and neighbors and all who have used it say that it is unequaled for croup and whooping cough. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

Avery Center.

Harry Behringer spent Sunday at home.

Ella Christie is helping Mrs. David Ross with house work.

Lizzie Christie was an over Sunday visitor with her sister Mrs. Juel Nolte.

Chris. Hansen has quit his route of hauling cream, he says it does not pay.

Mr. Behringer and family took dinner with John Hartfelder and family Sunday.

Mr. Sherwood and wife enjoyed a visit from his father and mother of Iowa Falls last week.

Mr. G. W. Griggs and Miss Martha Bachman were married Monday, Sept. 30th. Best wishes go with them.

HARD TIMES IN KANSAS

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today, although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's new discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me. The safest and most reliable cough and cold cure and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. drug store, 50c and $1 00. Triul bottle free.

If Rip Van Winkle

came to Klemme and went to sleep for 20 years on "Ludeke's Hill", he would freeze to death before the first year was passed, and no one would pity the lazy fool.

But say, *Mr.* Farmer! You and your family have not been lazy. You have worked hard all summer and we don't want you or your family to suffer from the cold or even get "cold feet"—therefore

Prepare for Winter.

Your wife may need—
new blankets for some of the beds, a new woolen dress for herself or a pair of warm lined shoes.

Your son may need—
a new suit of clothes, a cravanette. an overcoat, a duck coat, a sheep lined coat, high shoes or German sox.

Your daughter may need—
a new cloak or a nice fur or warm lined shoes.

The baby need—
a stocking cap or a pussy hood.

The whole family will need—
underwear, stockings, caps and mittens, overshoes and leggings.

The "Boss" himself may need—
a cardigan jacket or a raccoon coat

The place to buy winter clothing is at Wellemeyer's

We are located in a small town where taxes are low and expenses small. That's why we sell as we do, and

SATISFY EVERY CUSTOMER.

Arthur Wellemeyer.

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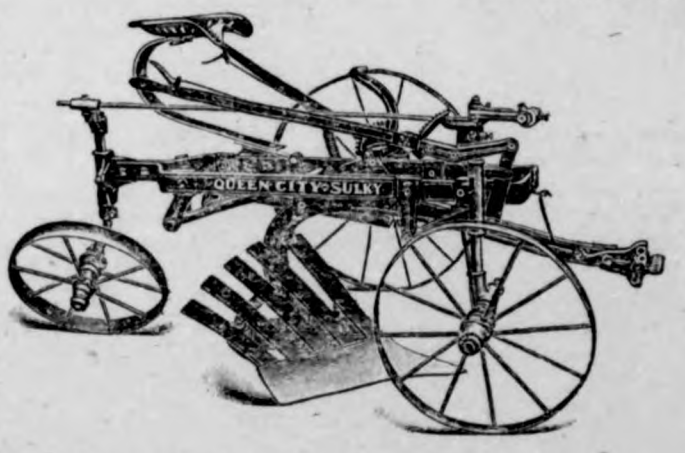

We have several varieties of plows on hand. Guaranteed to do good work. Will be sold at bottom prices. Corn harvesters, manure spreaders, oils of all kinds, wind mills, Anchor buggies.

We pay highest market price for poultry, delivered to us every Thursday.

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Cream No. 1	27
Eggs fresh	18
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Corn	50 to 55c
Oats	40 to 44c
Wheat	80 to 90c
Barley	40 to 60c
Hay	5 00 to 7.00
Hogs	5.00 5.50
Cattle	3.00 to 4.50

LOCAL NEWS

See Ell Bros. for ice.

Read the market report.

J. D. Bachman of Goodell, was seen on our streets today.

Do not forget that ad of State Savings Bank. Complete change

Cap. E. C. Collins visited old acquaintances in Garner one day last week.

There will be no services in German Reformed church on Sunday, Oct. 6th.

R. Friedman you will notice has a change of ad. Read his card ad on local page.

Thos. Nelson and family moved into their house they recently purchased of Mrs. A. B. Shafer.

Quite a number from Klemme attended the funeral of Mrs. Thos. Fotheringham at Garner Sunday.

Fred Heuschen rented the F. Gruetzmacher dwelling and expects to take possession this fall. We are glad to have Fred with us again

Obstinate cases of consumption and nasty mean headaches promptly disappear when you take DeWitt's little early riser pills. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

We are pleased to mention to our Avery Center subscribers that we have a correspondent from their vicinity which we have been wishing for some time.

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve is good for little burns and big burns small scratches or bruises and big ones. It is healing and soothing and good for piles Sold by J L Harr & Co.

P. M. Griesemer, Cashier has handed us copy for a new ad. this week aad we believe it is one of the best ad's. ever brought before the banking public. Read it.

If you take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills you will get prompt relief from backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder and urinary troubles. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

J. L. Harr left Wednesday for the Twin Cities and from there he will go to Granite Falls, Minn. where he will look after the interests of his farm. He expects to be absent for about two weeks. Arthur Gibbs is in charge of his store.

That Wellemeyer's ad.

Change of ad. State Savings Bank first page.

Mrs. J. Josten had her millinery store reshingled.

Prof. Washburn was at Garner last week Saturday.

F. J. Wenck spent over Sunday at his home in Garner.

Harry Smith took in the Forest City Fair on Wednesday.

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

Mrs. Joe Nissen of Dows, visited with relatives here between trains Friday last week.

There was a dance at the home of M. Haskin on Friday evening last. All report having had a good time.

Wm. Bachmann of Avery Center, remodeled his residence and built an addition to it. He also cemented his cellar.

Mrs. J. Baumgartner after spending a week here with her son John and family, returned to her home at Garner Wednesday.

Rev. Muehlmeier left last week Friday for Maringo where he visited with relatives and from there he left for Louisville, Ky. where the convention of his church is in session.

J. A. Ridenour of Vinton, Ia., visited with his sister Mrs. E. M. Pavey and family over Sunday. Mrs. Pavey returned with him Monday. He is county Recorder of Benton county.

Does your back ache? Do you feel tired and drowsy and lacking in ambition? If so there is something wrong with your kidneys. DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills relieve bacache weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Editor Chas. Nissen of the Crystal Lake Reflector, spent over Sunday with relatives and friends. Chas. says that there is no place like the lake for sport. He is doing well there and we wish him success.

You never have any trouble to get children to take Kennedy's laxative cough syrup They like it because it because it tastes nearly as maple sugar Kennedy's laxative cough syrup is a safe sure and prompt remedy for coughs and colds and is good for every member of the family. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. H. Stiehl of Garnavillo, Iowa, and C. Stiehl and wife of Garner, were the guests of Dr. C. W. Stiehl and family on Monday. Mr. Stiehl is a cousin of our Dr. Stiehl He is a farmer near Garnavillo and a stock raiser of thoroughbred Short-horn cattle. He was well impressed with Klemme and surrounding country.

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some candy cold tablets caled Preventics. Druggists are now dispensing Preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the sneeze stage Preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis, lagrippe, etc. Hence the name preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 Preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5c, Sold by All Dealers.

DIED.—Mrs. Thos. Fotheringham at her home in Garner last week Friday forenoon. The funeral was held on Sunday in the Congregational church and laid to her final rest in the Concord cemetery. She died very suddenly which was a shock to her many friends. She leaves her husband and two sons Joe and Walter to mourn her loss. The entire community is in heart felt sympathy with bereaved family.

It pays to read the ad. of State Savings Bank.

Miss Aggie Blank took in the sights at Garner today.

Wallace Pavey took in the sights at Garner, Saturday.

Get your refrigerater filled with ice regulary by Ell Bros.

C. Albrecht is visiting relatives in the eastern part of the state.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

FOR RENT.—My residence now occupied by Thos. Nelson. It is a six room house with one acre of land, also other good buildings. Rent $7.00 per month.
C. W. Stiehl.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

G. H. Carlson	Klemme
A. L. Spooner	"
W. R. Bloom	"
G. G. Washburn	"

A weak stomach causing dyspepsia a weak heart with palpitation or intermittent pulse always means weak stomach nerves or weak heart nerves. Strenghten these inside or controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's restorative and see how quickly these ailments disappear. Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. will mail samples free. Write for them A test will tell. Your health is certainly worth this simple trial. Sold by All Dealers.

R. E. Webb drove up from Belmond Monday and was posting up his public sale notices which takes place on Friday, Oct. 4th. He has for sale 9 head of horses, 69 head of cattle, 66 head of hogs and farm machinery. Hereafter he expects to devote his entire time to auctioneering. This office received a pleasant call.

Pain anywhere, pain in the head, painful periods. Neuralgia toothache all pains can be promptly stopped by a thoroughly safe little pink candy tablet known by druggists as Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Pain means congestion—undue blood pressure at the point where pain exists. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets equalize this unnatural blood pressure and pain immediately departs. Write Dr. Shoop Racine, Wis. and get a free trial package. Large box 25c—Druggists. All Dealers.

J. W. Scott who purchased the Nissen blacksmith shop arrived from Garrison on Wednesday and opened up for business on Thursday. He is a pleasant gentleman to meet and a share of your patronage will be appreciated. Mrs. Geo. Nissen and daughter Mabel returned to their home at Titonka Wednesday.

Thomas A Edison the great American inventor says: Fully eighty per cent of illness of man comes from eating improper food or to much food, people are inclined to over-indulge themselves. This is where indigestion finds its beginning in nearly every case. The stomach can do just so much work and no more and when you overload it or when you eat the wrong food the digestive organs can not possibly do the work demanded of them. It is at such times that the stomach needs help, it demands help and warns you by headaches, belching sour stomach, nausea and indigestion. You should attend to this at once by taking something that will actually do the work for the stomach. Kodol will do this. It is a combination of natural digestants and vegetable acids and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. It is pleasant to take. It digests what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The Rock Island System have a change of ad.

Geo. Waterman and family drove to Garner, Sunday.

G. W. Kluckhohn and wife drove to Garner last week Friday

J. H. H. Stiehl of Garnavillo, Iowa, is a new subscriber to The Times.

R. Friedman of Goodell, was here on business matters last week Friday.

Mrs. Muehlmeier and her sister Mrs. Gatterman were at Garner Wednesday.

W. R. Bloom was at Dows over Sunday looking after the interests of his farm.

Sheriff John Suurballe of Garner, was doing legal business in this vicinity on Monday.

Miss Winnie Walsh and her brothers Frank and Fred spent over Sunday with the M. Haskin family.

In our local of G. I. Schaper realizing 1900 bushels of oats from 65 acres should have been from 55 acres.

Mrs. Geo. Waterman and daughter visited with Chas. Behrens and family at Garner Friday of last week.

PAY UP.—Those owing me on account for machinery and twine are requested to pay up at once.
H. Lau & Son.

Mrs. Hans Nissen and daughter of Lehigh arrived Thursday last week and is visiting with her sister Mrs. J. Baumgartner.

Mrs. H. Griesemer and her daughter Mrs. Stiehl visited with T. M. Hamilton and family on Sunday, returning on Monday. This office also received a pleasant call.

We wish to say to our correspondents that if they are in want of writing material to call at this office as we will be more than pleased to supply you with some. It is news we want from these localities.

Stomach troubles, heart and kidney ailments can be quickly corrected with a prescription to druggists every where as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The prompt and surprising relief which this remedy immediately brings is due to its restorative action upon the controlling nerves of the stomach, etc. All Dealers.

Last Tuesday afternoon the State Savings Bank examiner very unexpectedly gave our boys in the State Savings Bank a call and expressed his opinion that the affairs of the bank were in excellent condition and that Cashier P. M. Griesemer and Ass't Cash. F. J. Wenck are to be complemented upon their good showing. In the evening of this same day the Board of Directors met being their regular quarterly meeting, and you could tell that they were more than pleased with the present management and the progress made. Mr. H. J. Stille was appointed Director to take the place of M. T. Love who resigned some time ago. This gives the State Savings Bank H. J. Stille, A. E. Katter, Wm. Katter, J. F. Hartfelder, J. E. Johnson, A. Kelly, D. D. Ross, W. R. Bloom and P. M. Griesemer for their present directorate. This surely is an excellent lot of directors and the State Savings Bank can surely be proud of these men.

QUINSY SPRAINS AND SWELLINGS CURED.

In November 1901 I caught cold and had the quinsy. My throat was swollen so I could hardly breathe. I applied Chamberlain's pain balm and it gave me relief in a short time. In two days I was all right says Mrs. L Cousins, Otterburn, Mich. Chamberlain's pain balm is a liniment and is especially valuable for sprains and swellings For sale by J L Harr & Co.

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I am not only in the painting business, but am also prepared to take your pictures. Copying a specialty. Prices reasonable.

JOE MILLER.

ATTENTION!

We buy hogs six days in the week, but want them delivered only on Tuesdays and Saturdays of each week. Highest market price will be paid for hogs and all kinds of grain, also No. 1 hard and soft coal for sale at bottom prices at the North Elevator. Yours for business,

AUG. LAU & SON.

IF

you have any old iron to sell I will be pleased to buy it. I will pay 35c per hundred in cash. Anyone having a load on hand, notify me.
My address is Goodell, Iowa.

K. Friedman.

J. E. BAUMGARTNER
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Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.

Good Bath Room In Connection.

2nd door west of State Savings Bank.

Call in

COL. J. J. WILSON
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Thornton, Iowa, R. F. D.

Best of references. Let me cry your sale. Make your dates with the State Savings Bank.

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Sour Stomach

No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol for dyspepsia does not only relieve indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy helps all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Mr. S. S. Ball, of Ravenswood, W. Va., says:—"I was troubled with sour stomach for twenty years. Kodol cured me and we are now using it in milk for baby."

FOR BACKACHE--WEAK KIDNEYS TRY
DeWITT'S KIDNEY and BLADDER PILLS—Sure and Safe
Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., Chicago

Sold by J L Harr & Co.

DES MOINES LETTER

Items of Interest From Our Correspondent at the State Capital.

Corporations in Stampede.

Des Moines.—Since the announcement from the office of the attorney general that corporations will be prosecuted that do not obey the law and since the filing of the suit in the Appanoose district court against the Centerville Light and Traction company, the corporations have begun to take some recognition of the fact that there is a law in Iowa. In fact there is something of a stampede on the part of many corporations to get an audience with the attorney general. They are making the proposition that hereafter they will obey the law of the land if no suits are brought against them for past offenses.

Under the law of this state a corporation is liable to a fine of $100 a day for every day that it does business in the state without having filed a certified copy of its articles of incorporation. A corporation filing a certified copy now does not relieve itself of liability to fine for the days during which it was doing business without its articles having been filed here, and the treasury of the state of Iowa is liable to be enriched by many hundreds of thousands of dollars by suits to follow.

Every corporation is prepared to make the defense that it is engaged in manufacturing and for that reason is exempt. The state law provides that corporations engaged in manufacturing or merchandise need not comply. The Western Union and the Postal telegraph companies can hardly claim to be manufacturing companies and they owe the state something like $1,000,000. The Centerville company is engaged in making electric light and gas and in running a street railway. In the suit the attorney general will maintain that the principal business is the street car end of the business and that it is therefore not a manufacturing company in the meaning of the law and is not exempt. If it is exempt it is argued that the telegraph companies are equally exempt, for they generate electricity in sending telegrams.

Attorney General Byers is confident that the Iowa law is good and that it will be proven so in court. He is confident that the case started will be won and if they are won the state treasury will be enriched.

Crime Caused By Cigarettes.

Iowa's state board of parole has officially declared that the smoking of cigarettes leads to crime and has promulgated a new rule to the effect that paroled prisoners shall not smoke the "coffin nails".

Any prisoner out on parole who yields to the temptation to roll a "pill" will be wafted back to the prison walls. This decision on the part of the board follows a considerable study of cigarette smoking and leads to a decision on the part of the board that cigarette smoking weakens the mentality and stunts the growth of discriminative qualities, allowing full growth to the criminal nature. This theory which has been asserted by eminent doctors and denied by others, is held by Dr. J. M. Emert of Atlantic, member of the board of parole, and the new edict has been issued.

Before the rule was promulgated statistics were compiled and it is claimed that in nearly all cases where convicts were returned for crimes committed while out on parole they had been cigarette smokers.

Favor Indeterminate Law.

Judges of Iowa courts are indorsing the indeterminate sentence law, generally, and to date Judge F R Gaynor of LeMars is the only one who has criticised it. He is quoted by the Sioux City Journal as attacking the law on the theory that under it the influential man is more likely to get a short term in prison than the one who has no influence and for the reason that whereas accused persons hitherto have consented to plead guilty in consideration of light sentences, they will now stand trial invariably, having thus a chance to get clear altogether and in any event having to serve but a short sentence. The new law makes more work for the county attorneys whose salaries were pushed up several notches last winter by the legislature.

Plan School For Boys.

A boarding school for boys in or near Des Moines is now being considered by the Sisters of Charity. To secure the necessary grounds and erect the buildings it would mean an outlay of from $100,000 to $150,000. It is likely that Mother Vincent will have charge of the project. Father Flavin of St. Ambrose church is heartily in favor of the plan and says that there would be no difficulty in filling the institution, as people come to him frequently inquiring for just such a school. The home would probably be established a distance from Des Moines, on the interurban line, and boys between the ages of 6 and 12 years would be taken.

Former Insane Unjustly Treated.

Dr. M. N. Voldeng, superintendent for the "after-cure" of the insane Cherokee, has worked out a system for the "after-cure" of the insane who are discharged from the state hospitals, and the state board of control is considering the feasibility of pushing its organization.

It is proposed that a state society be formed, consisting of seven residents of Des Moines, holding monthly meetings and having the usual officers. This head Dr. Voldeng would have appoint subcommittees for each hospital district, each composed of four members, consisting of a manager, secretary and two agents.

The real work of the organization would be accomplished through the district boards. Dr. Voldeng's idea as to their province in his own words is this:

"This plan, I believe, would prove highly practical. I have devised it after a careful study of our needs, and the work of similar organizations in England, France, Switzerland and New York in this country. The work must be philanthropic at first. Subsequently, when its value has been demonstrated, state aid may be obtained.

"The lot of most persons discharged from hospitals for the insane is much harder than that of nonafflicted persons. Insanity is not understood by the people. There is a terrible and unjust prejudice against the victims of it. Leaving the hospitals they are more or less shunned and ostracized, and tend to sink to a lower strata than they formerly occupied. They are severely handicapped in every way, socially and in business. This adds to their already shaken mentality the fatal burden of worry and resentment. Probably their occupation, when they leave the hospital, is what they can get, and is not congenial, and still another handicap is added. All of this is a burden which they cannot bear, and the result is they are forced back into the institutions. Would it not be better if we were to give them proper care after they leave the institutions and make it possible for them to improve instead of loading them with handicaps which are bound to send them back to the hospital?"

State Looks Into Corporation Taxes.

The state executive council has sent a letter to auditors of counties along the line of the Burlington and the Humeston & Shenandoah railroads asking them to forward informations relative to trouble about collecting taxes on the telegraph lines along these roads. It desires this information for use at a hearing to be had Oct. 12 at the governor's office, when the Western Union Telegraph company and the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railway company are cited to appear. The auditors are asked to report upon each assessment from 1902 to the present time, advising whether anything has been paid and by whom.

The executive council is still under injunction restraining the certification of the assessment upon the telegraph lines along the main line and the Humeston & Shenandoah branch of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railway line. One case affecting this valuation has recently been decided by the supreme court, and there is a possibility that the council may yet certify to auditors, a little later, an assessment covering the past years from 1902 to the present. County auditors along these lines where trouble has been experienced in getting a valuation or placing the same upon the tax books, or where legal steps have been taken to prevent the collection of the tax are urged to write the council all about it.

Benzoate of Soda Tabooed.

H. R. Wright, state dairy and food commissioner, has received a ruling from the federal department of agriculture stating that in the opinion of the board which is charged with the enforcement of the pure food law, benzoate of soda is a harmful preservative, but that its use will be permitted in quantities not greater than one-tenth of 1 per cent in the 1907 pack of all foods in which its use has been common. The decision indicates that after this year benzoate of soda goes on the tabooed list.

This decision will settle a long fought controversy between food commissioners and manufacturers. Benzoate of soda is used in all catsup to the per centage of one-tenth of 1 per cent, and it has been strenuously asserted that it was necessary as a preservative. Authorities equally eminent disagreed as to its qualities, but the decision of the board of agriculture will set all questions at rest from a commercial standpoint.

As a result only the best tomatoes can be used in catsup after the use of the sodium benzoate is discontinued, and the product will have to be put up in small bottles, as it will not keep long without preservatives.

TABLE DELICACIES

RECIPES FOR BOTH NEW AND OLD DISHES.

To Prepare Unfermented Grape Juice—Canned Grape Juice With Sugar—Raisine Marmalade Is an Idea from France.

Unfermented Grape Juice.—Wash and pick over sound Concord grapes, rejecting all that are soft. Put in a stone jar and place this in a boiler, with cold water to nearly the depth of the jar. With a wooden spoon crush lightly when they begin to cook, at the same time pushing the grapes from the top of the jar toward the bottom. Cook about two hours or until the grapes are all softened. Then pour into a large bag to drain. Do not press or squeeze or the juice will be cloudy. Have ready perfectly clean and well sterilized bottles with the patent china or metal tops. If you do not have these, be sure your corks are new, soaking them first in cold water so they can be pressed in tightly. Reheat the juice to the boiling point, cook steadily half an hour, removing the scum as it rises to the surface. Turn into the hot bottles and seal air-tight.

Canned Grape Juice With Sugar.—Put the grapes, washed and sorted, into a preserving kettle and add a little cold water, but not enough to cover. Cook slowly until the skins break, mashing and stirring from time to time with a wooden spoon. When softened and at the boiling point, pour into a new coarse jelly bag to drain. Measure the juice and to each quart allow a quarter-pound granulated sugar. Boil again four minutes, turn into hot sterilized bottles and seal while hot.

Raisine.—To make this famous French marmalade allow an equal weight of grapes, cook in a little water until soft, then press through a colander to remove the seeds. Add the pears, cored and sliced, and simmer until thick, stirring almost constantly. When thick, sweeten to taste, scald, strain through a colander and can.

Grape Relish.—Pick from the stems seven pounds of grapes, rather underripe, and put the skins in a preserving kettle over the fire with just enough water to prevent their burning. Place the pulp in another kettle and cook until the seeds loosen. Press through a sieve and add to the skins with a half pint of vinegar, three pounds of sugar and a teaspoonful each cloves, allspice and cinnamon. Boil until thick. This is fine to serve with game or roast meats.

Bridal Souvenirs.

Among the newest and prettiest souvenirs for the bride to present her maids is a small brooch of enamel that looks exactly like a bunch of autumn leaves. On one of the leaves a tiny diamond that looks like a drop of dew is set; the enamel gives the rich coloring of the gold and russet and crimson of fall foliage. The little brooch costs about $12 and is very new.

Another is a charming little bangle, a heart-shaped locket in gold, left quite plain for the date of the wedding, and a place inside for the bride's picture. These are also intended as souvenirs from the bride to her maids.

Macaroon Dessert.

A delicious sweet to offer at luncheon is made of whipped cream and macaroons. Use the rich cream that is of the proper consistency to whip well. Sweeten and whip until stiff. Get maccaroons that have been kept about two days and roll them until they are crumbled finely, but not powdered. Stir enough of them with the whipped cream to give it a delicate brown color. This should be served heaped in dainty cups, as, while it makes a most delectable compound, it is altogether too rich to be taken in any but the most moderate quantities.

Snow Pudding.

Soak one-fourth box of gelatine in one-fourth cup of cold water until soft, then add one-half cup boiling water, one cup sugar, juice of two lemons, whites of three eggs beaten stiff. Set in cold place to harden and when ready to serve pour around it the following sauce, also cold. Yolks of three eggs beaten until light, three teaspoonfuls of sugar, one-half spoonful salt, one pint hot milk, one-half teaspoonful vanilla. Cook together until slightly thickened—about five minutes.

Inexperienced Cook's Guide.

A good rule for a young housekeeper in cooking vegetables is that all vegetables that grow above the ground should be put on to cook in boiling water; all that grow below the ground, except new potatoes, in cold water.

French Eggplant.

Slice an eggplant and fry each slice brown. Put a layer of them while hot in a baking dish, add a layer of cheese and then one of white sauce, until the dish is full, with cheese last. Brown in the oven.

HOUSE CLEANING IN FALL.

Cellar Is One Important Point to Be Considered.

The house does not get so dirty during the summer that a general upheaval is necessary for fall house cleaning, though there is one place where the greatest attention must be given, and that is in the cellar. Damp days, together with the decaying vegetables and fruits stored in the cellar and the unavoidable dirt which is certain to accumulate, makes it really necessary to hang up a red light in that apartment unless the cellar is properly cleaned during the fall. Often the cleanest house will have a cellar in the most disreputable condition with spoiled fruits, vegetables and the like, making it a hotbed of diseases. Have the cellar walls swept and liberally whitewashed, clean the floor and sprinkle with lime. Every box, cupboard and hoarding place should be thoroughly cleaned with hot water and soap. If there is any perceptible dampness, the cellar should be aired, if possible, and often this can be overcome by burning a small gas or oil stove in the cellar for one day. No difference how nicely one may prepare canned fruits and preserves, if the cellar is in a damp condition everything will mold and in many cases sour and spoil. One day's work, even though it be arduous labor, will save the summer's work represented in the canned fruits, jellies, etc.

CARE OF WAXED FLOORS.

Pure Turpentine the Best Thing With Which to Clean Them.

Those who have waxed floors in their dwellings know, according to Indoors and Out, how invaluable turpentine is in cleaning them. With sandpaper or steel wool, dipped in turpentine, the blackest coating, which is apt to accumulate in winter on waxed floors not frequently polished, can be easily and quickly removed; and a washing with turpentine does much to brighten up any waxed floor, preparatory to the application of a light fresh coat of wax and polishing with the weighted brush. As with all other painters' materials, however, turpentine is shamefully adulterated, and care must be taken to get only the best and purest from some thoroughly reliable dealer. The usual adulterant is cheap benzine, and as benzine turns good floor wax a dirty white, turpentine so adulterated has an injurious effect on the floor. The floor "waxes" made with tallow show less effect from adulterated turpentine, but the wise householder will use only those floor waxes made with bee's wax and turpentine, with a little paraffine, but no tallow.

Onion Soup.

Six onions, slice them, put in frying pan with a little butter, fry to a golden brown, then add a teaspoon of flour; let this get a nice brown, then pour one pint of beef or chicken broth over it. Boil four minutes, put into pudding pan. Put two slices bread on top, sprinkle with parmesan cheese, then a little melted butter over the cheese. Put in oven, let it brown, serve with a little parmesan cheese in separate dish. Fine. It must be served in dish it is baked in. Parmesan cheese comes in bottles all grated.

Dark Fruit Cake.

Two eggs, one cup of sugar, one-half cup molasses, one-half cup butter, one-half cup milk, one-half teaspoon of soda, one cup of black coffee (or good without), one-fourth pound of raisins, one-fourth pound of currants, one-fourth pound of citron, one teaspoon of all kinds of spices, two and one-half cups of flour. Make one loaf. Bake two hours in moderate oven. I mix the soda, flour (sifted) together and then roll the fruit in it to prevent falling at the bottom, pinch of salt. Small seedless raising are preferable. Large ones should be chopped.

A Chocolate Affair.

Chocolate now is served at afternoon functions where tea once was considered the only proper beverage. At a charming afternoon affair given by a girl who had become tired of the beaten track of the usual "teas" the refreshments served were composed almost entirely of the chocolate variety. There were cups of hot chocolate with whipped cream, thin bread and butter sandwiches, with olives for a relish; this of course was followed by a chocolate ice, fancy chocolate cakes and chocolate bonbons.

Hickory Nut Pie.

Mix thoroughly one cup of sugar, one-half cup of bread crumbs, two-thirds cup of hickory nut kernels and one tablespoon of flour. Fill pastry, cover with sweet milk; drop a few chunks of butter over the top and bake.

Irish Lace Loses Favor.

Irish lace, also the variety known as baby Irish lace is not as popular this season as in the last few years. It has been replaced by a loose netted filet lace of heavy flat texture.

PROLIFIC GARDEN

ENGLISHMAN'S FIRST AND SUCCESSFUL ATTEMPTS IN MANITOBA—SOIL PRODUCES STRIKING RESULTS.

The Winnipeg (Canada) Free Press of a few days since contains account of the success that followed the efforts of William Knowles, an Englishman who located near Winnipeg, Manitoba. This is but one of many letters giving experiences of settlers, and should be encouraging to those who are looking about for a new home in which they may better their conditions. The following is a copy of the article referred to:

William Knowles, who cultivates some twelve acres of land just below Middlechurch ferry on east side of the Red River has probably as fine a display of horticultural products as any in Manitoba. The whole of his holding is in a high state of cultivation and literally crowded with splendid vegetable specimens, which have fortunately escaped damage by hail, although heavy storms have more than once occurred within a few miles. The potatoes are a wonderful crop, and he expects to raise 1,500 bushels from his patch of 4½ acres. A half dozen of tubers selected yesterday average more than a pound each. Adjoining the potatoes may be seen a marvelous collection of tomatoes. There are 600 plants, all growing under an enormous weight of fruit. One single stock picked yesterday contained eighteen tomatoes and weighed four pounds. This extraordinary example of marvelous growth, together with some of the potatoes were sent to the Free Press office.

The proprietor was the first in town with several specimens, including green corn. The season has been favorable for onions, and one square patch of nearly an acre is looking remarkably healthy. In addition there are good crops of cabbages, cauliflower, turnips, parsnips, carrots, pumpkins, marrows, cucumbers, celery, peas, lettuce, rhubarb, etc. The floral department has not been neglected and a charming display of all the well known blooms were shown, including a specially choice lot of asters.

Mr. Knowles, who gained most of his gardening experience in England, is loud in his praise of Manitoba soil for vegetable raising, and is gratified with the result of his first attempt at extensive horticulture.

On Wit and Humor.

Man is the only animal that laughs and weeps, for he is the only animal that is struck with the difference between what things are and what they ought to be. We weep at what thwarts or exceeds our desires in serious matters; we laugh at what only disappoints our expectations in trifles. We shed tears from sympathy with real and necessary distress; as we burst into laughter from want of sympathy with that which is unreasonable and unnecessary, the absurdity of which provokes our spleen or mirth, rather than serious reflections on it.—William Hazlitt.

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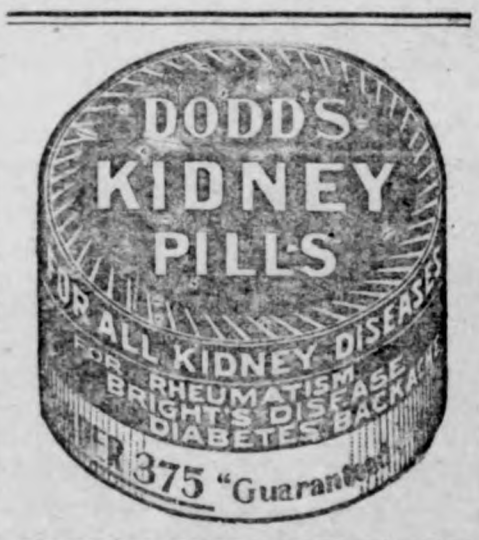

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CANDLES FOR DINNER TABLE.

Tallow Dips Will Answer the Purpose if Properly Prepared.

Candles add so much to the appearance of the dinner table that housekeepers should use them even more generally than is now the custom.

Often the expense proves a drawback, as these charming lights have a way of burning out very quickly.

When wax or prepared candles are used the cost is undoubtedly an item to be considered. The economical woman, however, will not choose these expensive varieties, but will buy instead, the ordinary tallow dips. These if kept in a cold place between meals will burn for three nights.

If these tallow dips are used in the porcelain candleholders they not only may be used longer, but none will know whether they are of the finest or poorest quality.

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Candles of any kind should be kept on the ice for at least 24 hours before being used. It will not only make them burn longer, but more brilliantly.

TO UTILIZE BITS OF SOAP.

It Is Extravagant to Throw Away the Odds and Ends.

Soap left over from the toilet, the laundry and the kitchen is usually considered so much waste. It is thrown out, though probably most housewives have misgivings as to the extravagance of not using the last scrap of an expensive or good soap. But every small piece of soap should be saved. No matter to what tiny dimensions it has been reduced it will help to clean the bathtub and the stationary washstand. This may be accomplished by means of a substantial cotton or woolen bag, which should be about a foot square and made with a drawing string. Into it is dropped from time to time the bits of soap collected from the bedrooms, the bathroom, the laundry and the kitchen. The bag is closely drawn at the mouth and the string wound about the top and then tightly tied. When this bag is dipped into water the contents give forth plenty of suds, and the whole may be used as a cleaning cloth to scrub the bathtub and marble bowl.

Corn Relish.

Materials—Two dozen ears of corn, six large white onions, one large, firm head of cabbage, six small red peppers, six large sweet peppers, one cup sugar, two quarts vinegar, one-quarter cup salt, two heaping tablespoonfuls ground mustard, two tablespoonfuls celery seed.

Way of Preparing—Take a sharp knife and, after husking, shave the corn from the cobs. Chop your cabbage, onions and peppers. Mix your mustard with one pint of your vinegar and mix all of the other ingredients. Then place the latter mixture of all the ingredients into a kettle and boil them 20 minutes, stirring all the time. Now add your mustard and vinegar mixture, bring to the boiling point once more, place in bottles and seal while hot. This relish is a fine accompaniment of cold meats.

Pineapple Tapioca.

Soak one cup tapioca, drain off water, and add juice two lemons ad one-half cup of water; also add one-half pound shredded pineapple and its juice, and one and one-half cups sugar. Cook slowly until almost clear; stir carefully; put into this whites of three eggs well beaten. Serve ice cold with whipped cream.

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Rice Pudding.

Half teacup rice, three pints milk. Simmer until rice is cooked soft; cool and beat five eggs, leaving out two whites; add one coffee cup sugar and one grated cocoanut. Stir in the rice and milk when cold and set it in the oven to bake. Take out as soon as the custard forms. Make meringue of the two whites of eggs and six tablespoonfuls of sugar beaten to stiff froth. Pile up on the top and return to the oven to brown. Eat hot or cold.

Rust from Flatiron.

To remove rust from flatirons rub them with a little warm grease and wrap them up in brown paper. Then dissolve a small piece of soda in hot water. Dip the irons in this; rub them dry, and put them to heat as usual. When ready to use rub them on a piece of brown paper that has a little powdered bath brick upon it.

Marshmallows for Dessert.

Marshmallows, quartered, ground nuts, and whipped cream, sweetened make the daintiest of desserts.

TIRED BACKS.

The kidneys have a great work to do in keeping the blood pure. When they get out of order it causes backache, headaches, dizziness, languor and distressing urinary troubles. Keep the kidneys well and all these sufferings will be saved you. Mrs. S. A. Moore, proprietor of a restaurant at Waterville, Mo., says: "Before using Doan's Kidney Pills I suffered everything from kidney troubles for a year and a half. I had pain in the back and head, and almost continuous in the loins and felt weary all the time. A few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills brought great relief, and I kept on taking them until in a short time I was cured. I think Doan's Kidney Pills are wonderful."

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HAD A FELLOW FEELING.

Aunt Susan's Heart Went Out to "Pore Missus Astor."

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She marveled at everything until they sat down for luncheon. They had gone into the Astor house for that meal, but all its other marvels seemed lost on the visiting country hostess, as she looked open-eyed at the crowds that filled not only the corridors but the restaurants. Scarcely had they found seats, when this amazement took definite shape.

"Eli," said she in a stagey whisper, "I can't set here an' eat peaceably. I jes' must go downstairs an' help pore Missus Astor with the cookin' an' dishes."—Bohemian.

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Guyer—Why the streets of Venice are canals.—Chicago Daily News.

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Garner, Iowa, Sept. 21, 1907.

To Louisa Schwartz, Lena Medaus, G. C. Yahnke, Priscilla Schaper, Olga Griffen nee Neff, Hugo Neff, Comilla Neff, Ida Schwichtenberg, C D Welty, H S Schwartz, E P Dow, August Barz, Henry Schwarz, Winnie Welsh, Frank Welsh, Fred Welsh, Mike Henry, Guardian; A L Spooner, Geo. A Ell, Chas. P Ell, Emanuel Society of Klemme, Iowa German Reform Church, John E Baumgartner, Edward Haskell, J P Larson, C M Johnson, Phillip Ell, Independent School District, Dora Lau, August Lau, Wm Greimann, Henry Lau, Dora Greimann nee Lau. Chr stian Lau, Lena Reusch nee Lau, Martin Lau, Ben Buehlmeyer, Wm Buehlmeyer, Wm Lau, H J Klemme, Henry Terhufen, Laura McGrady, Blanch Lewis, Laurine Larson, Fred Arnold, Taalkens Blank, English M E church, Incorporporated Town of Klemme, Iowa, J L Harr, Olga Griffen nee Neff, N L Palmer, Wm F Lau, Wm Stork, Geo W Kluckhohn, Mrs. A C Lembgen, John A Waterman, John Gruetzmacher, George Gruetzmacher, Fred Ridder, Claud L Fuller, L W Fuller, Adm., Myra M Metcalf, Sumner G Fuller, Louisa Stille, Frank B Gruetzmacher, Frank Gruetzmacher, John Josten, Geo. Schroeder, Henry Schroeder, Oscar E Carlson, State Savings Bank of Klemme, Iowa, H L Suckow, Anna Schoper, Northern Lumber Company, Henry E Pietzke, W R Bloom, Henry Griewe, George Kluckhohn, P M Griesemer, John W Waterman, J F Nissen, Elizabeth Nissen, Fred C Griewe, Henry L Schuldt, G R Waterman, Ell Township, as owners and to P M Griesemer, B E Benshoof, Ellsworth & Jones, E E Ramsey, State Savings Bank of Klemme, Iowa, J C Devereux, Henry Terhufen, C H Wiegmann, Lyman C Mellen, August Lau, First National Bank of Klemme, Iowa, Gruetzmacher Bros. A L Spooner, Geo Schroeder & Son, Wm Schneider, Klemme Times, J B Charleton, Edw L Schaub, L W Fuller, Louisa Schwarz, Sarah Ellis, A B Smith, Rock Island Plow Company, J E Wichman, Admr., Challenge Company, Daniel Day, Fred Arnold, H A Sweigard, Garneville Savings Bank, lienholders and incumbrancers and to all owners, occupants, lienholders and incumbrancers of any of the following described real estate, to-wit:—

In Barz's Addition to Klemme.

Block one 1, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4 in block two 2, block three 3, block four 4, block five 5, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, in block six 6, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, in block 7, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, nine 9, ten 10, eleven 11, twelve 12, in block eight 8, block nine 9, block ten 10, block eleven 11, block twelve 12.

In Klemme's Addition to Klemme.

Lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, nine 9, ten 10, eveven 11, twelve 12, thirteen 13, fourteen 14 in block one 1, block two 2, block three 3, block four 4, block five 5, block six 6, block seven 7, south one-half s½ of block eight 8, block nine 9, block ten 10, south one-half s½ of block eleven 11, south one-half s½ of block twelve 12, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7 in block thirteen 13, lots one 1 two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6 in in block fourteen 14, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8 in block fifteen 15, block sixteen 16, block seventeen 17, block nineteen 19, block twenty 20, block twenty-one 21, the ne¼ ne¼ ne¼ of Sec. 31, 95, 23 and 1 acre in nc¼ ne¼ Sec. 31, 95, 23, Out-lot one 1, east half e½ out-lot two 2, west half w½ of out-lot two 2, 1 acre northwest corner out-lot three 3, n½ ne¼ of out-lot five 5, n½ nw¼ of out-lot five 5, n½ n½ out-lot seven 7.

In the Original Town of Klemme.

Lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4 in block one 1, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, in block two 2, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, in block five 5, lots one 1, two three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, in block six 6, block nine 9, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, nine 9, ten 10, eleven 11, twelve 12, thirteen 13, fourteen 14, fifteen 15 in block ten 10, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, nine 9, ten 10, eleven 11, twelve 12, thirteen 13, fourteen 14, fifteen 15 in block eleven 11, lots one 1 two 2, three 3, four 4, six 6, seven 7 in block twelve 12.

In Gruetzmacher Bros. & Hanson's Sub division of Out-lot Six 6 of H J Klemme's Addition to Klemme.

Lots one 1, two 2, three 3 in block one 1, lots one 1, two 2, six 6, seven 7, eight 8 in block four 4, lots seven 7, eight 8 in block five 5 all in Hancock county, Iowa.

You are hereby notified that there has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of Hancock county, Iowa, a petition asking the Board of Supervisors of said county to establish a part of the above described lands in a Drainage District and order the same drained in accordance with Chapter Two (2) Title X of the Code of Iowa and all laws amendatory or additional thereto on the grounds that the same are in part too wet for cultivation, subject to overflow and in the opinion of the petitioners the public health, convenience, utility and welfare will be promoted by the draining thereof, which said petition was accompanied by a bond as provided by said law which has been duly approved and filed; That the Board of Supervisors appointed an Engineer to make a preliminary survey thereof and the Engineer has filed his report showing the survey and recommending the establishment of all of the above described land in a drainage district and draining thereof.

You are further notified that the said petition will come on for hearing on the 14th day of October, A. D., 1907 at an adjourned session of the Board of Supervisors to be holden at the Court House in Garner, Iowa, on said date.

You are further notified that all claims for damages or compensation must be filed in the office of the County Auditor not less than FIVE (5) days before the day set for said hearing and also that you may appear and resist the granting of the said petition if you see proper so to do and that, unless you do, the said lands will be drained as provided by the laws above referred to and you and each of you will be forever barred from objecting thereto or claimins damages or compensation on account thereof.

Witness my hand and official seal this 21st day of September, A. D., 1907.

THOMAS DUFF,
[SEAL] County Auditor in and for Hancock County, Iowa.

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Notice of Levy of Special Execution.

STATE OF IOWA, Hancock County, } ss

Lyman C. Mellen, Plaintiff against C. J. Simpson, Helen Simpson, et-al Defendants } Notice to Defend'ts

To C. J. Simpson, Helen Simpson, et-al.

SIR: You are hereby notified that, by virtue of a Special execution issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Hancock county, in the above entitled cause, to me directed, I have levied upon as your property, the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

Lot No. Twelve (12) in Block No. Six (6) in the Original town of Goodell, Iowa.

And I have advertised the same to be sold on the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1907 at 10 o'clock a. m. at the front door of the Court House in Garner, Hancock County, Iowa.

Witness my official signature this 19th day of September, A. D. 1907.

JOHN SUURBALLE,
Sheriff of Hancock County, Iowa.

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Rev. F. H. Wellemeyer spent a few days on the farm in Germantown this week.

Miss Rosa Herz of Vivian, S. Dakota, was an over Sunday visitor with her many friends.

Carl Wellemeyer was in Charles City last week and while there disposed of a span of horses.

A Mr. Lemke and family of Meservey attended services in Klemme and visited with Lenzs' and Storks'.

Henry Keier returned from Beltrami, Minn. where he spent several weeks looking after his land interest.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Hartbeck of Colesburg, called on friends and old neighbors last week and the first of this week.

William Schaefer of Oak Park, Ill. spent a few days with his cousins and other relatives of Klemme and Germantown, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hartwick of McGregor and Edward and Mary Datisman of Sherrill, visited friends in and around Klemme a few days. The former is a brother to Mr. Wessel and the other three are cousins of ye scribe.

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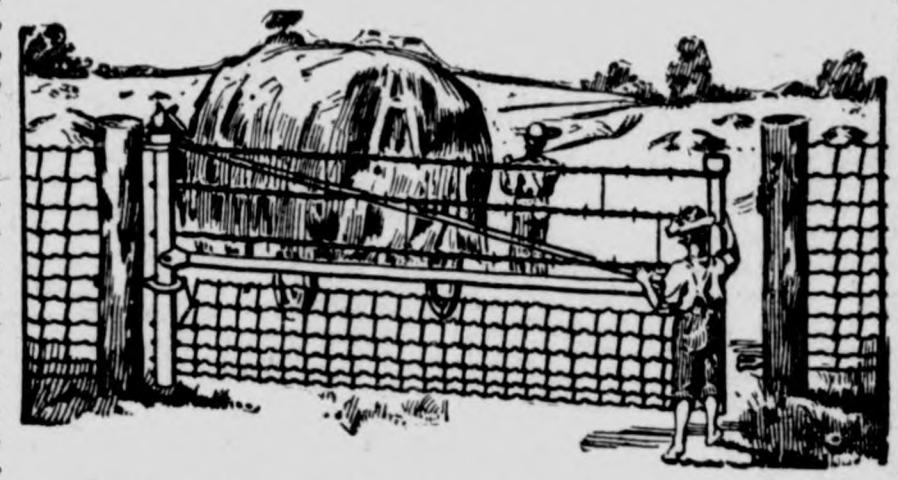
First National Bank, Klemme

CAPITAL $25,000



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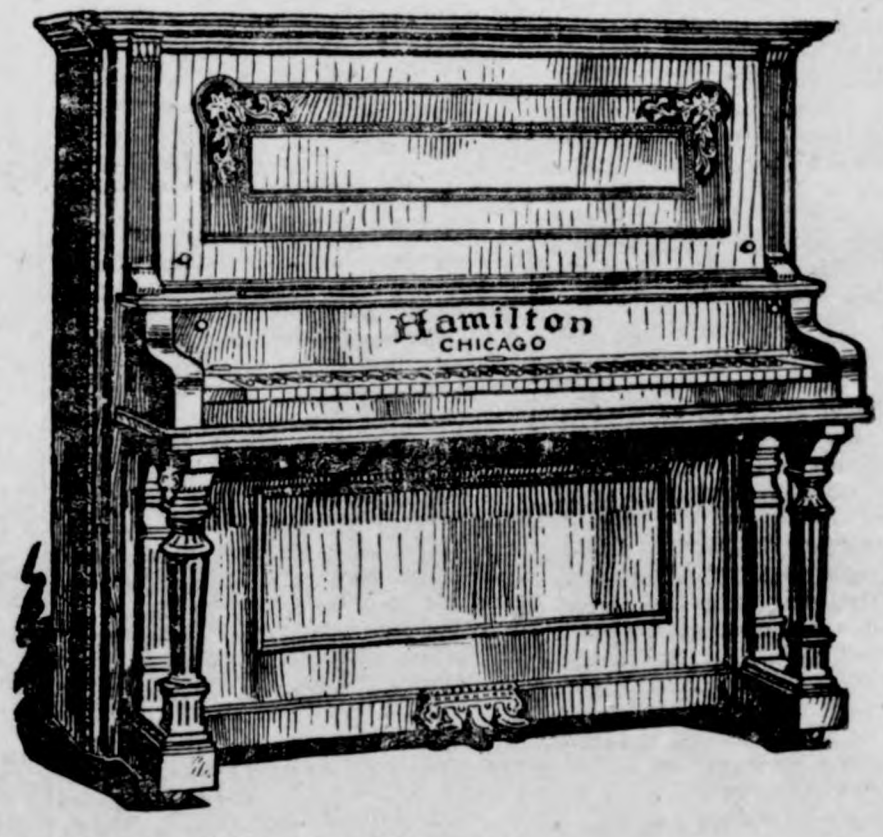

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The Klemme Times

C. H. Mann & Co., Pubs.
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Klemme, - - Iowa

Once a fisherman, always a liar.

Blessed is the man devoid of suspicion, deceit and despair.

Envy, malice and hate are the most deadly poisons of the human soul.

Stepping accidentally on the corns of the end-seat hog might help some.

When money is put above manhood, financial vice triumphs over virtue.

Some men risk their lives knowingly and voluntarily for their country, some for those they love, and some go into automobile racing.

An Atlanta girl has joined a chorus in spite of the fact that the man to whom she is engaged threatens to give her up. He can't be very rich.

Women's shoes will be more pointed this fall, according to a fashion authority, and the chiropodists are looking forward to a rush of business.

It costs the government $35,000,000 a year now to distribute the mail to the farmers, but remarks the Topeka Herald, it is worth the money.

The New York woman who has been living with a bullet in her brain has more or less excuse for shooting off her mouth, as she has been doing of late.

That Brooklyn widow who weighs 525 pounds and is still growing, should look around soon if she expects to find a man who thinks she is worth her weight in gold.

Prince d'Abro of Egypt says that in his country people are slow to anger and never strike until some one strikes them first. How in the world do they ever get up fights, then?

In Boston the tribe of Sullivans has increased to such an extent that it now ranks next to the Smiths in the city directory. A few Emersons still reside there, but they don't occupy as much space as formerly.

Emperor William, while attending army maneuvers, is living in a portable asbestos house. The kaiser has been regarded as a "warm" proposition, but no one imagined his caloric had reached such a high degree as that.

Huge sums of money were carried through the streets of New York recently in an open wagon and without protection. Crooks will feel like suing the authorities for damages for not letting them know about it until next day.

A girl says she is not acquainted with a man who met her on the street car and claimed her as his wife. This is a rapid age, but at that no man should marry a woman who isn't acquainted with him without telling her anything about it.

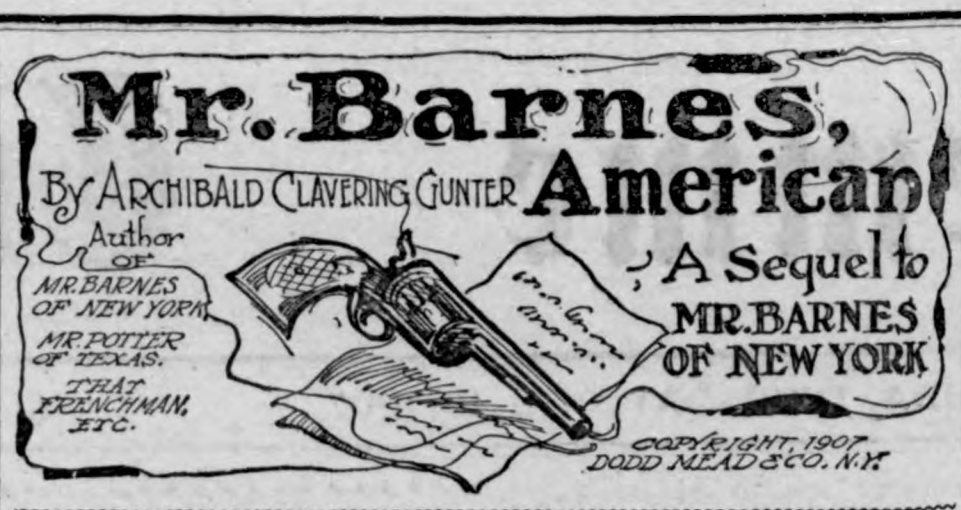
Capt. Roald-Amundsen, being a wise person, will have his polar bears thoroughly broken to harness befor riding them to the north pole. Also he should require with each bear a written guaranty that it would not eat man meat under any circumstances.

A lawyer in a New York police court testified that he hd never done anything wrong in his life. And yet, up to date, he has not received an offer to go into vaudeville or had a bid for the National museum or Smithsonian Inittution as one of the greatest of all living curiosities.

New Orleans and Galveston both meet the ships that bring in immigrants with a brass band welcome. If this doesn't turn the tides southward it is likely that something substantial, like 40 acres and a mule to every head of a family, will be added to the glittering inducements.

Dr. Wiley says: "If we admit as a physiological fact that an animal should live four times as long as its period of growth, the time may come in the far future when the average length of human life, instead of the exception, will be three-score and ten." Then life insurance rates can be reduced.

Walter Wellman will be jeered at for making a second failure of his projected airship journey to the pole, but as he very justly observes, it was not suicide he contemplated, but actual discovery of the pole, and when it looked like one more than the other, how many of his critics, asks the Chicago Daily News, would do otherwise than stay on solid ground?



CHAPTER I.

The Shock in the Marseilles Depot.

"I wonder if I can head off those cursed Corsican murder enthusiasts?" mutters Mr. Barnes, of New York, as he stands on the deck of the French steamer with Marseilles looming up in the heat mist ahead of him on a May morning of 1883, after the escape of the bridal party from Corsica.

There are very few passengers, Barnes' gold having sent the steamer back on her return voyage to Marseilles within two hours after her arrival at Ajaccio.

His glance is turned contemplatively beyond the whirling, eddying wake of the propeller's foam toward that curious island of a semi-mediaeval race, 200 miles behind him, whose rugged mountain slopes and chestnut valleys are the home of that undying revenge that the Corsicans think is noble; that they worship, idealize and call "the Vendetta."

The representative of New York fashion, American sportsmanship and modern materialism, who has flitted to the island and plucked not only the young English lieutenant, Edwin Gerard Anstruther, but his bride, Marina, the daughter of the Paolis, from the meshes and entanglements of a feud that only ends with death, notwithstanding his reward is to be the hand of the beautiful girl he loves, emits a low, contemplative, melancholy whistle.

He mentally glances back and sees the house of Musso Danella in the moonlit chestnut groves of Bocognano, and Marina in her bride's gown, her sensitive, passionate face filled with that weird mixture of undying love and uncanny horror as she shuddered from the arms of the man she had just sworn to cleave to through life and muttered: "Antonio's murderer!" Next he remembers the strange proof that brought back the wild happiness to the bride's face as she learned there was no taint of her brother's blood on Edwin Anstruther, her husband; that her horrible belief was due to circumstantial evidence and the jealous and crafty plot of Musso Danella, her guardian, the man lying dead upon the floor of the bridal chamber, Tomasso's dagger in his heart; and then had fallen fainting into her bridegroom's arms.

With this, the mind of Mr. Barnes reverts to his desperate efforts to get the whole party to Ajaccio before the natives of the little commune of Bocognano learned they had now another to avenge, and to the death of Marina's brother on the beach in the duello had been added that of Danella, their old-time friend, and to his peasants their kind maestro and proprietor.

Additional concern makes the face of the American even more grave as he mentally hears the distant ringing of the rifles on the mountain side as the carbineers shot old Tomasso Monaldi, who having become an assassin, had fled as a bandit, as the party made their weird ride to the Corsican seaport.

"If no deaths had followed the appearance of Marina's husband and me in the island, perhaps the accursed affair might have slumbered and died out," reflects Barnes, gloomily; "as it is, there's no telling where the devlish thing may end. If they have money enough to pursue us, holy poker, they may even include me in the scrimmage."

A little, delicately gloved hand laid upon his arm interrupts his meditation. Miss Enid Anstruther, standing beside him, looking like a joyous fashion-plate in a light Parisian traveling dress, whispers archly: "Thinking of me?" then suddenly ejaculates in almost frightened tone: "Oh, I hope not! Your face is so moody, dear." Blushes spring upon the sensitive face, and his young English fiancee whispers with a piquant pout: "Gloomy, and going to marry me in three days? That's not very complimentary, Burton."

"No, in two, if we can make quick connections for London," answers Burton, rapturously. "One day is past. But I wasn't thinking of you, young lady," he continues, tenderly, giving her delicate cheek a caressing, proprietary pinch; "I was thinking of—"

"What we left behind us," shudders his vivacious betrothed. "Don't let us think of that weird horror, when—when—" The radiance of her blue eyes and the blushes on her fair cheeks suggest the rest.

"When our wedding day is so near," whispers Burton, tenderly. "I would be very happy, too, if our Corsican friends would only forget it." He checks himself, biting his lip and adds: "However, the modern world is before us. I can see the Pharos light-house and the Iles des Perdus."

"Why, we are nearly at Marseilles," ejaculates Enid.

"Yes, only breakfast between us and every-day France," returns her escort. "Now just run down and direct Thompson to get your traps together and then tell Edwin to hurry Marina. They should be on deck. You know as soon as landed, we'll get right on to London. We can probably catch the morning train."

Miss Anstruther's answer makes Burton chew his moustache; she says: "If Marina is strong enough."

"Strong enough? She's got to be strong enough. We must get out of France. The further we are away from Corsica, the better. In France they don't need a reciprocity treaty to take us back to that mediaeval island."

"And You Think That Will Be the End of the Matter?"

There is no telling what devilish complexion the natives of Bocognano may put upon the two dead men we left behind us. I don't want to alarm you—I wouldn't say this to Edwin or his bride—but the sooner we are out of France, the better."

"And you think that will be the end of the matter?" asks his fiancee, clinging closely to his arm as if Mr. Barnes were potent to save her from the whole Corsican race.

"Well, I think it would have been had we got away without old Tomasso killing Count Danella and the French carbineers shooting old Tomasso. As it is"—Barnes pauses suddenly and asks abruptly: "Did poor old Tomasso Monaldi have any close relatives? Not so very close, either. Cousins, even to the second and third degree often take a hand in these barbaric feuds."

"I believe while I was there," answers Miss Anstruther, "I heard a daughter spoken of. Etheria, she was called—the betrothed, I understand, of that mediaeval young cavalier who acted as bridesman and made that awful Smollet speech to Marina. Young Bernardo Saliceti, a member of the local governing body, ambitious to be elected to represent Corsica in the French chamber of deputies."

"Humph, a young Corsican swell betrothed to the daughter of the man killed on the mountain. Besides, I've heard the dead Musso speak of a half-brother, Corsican on the mother's side—one Corregio Cipriano Danella. De Belloc mentioned him as we rode down the mountain. Corregio lives most of the time in southern France, but has the damnable ethics of his island," mutters Burton, then he suddenly checks himself, for Edwin Anstruther is bringing his bride up the companionway to the deck.

Every time her eye lights on her bridegroom, the flush of happiness transforms the bride's face into a dream of passionate loveliness. Each time she touches the arm of Edwin Anstruther, Barnes notes that her slight fingers cling to the young Englishman's stout muscles as if to be certain a living husband is beside her and she is not bereft. Still there is a confidence in the young Corsican lady's bearing that makes the American, who now considers himself as her physician, more hopeful of her physical strength.

"Ah, Marseilles is ahead of us, dear Dr. Barnes," she says, her dark eyes lighting up in their enthusiastic southern way. "To-morrow, Paris; the next day, London, where, Edwin tells me, you hope to be happy, happy as—"

"As I am," interjects Anstruther. "Enid has promised to make you so, hasn't she, my boy? And I'll see that she does it. No delays for trousseau; minister to the mast and sentence executed at once on that young lady who is putting her head over the taffrail to hide her blushes, which she'll pretend come from the sea air."

"Please attend to Marina's blushes, Edwin; they're enough for any man to take care of," laughs Miss Anstruther.

"Yes, and take Mrs. Anstruther in to breakfast," commands Barnes, deftly giving Marina her English name, thinking it will impress upon her that she is no more a Corsican.

"Breakfast!" says Mr. Anstruther, promptly, and leads his bride into the dining salon.

"Though I am not married, I am hungry also," remarks Enid, suggestively.

"All right, step in quick," returns Burton, but pausing at the cabin door, he whispers: "Excuse me a moment. I see an old friend forward."

"What, you are not going to sit by my side?" pouts his fiancee.

"In a minute. Order my breakfast for me."

A minute later he is standing among the few third-class passengers in the extreme bow of the boat, addressing an old Corsican, who, costumed in his best broad-brim sombrero and silver-buttoned coat, is seated upon a hencoop and economically eating some hard-boiled eggs and roasted chestnuts he has produced from his pockets.

"You don't remember me, old Mateo," remarks Barnes, gazing at the ancient innkeeper of the auberge Il Pescatori.

"By the blessings of the saints, I do, honored Signore Barnes, of New York," replies the representative of old Corsica, his eyes lighting up with a lurid glow. "A grand duel that we arranged on the beach a year ago! All Ajaccio has been out to see where Antonio died and Marina took the oath of the vendetta. It helped business grandly. Has she killed yet?" The old man's tone is moodily eager.

"Not yet," answers Barnes, sententiously.

"Per Baccho, I saw her with another English officer in the stern a few minutes since. They say she's wedded to him. Hasn't found the man who slew her brother, but given her beauty to another of his accursed race. 'Tis shame on Corsica!" mutters the old vendetttaist, disgustedly.

"I believe on the morning of that duel," interjects Burton, "you were kind enough, Mateo, to give me quite a little history of the vendetta on which you seem to be an authority; how your father, a fisherman, fell in one, and you drowned the man who killed your father."

"Ah, that memory is a pleasant one, Signore. I can always sleep in peace; my enemy had no relatives or descendants."

"But where there are relatives and descendants, the feud goes on?" The American knocks the ashes from his cigar.

"Until there are no more left, of course! Even to all who bear the name or have a drop of the blood in their veins if they are men and Corsicans," answers old Mateo, stoutly.

"Ah, but you seem quite an authority on the subject. But are these feuds ever permitted to include women as victims?" asks the American, his eyes very anxious.

"Maladetto, why not? Women produce two-thirds of the vendettas," mutters the old man, sardonically.

Mr. Barnes turns moodily away from this cruel aspect of the infernal passion of unending revenge. As he enters the dining salon and seats himself beside Miss Enid, he mutters to himself: "By Jove, am I losing my nerve?" for the thought that his delicate fiancee may possibly be drawn into the horrible blood feud has produced a new sensation in his veins.

Half an hour afterward the Ajaccio boat is pulled up alongside of the Quai Joliette in Marseilles and is discharging its few passengers and little freight into that bustling artery of modern commerce full of moving wagons, shrieking cabmen and the other etceteras of a great commercial port.

The ladies are below getting their little baggage together, assisted by Edwin. Barnes, who has already sent a waiter on shore to bring a carriage, with an after-breakfast cigar between his teeth, is pacing the deck of the vessel.

A bright, smart little telegraph boy flies up the gangplank. After asking directions of the first officer, he steps to Mr. Barnes and hands him a blue envelope.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Foe to Race Suicide.

The problem of race suicide will be simplified by the better housing of working people. As the result of an experiment—costing $1,500,000—by an English manufacturer, a garden colony for employes is reported to have a birth rate of 56 and a death rate of only nine per 1,000; while the children of seven are three inches taller and seven pounds heavier and those of 11 years are five and one-half inches taller and 20 pounds heavier, than the average of children of the same ages among the laboring classes of Liverpool.

Oldest Tunnel in the World.

Glenfield tunnel, on the Leicester & Swannington railway, in England, is the oldest tunnel in the world. It is about a mile long, and is the oldest section of the Midland company's system. Only four passenger trains pass through the tunnel each week day, and from Saturday night until Monday morning the tunnel is closed by a padlocked door at either end.

Erie Canal Held its Own.

Showed That Inland Waterways Were by No Means Obsolete.

When the New York Central paralleled the Erie canal, over 50 years ago, it looked very much as if canals were a thing of the past. When the West Shore hemmed it in on the other side canals had fallen in public opinion to the "raging canawl" of the humorists. But the truth is, the Erie canal did not rage at all. It kept growing—slowly, as befits a canal. When it was completed in 1825 it was four feet deep and 40 feet wide; in 1835 it was deepened to six feet and took barges of 240 tons burden. Later it was given another foot, and was enlarged to a width of 70 feet at the top and 56 feet at the bottom, and there it remained. And while the railroads competed strenuously, its boats kept appearing at Buffalo and hauling the treasure by the only and original route to the sea. As late as 1897 it is said to have carried as much through freight as did these two trunk lines together, and it kept on doing it, despite the long-drawn jeers of locomotives.—The Century.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

PRESIDENT URGES WATERWAY

Sees Great Good in Canalization of Rivers of Mississippi Valley--Hopes Agricultural Interests May Remain Predominant in the Central States.

Memphis, Tenn.—President Roosevelt spoke to a vast and enthusiastic audience on the subject of a lakes to gulf waterway, an audience composed of delegates to the convention representing every state in the Mississippi valley, of representative business men, public officials, including the governors of more than 20 states, and thousands of citizens of Memphis and the south. He said in part:

The Mississippi valley is a magnificent empire in size and fertility. It is better adapted to the development of inland navigation than any other valley in either hemisphere; for there are 12,000 miles of waterway now more or less fully navigable, and the conditions are so favorable that it will be easy to increase the extent of navigable waterways to almost any required degree by canalization. Early in our industrial history this valley was the seat of the largest development of inland navigation in the United States, and perhaps you will pardon my mentioning that the first steamboat west of the Alleghenies was built by a Roosevelt, my great-grandfather's brother, in 1811, for the New Orleans trade, and in that year made the trip from Pittsburg to New Orleans. But from various causes river and canal transportation declined all over the United States as the railroad systems came to their full development. It is our business to see that the decline is not permanent; and it is of interest to remember that nearly a century ago President Madison advocated the canalization of the Mississippi.

The Mississippi Valley.

In wealth of natural resources no kingdom of Europe can compare with the Mississippi valley and the region around the great lakes, taken together, and in population this huge fertile plain already surpasses all save one or two of the largest European kingdoms. In this empire a peculiarly stalwart and masterful people finds itself in the surroundings best fitted for the full development of its powers and faculties. There has been a great growth in the valley of manufacturing centers; the movement is good if it does not go too far; but I most earnestly hope that this region as a whole will remain predominantly agricultural. The people who live in the country districts, and who till the small or medium-sized farms on which they live, make up what is on the whole the most valuable asset in our national life. There can be just as real progress and culture in the country as in the city; especially in these days of rural free delivery, trolleys, bicycles, telephones, good roads and school improvements. The valley of the Mississippi is politically and commercially more important than any other valley on the face of the globe. Here more than anywhere else will be determined the future of the United States and indeed of the whole western world; and the type of civilization reached in this mighty valley, in this vast stretch of country lying between the Alleghenies and the Rockies, the great lakes and the gulf, will largely fix the type of civilization for the whole western hemisphere. Already, as our history shows, the west has determined our national political development, and the fundamental principle of present American politics, political equality, was originally a western idea.

Transportation Demands.

The wonderful variety of resources in different portions of the valley make the demand for transportation altogether exceptional. Coal, lumber, corn, wheat, cotton, cattle—on the surface of the soil and beneath the soil the riches are great. There are already evident strong tendencies to increase the carrying of freight from the northern part of the valley to the gulf. Throughout the valley the land is so fertile as to make the field for the farmer peculiarly attractive; and where in the west the climate becomes dryer we enter upon the ranching country; while in addition to the products of the soil there are also the manufactures supplied in innumerable manufacturing centers, great and small. Cities of astonishing growth are found everywhere from the gulf to the great lakes, from the Alleghenies to the Rockies; most of them being situated on the great river which flows by your doors or upon some of its numerous navigable tributaries. New mineral fields are discovered every year; and the constantly increasing use of all the devices of intensive cultivation steadily adds to the productive power of the farms. Above all, the average man is honest, intelligent, self-reliant, and orderly, and therefore a good citizen and wageworker alike—in the last analysis the two most important men in the community—enjoy a standard of living, and have developed a standard hood, which are of good augury for the future of the entire republic. No man can foresee the limit of the possibility of development in the Mississippi valley.

Waterways Needed.

Such being the case, and this valley being literally the heart of the United States, all that concerns its welfare must concern likewise the whole country. Therefore, the Mississippi river and its tributaries ought by all means to be utilized to their utmost possibility. Facility of cheap transportation is an essential in our modern civilization, and we cannot afford to longer to neglect the great highways which nature has provided for us. These natural highways, the waterways, can never be monopolized by any corporation. They belong to all the people, and it is in the power of no one to take them away.

Wherever a navigable river runs beside railroads the problem of regulating the rates on the railroads becomes far easier, because river regulation is rate regulation. When the water rate sinks, the land rate cannot be kept at an excessive height. Therefore it is of national importance to develop these streams as highways to the fullest extent which is genuinely profitable. Year by year transportation problems become more acute, and the time has come when the rivers really fit to serve as arteries of trade should be provided with channels deep enough to make the investment of the necessary money profitable to the public. The national government should undertake this work. Where the immediately abutting land is markedly benefited, and this benefit can be definitely localized, I trust that there will be careful investigation to see whether some way can be devised by which the immediate beneficiaries may pay a portion of the expenses—as is now the custom as regards certain classes of improvements in our municipalities; and measures should be taken to secure from the localities specially benefited proper terminal facilities.

Much Money Wasted.

Immense sums have already been spent upon the Mississippi by the states and the nation, yet much of it remains practically unused for commerce. The reasons for this fact are many. One is that the work done by the national government at least has not been based upon a definite and continuous plan. Appropriations by congress, instead of assuring the steady progress and timely completion of each piece of work as it was undertaken, have been irregular and uncertain. As a direct consequence, far-reaching plans have been discouraged and continuity in execution has been made impossible. It is altogether unlikely that better results will be obtained so long as the method is followed of making partial appropriations at irregular intervals for works which should never be undertaken until it is certain that they can be carried to completion within a definite and reasonable time. Planned and orderly development is essential to the best use of every natural resource, and to none more than to the best use of our inland waterways. In the case of the waterways it has been conspicuously absent. Because such foresight was lacking, the interests of our rivers have been in fact overlooked, in spite of the immense sums spent upon them. It is evident that their most urgent need is a farsighted and comprehensive plan, dealing not with navigation alone, nor with irrigation alone, but considering our inland waterways as a whole, and with reference to every use to which they can be put. The central motive of such a plan should be to get from the streams of the United States not only the fullest but also the most permanent service they are capable of rendering to the nation as a whole.

Railroads Inadequate.

The industries developed under the stimulus of the railroads are for the most part permanent industries, and therefore they form the basis for future development. But the railroads have shown that they alone can not meet the demands of the country for transportation, and where this is true the rivers should begin to supplement the railroads, to the benefit of both, by relieving them of certain of the less profitable classes of freight. The more farseeing railroad men, I am glad to tell you, realize this fact, and many of them have become earnest advocates of the improvement of the Mississippi, so that it may become a sort of inland seaboard, extending from the gulf far into the interior, and I hope ultimately to the great lakes.

Other Interests to Care For.

There is an intimate relation between our streams and the development and conservation of all the other great permanent sources of wealth. It is not possible rightly to consider the one without the other. No study of the problem of the waterways could hope to be successful which failed to consider also the remaining factors in the great problem of conserving all our resources. Accordingly, I have asked the waterways commission to take account of the orderly development and conversation, not alone of the waters, but also of the soil, the forests, the mines, and all the other natural resources of our country.

Many of these resources which we have been in the habit of calling inexhaustible are being rapidly exhausted, or in certain regions have actually disappeared. Coal mines, oil and gas fields, and iron mines in important numbers are already worked out. The coal and oil measures which remain are passing rapidly, or have actually passed, into the possession of great corporations, who acquire ominous power through an unchecked control of these prime necessities of modern life; a control without supervision of any kind. We are consuming our forests three times faster than they are being reproduced. Some of the richest timber lands of this continent have already been destroyed, and not replaced, and other vast areas are on the verge of destruction. Yet forests, unlike mines, can be so handled as to yield the best results of use, without exhaustion, just like grain fields.

Conserve Public Lands.

Our public lands, whose highest use is to supply homes for our people, have been and are still being taken in great quantities by large private owners, to whom home-making is at the very best but a secondary motive subordinate to the desire for profit. To allow the public lands to be worked by the tenants of rich men for the profit of the landlords, instead of by freeholders for the livelihood of their wives and children, is little less than a crime against our people and our institutions. The great central fact of the public land situation, as the public lands commission well said, is that the amount of public land patented by the government to individuals is increasing out of all proportion to the number of new homes. It is clear beyond peradventure that our natural resources have been and are still being abused, that continued abuse will destroy them, and that we have at last reached the forks of the road. We are face to face with the great fact that the whole future of the nation is directly at stake in the momentous decision which is forced upon us. Shall we continue the waste and destruction of our natural resources, or shall we conserve them? There is no other question of equal gravity now before the nation.

It is the plain duty of those who for the moment are responsible to make inventory of the natural resources which have been handed down to us, to forecast as well as we may the needs of the future, and so to handle the great resources of our prosperity as not to destroy in advance all hope for the prosperity of our descendants.

SEES RAILWAYS MULCTED.

Evidence Intended to Show Monopoly of Lubricating Oil.

New York.—When the hearing of the federal suit for the dissolution of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey was resumed Thursday evidence was adduced which Frank B. Kellogg, conducting the government case, said proved the contention of the government that the oil combine, through its subsidiaries, the Galena Signal Oil company and the Waters-Pierce company, has a monopoly of the railroad lubricating oil business and that it not only charges an excess price but that it discriminates against certain railroads in prices. The Standard manufacturers engine, valve, car and coach oil, and Mr. Kellogg said he would show that it controlled 97 per cent of the business.

C. N. Steinbrenner, auditor of the railway department of the Galena Signal Oil company, was the first witness called Thursday. He said that the only companies which he knew sold lubricating oils to railroads were the Galena and the Waters-Pierce. The Waters-Pierce company, he testified, obtained its oil from Galena, which in turn obtains its supply from the Standard at the price at which it is sold to the railroads. The Galena company gets no refund.

Boni Divorce Is Absolute.

Paris.—The time limit in which Count Boni de Castellane could appeal to the court of cessation passed Thursday and the divorce decree obtained by Mme. Anna Gould, the former Countess de Castellane, is now absolute. Mme. Gould has settled out of court the creditors' claims both against herself and the count.

Turns White, Then Black.

Philadelphia.—A negro woman in West Philadelpha is seriously perplexed, for, having been turned white by some strange power, she is now turning black again. Originally she was a mulatto, and the shade she is now assuming is much darker.

Well-Known Methodist Is Dead.

Philadelphia.—Rev. James M. King, LL. D., executive head of the board of home missions and church extension of the Methodist Episcopal church, and known throughout the world of Methodism, died at his home here Tuesday.

SAID TO BE SIMPLE

EASILY MIXED RECIPE FOR KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

Tells Readers How to Prepare This Home-Made Mixture to Cure the Kidneys and Bladder and Rheumatism.

Get from any prescription pharmacist the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful dose after each meal and at bedtime.

The above is considered by an eminent authority, who writes in a New York daily paper, as the finest prescription ever written to relieve Backache, Kidney Trouble, Weak Bladder and all forms of Urinary difficulties. This mixture acts promptly on the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys, enabling them to filter and strain the uric acid and other waste matter from the blood which causes Rheumatism.

Some persons who suffer with the afflictions may not feel inclined to place much confidence in this simple mixture, yet those who have tried it say the results are simply surprising, the relief being effected without the slightest injury to the stomach or other organs.

Mix some and give it a trial. It certainly comes highly recommended. It is the prescription of an eminent authority, whose entire reputation, it is said, was established by it.

ON A MACKEREL SCHOONER.

Daily Routine in the Life of the Gloucester Fishermen.

The routine life on a mackerel schooner is not strenuous. The crew consists of 14 men, a skipper and cook. Two men constitute a watch, one aloft as a lookout, the other at the wheel, so that each man has two hours on duty, and then 12 hours off, before his turn comes around again. During this period he may be called on to shorten sail, wash the deck or to perform other work. Half of the crew have their bunks forward with the cook, who is king of the forecastle, and the rest sleep aft with the captain. We were assigned to a double bunk aft, where we were not troubled with galley smells, but had to be on our good behavior. All the rolics and revels were forward. The crew ate in two shifts, the older men with the skipper.—Travel Magazine.

A Ventilation Test.

It is very hard to make an impression on those people who defend their possessions on all occasions. A lady was explaining to a visitor the many advantages of concrete hollow-block construction, of which the walls of her new home were built.

"The air spaces in the walls afford insulation against heat in summer and cold in winter," she explained. "Besides, such walls afford ventilation and insure a more healthful house."

The visitor reflected a moment, and replied:

"Our frame house must be quite as well built. Every night we lock the cat in the cellar, and have to let her out of the attic in the morning."—Youth's Companion.

Yes, Why Not?

Dr. Frank C. Bostwick, official dentist to the sultan of Morocco, has been spending his vacation in Plainfield, N. J., and at a recent dinner he said, apropos of a bad child:

"It is wise to punish children, but not corporally. I know a dentist in Gibraltar who got out a birch rod to punish his little son with one day. The boy, looking at the rod, said piteously:

"'Papa, would you mind giving me gas first?'"

TRANSFORMATIONS.

Curious Results When Coffee Drinking Is Abandoned.

It is almost as hard for an old coffee toper to quit the use of coffee as it is for a whisky or tobacco fiend to break off, except that the coffee user can quit coffee and take up Postum without any feeling of a loss of the morning beverage, for when Postum is well boiled and served with cream, it is really better in point of flavor than most of the coffee served nowadays, and to the taste of the connoisseur it is like the flavor of fine, mild Java.

A great transformation takes place in the body within ten days or two weeks after coffee is left off and Postum used, for the reason that the poison to the nerves—caffeine—has been discontinued, and in its place is taken a liquid food that contains the most powerful elements of nourishment.

It is easy to make this test and prove these statements by changing from coffee to Postum. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

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HARD TIMES IN KANSAS

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today, although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's new discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me. The safest and most reliable cough and cold cure and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. drug store, 50c and $1 00. Trjul bottle free.

Goodell and Vicinity.

C. E Shaver visited with Wm. Shaver and family last week.

L. G. Avery is visiting with relatives in Nebraska this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aldrich are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Mrs. Adrian Elder is visiting with friends in Mason City this week.

S. G. Fuller has purchased a house in town and has moved it out on his farm north of Goodell

Nick Conlan returned from Iowa City last Saturday where he has been for the past month at the hospital

AFFLICTED WITH SORE EYES FOR 33 YEARS

I have peen afflicted with sore eyes for 33 years. Thirteen years a o I be came totally blind and was blind for six years. My eyes were badly inflamed. One of my neighbors insisted upon my trying Chamberlain's salve and gave me half a box of it. To my surprise it healed my eyes and my sight came back to me.—P C Earls, Cynthiana, Ky. Chamberlain's salve for sale by J L Harr & Co drug store.

Avery Center.

Cornel Guinter has been on the sick list this week.

Fred Chase attended the fair at Forest City last week.

P. Behringer and family spent Sunday with Fred Chase and family

Geo. Griggs and wife returned to their home in Avery Center last week.

Harry Behringer attended the dance at Chas Lawhorn's Saturday night.

John Heginger and family visited with Joe Heginger and family west of Goodell on Sunday.

John Bachman says he isn't going to batch very long that there was going to be a change.

HIS DEAR OLD MOTHER.

My dear old mother who is now 83 years old thrives on Electric Bitters writes W B Brunson of Dublin. Ga. She has taken them for about 2 years and enjoys an excellent appetite feels strong and sleeps well. That's the way electric bitters affect the aged and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weaknes and general debility. Weak puny children to are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach. liver and kidney troubles by J L Harr & Co druggists, 50c.

Ell Center.

Fred Henschen was at Garner Monday.

Cloyd Lawhorn was at Klemme and Garner Monday.

Tom Nelson was at Garner on business last Friday.

Mrs. Joe and Hod Lawhorn took a trip to Garner Monday.

Mat Becker and wife of Garner, visited Sunday at Charley Lawhorn's.

Chas. Lawhorn and wife gave a dance to their friends last Saturday evening.

Harry Behringer of Avery Center, was a caller in these parts Saturday evening.

Lela and Lola Haskin of Klemme, spent a few days last week with their aunt Mrs. Tom Nelson.

QUINSY SPRAINS AND SWELLINGS CURED.

In November 1901 I caught cold and had the quinsy. My throat was swollen so I could hardly breathe. I applied Chamberlain's pain balm and it gave me relief in a short time. In two days I was all right says Mrs. L Cousins, Otterburn, Mich. Chamberlain's pain balm is a liniment and is especially valuable for sprains and swellings For sale by J L Harr & Co.

Germantown News.

Threshing is nearly a thing of the past for 1907.

Wedding bells will ring in Germantown the 16th.

Emil and Mollie Haes visited near Ventura on Sunday.

Henry Haes shelled corn for Ernest Upmeyer last week.

Gast and Kahler did some threshing in Duncan last week Friday.

Chas. Lunn is enjoying a visit of two of his sisters from Nebraska.

Albert Lang and lady attended the fair at Forest City one day last week.

John Engstler lost his valuable horse by getting cut in a wire fence.

Art Kasprek of St. Paul is visiting his country cousins the Haes brothers.

Mina Hurlebus and George Malek were married at Duncan Tuesday at ten o'clock.

Greffin and Haberkamp did some fine threshing for L. H. Katterhenry on Saturday.

Milo Brown and crew moved to Hayfield Tuesday where they have a few weeks threshing.

A CRIMINAL ATTACK

on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the appendix. It's generally the result of protracted constipation following liver torpor. Dr King's new life pills regulate the liver prevent appendicitis and establish regular habits of the bowels, 25c at J L Harr & Co drug store.

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THE TIMES

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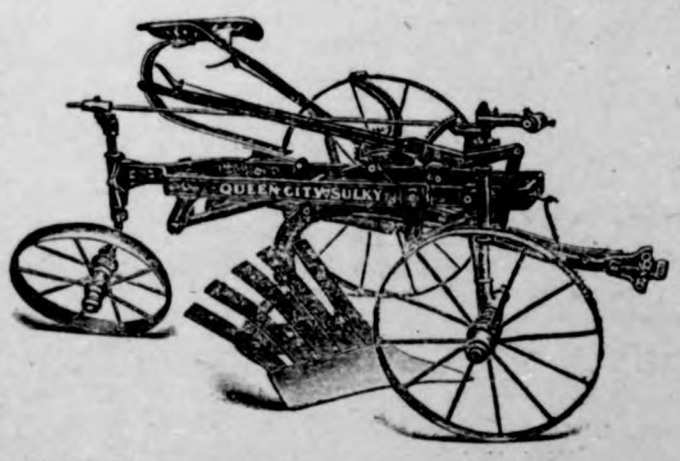

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Barley	40 to 60c
Hay	5 00 to 7.00
Hogs	5.00 5.50
Cattle	3.00 to 4.50

LOCAL NEWS

See Ell Bros. for ice.

Read the market report.

Read State Savings Bank ad.

H. Lau & Son have a change of ad.

Wallace Pavey was at the hub Monday.

Our Germantown correspondent has again survived.

C. C. Suckow and his assistant Chas. Nissen are painting the N. L. Palmer residence.

John Suckow of Germantown made his son C. C. Suckow and family a visit last week Friday.

Jacob Johnson, wife and two daughters of Meservey, visited on Sunday at the Henry Wille farm.

Obstinate cases of consumption and nasty mean headaches promptly disappear when you take DeWitt's little early riser pills. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Schroeder & Son did some repair work on their meat market. Uncle Dudley and his assistant did the work.

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve is good for little burns and big burns small scratches or bruises and big ones. It is healing and soothing and good for piles Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Remember that Arthur Wellemeyer always has bargains for his customers. These bargains can be seen in his weekly changes of ads. It pays to advertise and be alive.

If you take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills you will get prompt relief from backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder and urinary troubles. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Sunday afternoon the G. W. Kluckhohn home was visited by relatives from both Garner and Klemme. The occasion was Mrs. Kluckhohn's birthday, A very pleasant afternoon was spent.

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some candy cold tablets caled Preventics. Druggists are now dispensing Preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the sneeze stage Preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis, lagrippe, etc. Hence the name preventics. Good for feverish children, 48 Preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5c, Sold by All Dealers.

John Josten was at Garner, Monday.

Parker Sale Tuesday, Oct. 15th, see State Savings Bank ad.

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

Mrs. Hans. Nissen and daughter visited with J. N. Day and wife at Garner, Monday.

Five correspondents appear in this issue. Let us hear from the Twin Lake correspondent.

Mrs. J. N. Day of Garner, visited with her parents Wm. Smith and family over Sunday.

Mrs. Stanley of Garner, visited with Asa Gibbs and family over Sunday. This office also received a pleasant call.

Miss Effie Stewart of Ohio, arrived last week Saturday and will make her home with her relatives the Gibbs family.

C. W. Wiles has added a lunch room in connection with his billiard parlor. He will also handle soft drinks, tobacco and cigars. We wish the new enterprise success.

Chas. Nissen resigned his position as editor of the Crystal Lake Reflector and returned home last week Saturday evening. He is now assisting C. C. Suckow with the brush.

Does your back ache? Do you feel tired and drowsy and lacking in ambition? If so there is something wrong with your kidneys. DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills relieve bacache weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

H. Krunkelfeldt came down from Crystal Lake Saturday and visited with his numerous friends (particularly one) over Sunday returning on Monday. He has recently rented the meat market at Crystal Lake and says that he is doing a nice businss, we wish him success.

A weak stomach causing dyspepsia a weak heart with palpitation or intermittent pulse always means weak stomach nerves or weak heart nerves. Strengthen these inside or controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's restorative and see how quickly these ailments disappear. Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. will mail samples free. Write for them A test will tell. Your health is certainly worth this simple trial. Sold by All Dealers.

Ell Bros. shipped a car of poultry to New York City on Tuesday. The boys are realizing a nice business which they deserve as they are treating their patrons right and are always paying the top-notch prices for produce, Charles went along. He will see a lot of sights before his return. He expects to be absent for about a week.

Pain anywhere, pain in the head, painful periods. Neuralgia toothache all pains can be promptly stopped by a thoroughly safe little pink candy tablet known by druggists as Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Pain means congestion—undue blood pressure at the point where pain exists. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets equalize this unnatural blood pressure and pain immediately departs. Write Dr. Shoop Racine, Wis. and get a free trial package. Large box 25c—Druggists. All Dealers.

In the matter of my buying a piano I wish to state that I bought one of C. D. Welty and that it is just the piano we want. That I paid Mr. Welty for it and we are well satisfied with the transaction as well as Mr. Welty. I am sorry however to learn that there are others who do not seem to be so well satisfied with our transaction. I am sure I do not know what to do about it: better ask Mr. Welty perhaps he will know. G. I. Schaper.

P. M. Griesemer Sundayed at Garner.

For sales see State Savings Bank ad.

We received another heavy frost Tuesday morning.

Get your refrigerater filled with ice regulary by Ell Bros.

Chas. Gibbs took in the Mason City county fair last week and returned Monday.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

Minnie Lau visited with her brother Ben at Cedar Rapids and also took in the carnival. She returned Monday.

FOR RENT.—My residence now occupied by Thos. Nelson. It is a six room house with one acre of land, also other good buildings. Rent $7.00 per month.
C. W. Stiehl.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine. Wis. These tests are are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

John Suckow	Garner
Joe Lawhorn	"
Grant Henderson	"
Elko Buss	Klemme
Wm. Schlawein	"
John Neeble, Hartley, Iowa	

You never have any trouble to get children to take Kennedy's laxative cough syrup They like it because it because it tastes nearly as maple sugar Kennedy's laxative cough syrup is a safe sure and prompt remedy for coughs and colds and is good for every member of the family. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

G. L. Wellemeyer called on his Klemme friends on Monday. This office also acknowledged a pleasant call. George has been a faithful hand on the Carl Wellemeyer farm for the past few years, but severed his connection there and has accepted a position in the Democrat office at Garner. George is a good all around printer and will fill the bill.

The Crystal Lake Reflector has suspended publication. It has not paid the publishers and they have had difficulty in making both ends meet and in fact they did'nt meet. The expenditures were greater than the receipts and the plant was sold. All bills will be paid and all accounts collected by Chris Gilstrap of Crystal Lake except subscription accounts which are payable to the Garner Signal which purchased the Reflector list. E. N. Bailey has purchased the printing plant and will move it out in Dakota.—Garner Signal.

Thomas A Edison the great American inventor says: Fully eighty per cent of illness of man comes from eating improper food or to much food, people are inclined to over-indulge themselves. This is where indigestion finds its beginning in nearly every case. The stomach can do just so much work and no more and when you overload it or when you eat the wrong food the digestive organs can not possibly do the work demanded of them. It is at such times that the stomach needs help, it demands help and warns you by headaches, belching sour stomach, nausea and indigestion. You should attend to this at once by taking something that will actually do the work for the stomach. Kodol will do this. It is a combination of natural digestants and vegetable acids and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. It is pleasant to take. It digests what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

C. W. Wiles and family were at Garner on Tuesday.

Mrs. H. Schroeder and son Albert were at Garner today.

EARLY RISERS
The famous little pills.

H. A. Sweigard of Garner, spent over Sunday at the home of J. F. Hartfelder and family.

Lost between Carl Anderson's and Klemme one cravenette over coat. Finder please leave at drug store.

Mrs. A. B Shafer and daughter Mrs. Lemon and son left for Rake today for a visit with E. P. Dow and family.

PAY UP.—Those owing me on account for machinery and twine are requested to pay up at once.
H. Lau & Son.

Henry Meduas residence which is occupied by G. G. Washburn and family, has been remodeled with a new coat of paint.

Wm. Schlawein and family, John Bock, Jr. and family, Fred Barz and family and Wm, Sampson all spent Sunday at the home of Henry Wille.

We would advise every one who has a defective chimney to repair the same at once before cold weather sets in. It is best to be on the safe side.

NOTICE—Anyone wishing any blacksmithing or wood work done call at the Nissen shop which I recently purchased. A trial will be satisfactory.
J. W. Scott.

Henry Krunkelfeldt has recently rented the meat market and is a good man for this work. He has had lots of experience at this trade.—Crystal Lake Reflector.

V. S. Hardbeck and wife of Colesburg, Iowa are visiting with Henry Wille and family. They left Tuesday for Titonka and from there will go to Burt for a visit among relatives.

Aug. Deitrich and wife of Thompson, are visiting at the home of Henry Wille and family. He is a brother-in-law of Henry Wille. He left for Thompson on Wednesday while his wife will remain for a short time.

Stomach troubles, heart and kidney ailments can be quickly corrected with a prescription to druggists every where as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The prompt and surprising relief which this remedy immediately brings is due to its restorative action upon the controlling nerves of the stomach, etc. All Dealers.

Monday evening our fire laddies met at the hose house for the purpose of electing new officers for the ensuing year. They are as follows:

F. H. Ridder, Chief.
L. Larsen, Asst. Chief.
F. Gruetzmacher, President.
F. A. Arnold, Vice Pres.
H. Mann, Clerk.
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Used for ten years without a failure.

W C Bott a star City, Ind. hardware merchant is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's cough remedy. His children have all been subject to croup and he has used this remedy for the past 10 years and though they much feared the croup his wife and he always felt safe upon retiring when a bottle of Chamberlain's cough remedy was in the house. His oldest child was subject to severe attacks of croup but this remedy never failed to effect a speedy cure. He has recommended it to friends and neighbors and all who have used it say that it is unequaled for croup and whooping cough. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

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I am not only in the painting business, but am also prepared to take your pictures. Copying a specialty. Prices reasonable.

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AUG. LAU & SON.

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you have any old iron to sell I will be pleased to buy it. I will pay 35c per hundred in cash. Anyone having a load on hand, notify me.
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Mr. S. S. Ball, of Ravenswood, W. Va., says:—"I was troubled with sour stomach for twenty years. Kodol cured me and we are now using it in milk for baby."

FOR BACKACHE--WEAK KIDNEYS
TRY
DeWITT'S KIDNEY and BLADDER PILLS—Sure and Safe
Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., Chicago

Sold by J L Harr & Co.

UNITED STATES SENATOR FROM SOUTH CAROLINA PRAISES PE-RU-NA.

Ex-Senator M. C. Butler.

Dyspepsia Is Often Caused By Catarrh of the Stomach—Peruna Relieves Catarrh of the Stomach and Is Therefore a Remedy for Dyspepsia.

Hon. M. C. Butler, U. S. Senator from South Carolina for two terms, in a letter from Washington, D. C., writes to the Peruna Medicine Co., as follows:

"I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble. I have been using your medicine for a short period and I feel very much relieved. It is indeed a wonderful medicine, besides a good tonic."

CATARRH of the stomach is the correct name for most cases of dyspepsia. Only an internal catarrh remedy, such as Peruna, is available.

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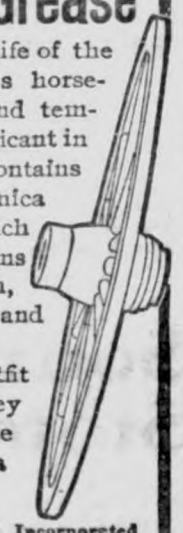

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IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

SMOOTH BURGLAR TAKEN.

Police Catch Ottumwa Man After Long Hunt.

Ottumwa.—In the arrest of Walter Moore, the Ottumwa police declare they have taken the smoothest burglar that the city has ever known. Burglaries for over a year are laid at his door and the police accuse him of twenty successful raids since April 1 last.

The case is a peculiar one. Moore, who come from one of the oldest and most respected families of the city, claims that he is morally impeccable when not under the influence of cocaine. He adds, that when he is full of dope he does not know what he is doing, and that all the thefts which can be laid at his door were done while under the influence of the drug.

The police take no stock in this Jekyll-Hyde theory, but assert that Moore is not only conscious but crafty.

At all events when his home was enter, a search warrant having been procured, an enormous quantity of merchandise of all sorts was discovered. All day long mechanics and carpenters have been streaming to the Moore residence on West Fourth street identifying tools as theirs. Moore seems to have made a specialty of high grade tools and instruments and there were enough in the home to stock a store.

His arrest came when the police discovered in the possession of Walter Roscoe, an undertaker's assistant, a set of valuable surgical instruments belonging to Dr. Hamblin, who rooms at the Moore home. The tools were stolen from the doctor's office some time ago and Roscoe, who bears an excellent reputation, says that he bought them from Moore.

The police have had their eye on Moore for some time, but have never been able to catch him entering a building.

SECURES LIBERTY; TAKES LIFE.

Davenport Man Dies Rather Than Face Disgrace.

Davenport.—J. H. Farrand, superintendent of the local postoffice, secured his liberty after arrest for plundering registered mail only to poison himself at his home. The prominence of himself and family socially and otherwise made his disgrace more than he could bear.

The coroner's jury, which held the inquest over Farrand's body returned a verdict of suicide in accordance with the evidence.

Farrand was found dead in bed shortly after 10 o'clock a. m., at his home. He failed to appear for preliminary examination and a telephone call sent to his home caused his mother to attempt to arouse him on the supposition that he was sleeping. He was then first discovered to be dead. An empty chloroform bottle by his side and a towel saturated with the drug, told the sad story.

Farrand's arrest the night before created a sensation. He had for years been highly esteemed and trusted implicitly. It was charged that for some time he had been extracting money from registered letters. Recently secret service officers came here to investigate and soon after the arrest of Farrand followed, Officer Mills of Omaha making the arrest. He secured bond late at night and then proceeded to his rooms where he killed himself.

Farrand was born and reared in Davenport, where his family has always been prominent. Mrs. Farrand has wide reputation as a singer and at the time of the tragedy she was in the east, appearing in opera. Farrand was 42 years old. He had no children.

FREED FROM MURDER CHARGE.

Baily Black of Buxton, Who Killed John Coleman, Goes Free.

Albia.—After being out four hours, the jury in the case of the State vs. Bailey Black returned a verdict of not guilty. Black shot and killed his partner, John Coleman, in a quarrel last May at Buxton. Black created a sensation in the jail here a week ago by declaring that he saw Coleman's ghost. It developed from the evidence that Coleman was the aggressor in the fight, and that Black shot him only after he had tried to get away from his pursuer. Coleman attacked Black with a knife.

Stole Her Turkeys; Married Her.

Ida Grove.—The grand jury of Ida county is confronted with an unusual case. Nick Davis of Battle Creek is charged with stealing several turkeys from a young woman neighbor. She filed complaint but since then Davis has wooed and won her.

They were married a month ago, but she forgot to withdraw the complaint, so the wife still stands as the accuser of her husband as a thief.

Burglars Get $600 in Jewelry.

Cedar Rapids.—Burglars looted a jewelry store at Independence, securing $600 worth of goods. There is no clue.

BIG MAN AT OELWEIN.

General Superintendent of Great Western Present.

Oelwein.—The strike situation here has brought to Oelwein several of the general officers of the Great Western. General Superintendent Goodell is in chief charge, and General Solicitor Briggs is here in an advisory capacity and he takes care of possible legal contingencies. The two big men, with others, make their head quarters in their private cars in the shop yards. They have stationed guards everywhere and no one is allowed admission except on pass.

"With other officials of the company I am located here to re-open the shops, and shall remain here until that is effected," said Superintendent Goodell. "I have no statement to give out as to whether the Oelwein shops will be open or not. We have no feeling of ill will toward the men who have been in our employ here till recently, but the Chicago Great Western will not pay higher wages than other roads, or higher than its income will justify.

"We are bringing in workmen every day, and at present have in our employ here ninety-eight machinists and eighteen boilermakers. We have seven fires running in the blacksmith shop. A force of men have begun work in the car shops, and four men are doing business in the mill. We have sent out three engines since the strike developed. We shall not attempt to open the coach shops as we have entered into a contract with the Pullman shops to do all of that work, and coaches will be sent to Pullman for repairs, painting, etc."

PROMOTER DOWN AND OUT.

Henry Boozer, Interurban Builder, Kills Himself.

Ottumwa.—Henry Boozer of Waterloo, Ind., one of the most prominent interurban promoters of the west, committed suicide in the Ballingall hotel here. His dead body was found in his room shortly after 1 o'clock p. m., when a chambermaid, unable to get any response from knocking at the door, looked over the transom and found him lying on the floor.

After an examination of the body, Dr. Williams stated that the man had been dead for several hours. Beside the body was found two empty four-ounce bottles, each labeled hydrate of chloral.

Boozer successfully promoted the Fairfield, Memphis, Mo., interurban, which is now under construction. Owing to some difficulty with Donal C. Fitzgerald of New York, who bonded the Fairfield-Memphis road, Boozer severed his connection with the enterprise.

A few months ago he went to Keosauqua and Bonaparte and endeavored to interest parties in an interurban from those points to Burlington, but he was not successful in this venture.

Lately he came to Ottumwa and here was endeavoring to interest capitalists in an interurban to Fairfield to join the one there which is to extend to Memphis, Mo. He was not very successful in his endeavors here, and discouraged at the prospect is said to have taken to drinking.

TREATED BY TELEPHONE.

Long Science Healing Fails to Save Babe.

Sioux City.—When the helpless babe of Mrs. John Davis lay dying in its crib, the infant's grief-stricken mother lost faith in Christian Science and made a despairing appeal to physicians to save the life of her first born.

The effort was vain, for the baby ill three weeks with acute indigestion, passed away in the little home of the Davis family. Efforts of physicians called late were of no more avail than had been the ministrations of the Christian Science expert at Oelwein, who gave the child absent treatment over the long distance telephone.

MONEY FOR INTERURBAN.

Marshalltown.—The business men of Marshalltown have agreed to subscribe $25,000 for the Melbourne interurban project, promoted by Hamilton Browne. It is expected that the banks here will take over another $25,000, and if they do Browne agrees to build the road.

A 3 per cent tax has already been voted to aid the project, but to get the tax the road must be built and in operation by July 1 next. Browne was disappointed in getting the cooperation of outside capitalists that he expected, and he made a proposition locally which has been accepted as far as the Marshalltown Retail Merchants' association is concerned.

Iowa Hog Sells For $2,050.00.

Redfield.—The highest price ever paid for a hog in the county was paid at Mr. Wilson's sale of thoroughbred Duroc Jerseys west of town, one hog selling for $2,050.

A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.

How a Veteran Was Saved the Amputation of a Limb.

B. Frank Doremus, veteran, of Roosevelt avenue, Indianapolis, Ind., says: "I had been showing symptoms of kidney trouble from the time I was mustered out of the army, but in all my life I never suffered as in 1897. Headaches, dizziness and sleeplessness, first, and then dropsy. I was weak and helpless, having run down from 180 to 125 pounds. I was having terrible pain in the kidneys, and the secretions passed almost involuntarily. My left leg swelled until it was 34 inches around, and the doctor tapped it night and morning until I could no longer stand it, and then he advised amputation. I refused, and began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The swelling subsided gradually, the urine became natural, and all my pains and aches disappeared. I have been well now for nine years since using Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

SURELY HAD PRIZE FLY.

Money Invested in Incubator Was Not All Lost.

Poultney Bigelow, the brilliant author and journalist, said the other day of the chicken farm that he is about to set up at Malden:

"I hope to succeed with this farm. I hope our experiences won't too closely resemble that of my old friend Horatio Rogers. Rash Rogers lived in the suburbs. On the suburban train one morning he said to me with a sour laugh:

"'I've got something nobody else has got, Mr. Bigelow.'

"'Have you, Rash?' said I. 'What is it?'

"'Well,' said Rogers, 'I bought a $50 incubator last month, put $15 worth of eggs in it, and hatched out a blubottle fly.'

"He frowned, then sighed.

"'Yes,' he said, 'I've got the only $65 bluebottle fly in the world.'"

SLEEP BROKEN BY ITCHING.

Eczema Covered Whole Body for a Year—No Relief Until Cuticura Remedies Prove a Success.

"For a year I have had what they call eczema. I had an itching all over my body, and when I would retire for the night it would keep me awake half the night, and the more I would scratch, the more it would itch. I tried all kinds of remedies, but could get no relief.

"I used one cake of Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura, and two vials of Cuticura Resolvent Pills, which cost me a dollar and twenty-five cents in all, and am very glad I tried them, for I was completely cured. Walter W. Paglusch, 207 N. Robey St., Chicago, Ill., Oct. 8 and 16, 1906."

Chiropodist's Prescription.

A lotion and powder for tender and swollen feet: One teaspoonful of boracic acid to one pint of grain alcohol. After bathing the feet in lukewarm water, spray them with the lotion used in an atomizer, and fan until dry. The effect is delightful. Then rub over the foot this powder, or put it in the stocking:

Powdered starch, 35 grains, oil of bergamot, ten drops; oil of lavender, 6 drops; oil of wintergreen, 16 drops. Mix well, and pass through a sieve. Excellent.—National Magazine.

Grammar and Grippe.

A professor at the University of Virginia was endeavoring to impress upon the youths of his class the monstrous crime of using the adverb "badly" where the adjective "bad" should be used.

"Now," he said, after an exhaustive explanation, "if a man should say to you 'I feel badly,' what would you think?"

"I'd think he had the grippe, sir," responded the wag of the class.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Drink More Water.

There are so many soothing and hygienic elements in water, just clear water, either hot or cold, that, generally speaking, the whole human race would be better for more varied, if not necessarily copious, use of it. Few persons drink enough water between meals.

By following the directions, which are plainly printed on each package of Defiance Starch, Men's Collars and Cuffs can be made just as stiff as desired, with either gloss or domestic finish. Try it, 16 oz. for 10c, sold by all good grocers.

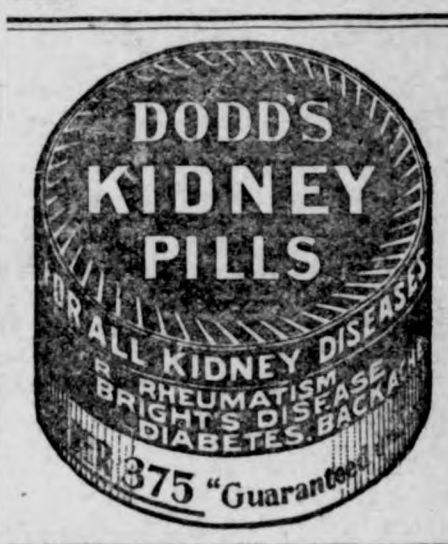
Insight Not Appreciated.

It's so strange that a man never appreciates the wonderful insight of a woman's mind when she refuses to believe that the street cars were blocked.

Ladies Can Wear Shoes

One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease. A certain cure for swollen, sweating, hot, aching feet. At all Druggists, 25c. Accept no substitute. Trial package FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

A man who likes work is never at a loss. If he falls, he will rise again; we need never despair of him.—P. J. Stahl.



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Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable

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Perfect Womanhood

The greatest menace to woman's permanent happiness in life is the suffering that comes from some derangement of the feminine organs.

Many thousands of women have realized this too late to save their health, barely in time to save their lives.

To be a successful wife, to retain the love and admiration of her husband, should be a woman's constant study.

If a woman finds that her energiesare flagging, that she gets easily tired, dark shadows appear under her eyes, she has backache, headache, bearing-down sensations, nervousness, irregularities or the "blues," she should start at once to build up her system by a tonic with specific powers, such as

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

the great woman's remedy for woman's ills, made only of roots and herbs.

It cures Female Complaints, such as Dragging Sensations, Weak Back, Falling and Displacements, Inflammation and Ulceration, and all Organic Diseases, and is invaluable in the Change of Life. It dissolves and Expels Tumors at an early stage. Subdues Faintness, Nervous Prostration, Exhaustion, and strengthens and tones the Stomach. Cures Headache, General Debility, Indigestion, and invigorates the whole female sysem. It is an excellent remedy for derangements of the Kidneys in either sex.

END JAP INVASION

STRAUS WILL PREVENT SNEAKING OVER BORDER.

INCREASE HAS BEEN NOTED

Japanese Who Sail for Mexico and Canada Are Bound in every Case for United States

Washington, D. C., Oct. 7.—No more suave Japanese are going to sneak over the borders of Canada and Mexico. The whole strength of the department of commerce and labor is to be devoted to put an end to the practice. For immigration of Japanese into America is increasing at such an alarming rate that it has been determined to adopt extraordinary measures to prevent the introduction, not only to Japanese but of other Asiatic coolie laborers. One result of the trip of Secretary Straus along the Canadian border and the Pacific coast has been an increasing of the force of immigration inspectors along the Canadian border with a view to controlling the flood of Asiatics.

Official figures of the immigration of Japanese are not available because Secretary Straus declines to make them public, but it is known that more than double the number of Japanese have come into the United States thus far this year as compared with last year. Naturally the figures of the government do not include the hundreds of Japanese who have come in surreptitiously. They have come across the Canadian and Mexican borders, practically without hindrance, despite government regulations.

The government of Japan does not issue passports for laborers to the American continent. It does, however, issue passes for Hawaiian islands and Canadian countries. They take passage either to Mexico or Canada and there the way across the border is easy. They take a train, for instance, from Mexico or Canada, through the United States. The railroads are not bonded as in the case of Chinese passengers, to deliver them at a specific destination. The result is that the Japanese leave the train at any point they may choose. They disappear and it practically is impossible to find them.

For many months immigration inspectors have been making investigations. In practically every instance they have reported that the Japanese who reach Mexico or Canada are bound for the United States. Inquiries in the Hawaiian islands have revealed organizations whose business it is to send Japanese laborers to the United States. They not only provide the means but have paved the way for the coolies.

It is this sort of work that the government proposes to combat. In the appointment of what practically constitutes a patrol guard of the northern and southern borders of the country, Secretary Straus hopes to reduce the number of Asiatics, Japanese Chinese and Hindoos who daily are coming across the borders.

HUNTING CAMP READY.

Lake Providence, La., Oct. 7.—President Roosevelt's hunting camp in East Carroll parish is all in readiness for the arrival of the president and his party. Every preparation has been made to add to the comfort of the party and all day yesterday men were at work building drains and arranging tents.

Eleven tents have been pitched within a stone's throw of the Tensas river and the location is a good one. Five of the tents are for members of the party, while two will be turned over to the negro guides and servants. The remaining tents form a kitchen, dining room tent and a canvas tent for the dogs.

Squirrels are numerous about the camp and plenty of trout can be caught in the Tensas. The servants left at the samp will hunt for small game during the day and will aid in providing for the larder of the president's party.

The party will not be disturbed by visitors, as the camp is situated ten miles from a railroad and in a section of the counrty that has never hear a woodman's ax before men began work on the camp.

The camp is on the bank of the Tensas river, about ten miles from railroad or wire connection. The dining tent is sheltered by trees and is between the president's tent and the river. The president's quarters are the fathrest from the river, with the entire camp in front of him. On the river bank are the servants and the guides' quarters and the kitchen.

A big tent apart from the main group has been pitched for use of the numerous horses.

Hanging vines from the trees about the camp enclosure make a thick screen which shuts in the small white canvas village.

River reeds grow thickly in the foreground. The Tensas is little more than a good sized creek at this point.

Johnson Declines To Run.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 6.—Governor Johnson is out with a formal statement to the press of the Twin Cities that he is not and has not been a candidate for the nomination for president. He also states that he knows W. J. Bryan is and has been a candidate for the past three months.

Sea Trout Fattened.

A sea trout was caught at Aberdeen recently, which swam 120 miles in 49 days, and doubled its weight on the way. It was marked and put into the Coquet in Northumberland, and when recaught at Aberdeen, its length was not increased, its rapid gain in weight being due to corpulence.

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You are hereby notified that there has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of Hancock county, Iowa, a petition asking the Board of Supervisors of said county to establish a part of the above described lands in a Drainage District and order the same drained in accordance with Chapter Two (2) Title X of the Code of Iowa and all laws amendatory or additional thereto on the grounds that the same are in part too wet for cultivation, subject to overflow and in the opinion of the petitioners the public health, convenience, utility and welfare will be promoted by the draining thereof, which said petition, was accompanied by a bond as provided by said law which has been duly approved and filed; That the Board of Supervisors appointed an Engineer to make a preliminary survey thereof and the Engineer has filed his report showing the survey and recommending the establishment of all of the above described land in a drainage district and draining thereof.

You are further notified that the said petition will come on for hearing on the 14th day of October, A. D., 1907 at an adjourned session of the Board of Supervisors to be holden at the Court House in Garner, Iowa, on said date.

You are further notified that all claims for damages or compensation must be filed in the office of the County Auditor not less than FIVE (5) days before the day set for said hearing and also that you may appear and resist the granting of the said petition if you see proper so to do and that, unless you do, the said lands will be drained as provided by the laws above referred to and you and each of you will be forever barred from objecting thereto or claimins damages or compensation on account thereof.

Witness my hand and official seal this 21st day of September, A. D., 1907.

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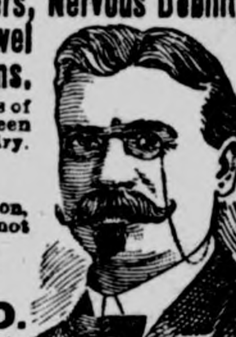
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The Hancock County Sunday School Convention was held in the U. P. church of Garner, Ia. Oct 11 and 12. Tho' the attend ance was not so large as last year it fully made up for this in serious deliberation and aggressive determination. While it must be generally admitted that the Sunday school work in the county is not organized and prosecuted as it might be. Mr. Deyoe has had the work at heart and made a strenuous effort to improve it in every department. His ernest remarks during the convention were at times very touching.

Rev. R. T. Stivers of Mason City was engaged during the summer to the rural districts. He visited a number of township conventions and organized four schools.

One of the difficult problems seemed to be "How to promote home study of the lesson." Miss Barnard of Northwood read an able paper on this subject and a lively discussion followed. If every school would organize a "cradle roll" and "home department" and suitable teachers could be secured who take a deep interest in the scholars, the solution of this question would soon be reached. Rev. F. F. Fitch the new state field worker made a favorable impression and proved himself a thorough Sunday school man. Dr. Kephart's address on "The mission of the Sunday school was a masterly production in which he presented the mission of the Sunday school: 1st teaching the Bible, 2nd bring souls to Christ, 3rd build them up in Christ.

Again and again Sunday school workers were urged to attend the Clear Lake training school which resulted in such splendid work during the past two years and will be held next year again July 26 to 28. It was resolved that we give special attention to the department work this coming year and strive to make our county a banner county.

Garner people proved themselves royal entertainers and made it very pleasant for the delegates. The next convention will be held in Goodell.

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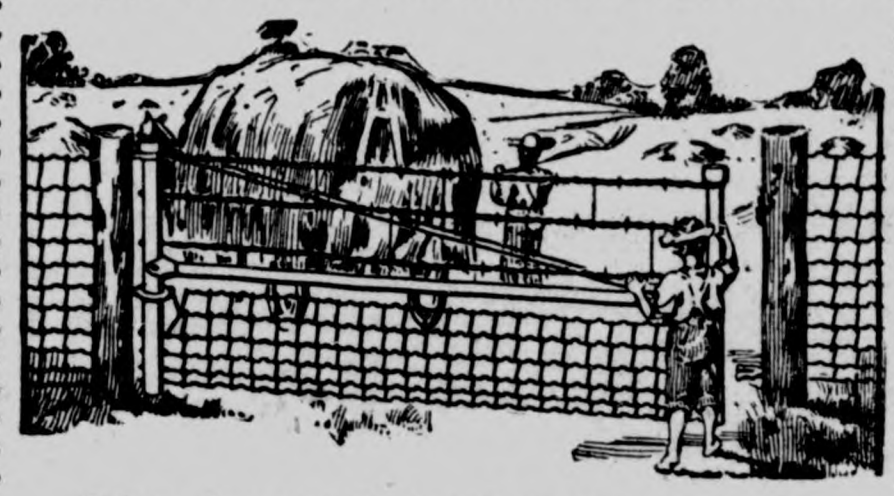

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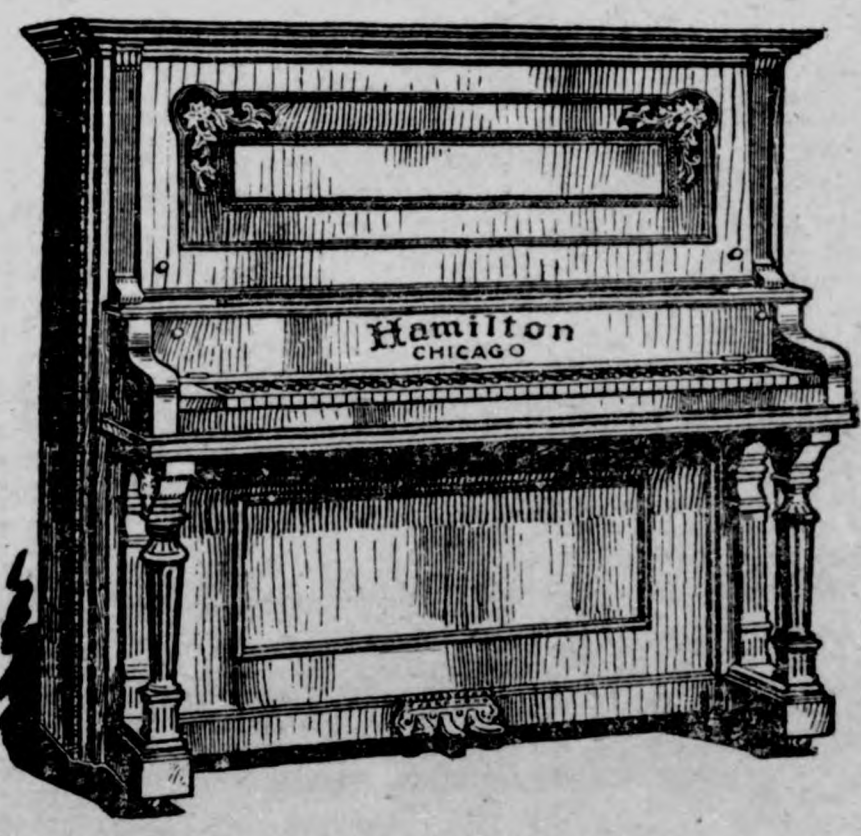

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Sowing the seed of hate produces the fruit of destruction.

The first scar on the pure page of chastity is the last hope of happiness.

A Lowell paper goes a trifle too far in saying that in England a man may now marry his widow's sister.

A darning needle has been found in the yolk of an Iowa egg. The head of the house now knows why it wasn't found in the toe of his stocking.

It is a relief to learn from patient investigators that the 'swastika" is neither a new game of cards nor another variety of breakfast food.

The Lake of Constance in Switzerland is becoming so shallow near Lindau that it may soon be necessary to fill it up with soil for sanitary reasons.

Another western man has invented a bottle that cannot be refilled. Now let the geniuses devote themselves to invent a bottle that won't need to be refilled.

A Chester, Pa., man, dreamed that he was being robbed, and when he woke up he found that his dream had come true. Still, that wasn't much of a triumph.

Doubtless D'Annunzio's impression that he will not die until 1909 is responsible for his having ordered a motor car with a speed of 80 miles an hour.

New Zealand has ceased to be a colony and is now a dominion. The way we heard it was that New Zealand primarily was a spawning ground for magazine articles.

A New York clerk went on a two days' vacation and his substitute discovered that he had embezzled $9,000. Here is further evidence that there is no rest for the wicked.

Every man knows himself better than anybody else, and should not be inflated or depressed by the praise or censure of anyone, standing firm on his sterling, truthful character.

It is said that a good way to ward off seasickness is to hold a looking-glass in front of the face. We know some men whom that treatment would make sicker than ever the sea could do.

Andrew Carnegie has declined to furnish a library for Berlin, but he might offer a medal for those heroes who refrain from singing the "Stein Song" in American summer gardens.

Automobile danger signals are being put up in towns near New York "to protect children." A few of the right size for adults, suggests the Springfield Republican, would not be amiss, either.

A Kansas editor says his idea of luxury is a pair of suspenders for each pair of trousers he has. An Ohio editor says his idea of it is to have more pairs of trousers than he has suspenders.

The American Bar association tabled indefinitely a resolution declaring that "the unwritten law is the word of God," thereby administering a severe shock to excitable gentlemen and professional pistol-toters.

Prof. Larkin, astronomer, says that "marriage for life" is a great crime. He knows he is right because 1,800 intelligent women whom he asked about it told him so. Also he probably read the answer in the stars.

There is one inlet in the Pacific ocean where the conventional term "the silver sea" is absolutely inappropriate just now. At the mouth of the Santa Clara river, California, the water has a bright golden hue, owing to the presence of tens of thousands of floating oranges. These are not the flotsam of washed-out orchards, but were deliberately thrown into the river from the great packing houses in the Sespe neighborhood. The crops are so large that only the best oranges are worth keeping.

Now that it is at least legally possible for an Englishman to marry his deceased wife's sister British clergymen are evidently afraid of a rush of such marriages. They need have no such anxiety. Where one such marriage occurs a hundred other brothers and sisters by law will be found to regard such alliances with the same degree of distaste that the clergymen do, not because of the degree of consanguinity, however, but because they know each other too well.

SYNOPSIS.

Burton H. Barnes, a wealthy American touring Corsica, rescues the young English lieutenant, Edward Gerard Anstruther, and his Corsican bride, Marina, daughter of the Paolis, from the murderous vendetta, understanding that his reward is to be the hand of the girl he loves, Enid Anstruther, sister of the English lieutenant. The four fly from Ajaccio to Marseilles on board the French steamer Constantine.

CHAPTER I.—Continued.

"A wire from somebody who knew I was on this boat," thinks the American, and hastily tearing it open, reads:

Burton H. Barnes,
Steamer Constantine arriving Marseilles. Ajaccio, May 26, 1883.
En evant double quick! The devil is behind you. Look out for Saliceti. Details by letter. De B.

From instinct Mr. Barnes touches his hip pocket just to be sure his revolver is there. Then he paces the deck meditatively for a moment, cogitating: "Something must be happening in Corsica for that old Algerine campaigner De Belloc to send such a dispatch. Best the ladies don't see this," and tears the message up tossing the pieces overboard. As he does so Miss Anstruther is beside him, a fluffy white parasol over her head.

"I think," says Mr. Barnes, "we'll go to London as soon as possible. We have but 20 minutes to catch the train. Ah, here's Tompson with the valises!" He takes Miss Anstruther's maid, an English girl of about 20, and rather helpless in a French-speaking country, puts her with the heavier articles of their baggage into a voiture and dispatches her to the railroad depot at once. Returning to his fiancee on the deck of the boat, he says impatiently: "Why doesn't Edwin bring Marina on deck?"

This is answered by the young Corsican bride herself. "My husband," she lingers on the word radiantly, "will be along in a minute. He is cording up our baggage, sailor fashion. 'All atauto,' I think Edwin calls it. Is it all ashore now, dear Mr. Barnes," and Marina drapes her light traveling robe with graceful hand about her pretty feet.

"Yes, as quickly as possible. Come, Enid!" and the American leads the way.

Marina waves her hand to her husband, who springs down the gangplank carrying the corded articles and cries: "Hurry, Edwin! Twenty minutes to catch the Paris train."

"Then I've got you in time!" shouts a voice from the quay that makes Barnes start and turn about.

Before them stands Miss Maud Chartris, her high, bronzed boots more bronzy than ever, the cardinal red of her long, silk stockings that outline her legs from knees to ankles even more aggressively gleaming. A pert little sunshade is over her straw-hatted head, which is adorned by two long, blonde pigtails tied with blue ribbons which she flops about defiantly. The rest of her between knees and neck is a white muslin frock and pink sash.

"Ma said I was to catch you, Edwin, at the boat if you came on it. She wants you at her hotel, the Grand, Rue Noailles. You're to look after that plumbing job in her house in London. The master plumber is robbing her."

"Awfully sorry I cannot accommodate your mother, Maud," remarks Anstruther. The carriage engaged by Barnes is standing ready for them. "We steer straight to the depot. I thought your mother was in London already."

"No, we're going back to Nice. Von Bulow is there. Between us all, ma means to marry him. How I pity the German. I'll ride up with you and tell you all about it," cries the Chartris girl, whose widowed mother sternly represses the unfortunate Maud from growing into young ladyhood and absolutely denies her birthdays till she, Lady Chartris, has captured another husband.

Already Enid and Marina are on the back seat, Anstruther steps in; Barnes likewise.

"Room for one more!" cries Maud, who springs in and kisses both of the young ladies effusively.

Already the carriage having rolled up the Boulevard des Dames and passed the Arc de Triomphe has turned into the Rue Bernard du Bois, making for the big railway station, out of which nearly all trains leave Marseilles not only for Paris, but everywhere else.

"You give my compliments to your mother, Maud," remarks the sailor, trying to cut off Maud's conversation. "Tell her to write me at my London address and I'll hoist her plumber at the yard-arm."

By this time they are at the great station. Miss Chartris skips out and the rest follow her from the carriage. Trains are ready to leave for the four quarters of the globe; the platforms are filled with hurrying passengers.

It is hard to believe a medieval vendetta can be inserted on such a scene. Barnes, glancing at his watch, finds they have ten minutes before the train departs: he says cheerfully but hurriedly: "Look out for the ladies, Edwin; I'll find Tompson and the rest of the baggage," and goes off to get the tickets and make the necessary arrangements.

But "look out for the ladies," is more easily said than done.

Three jabbering porters have seized their hand baggage and are carrying it in sections towards different trains that will scatter the pieces to the west and the Pyrenees, to the east and Italy.

Edwin pursues these; then Enid gives a gasp. Another porter, calling: "Arles, Tarascon and Avignon!" has pounced upon her special handbag and is rushing away with it. Miss Anstruther flies after him, leaving Maud and Marina together.

"But as a Doctor, My Opinion Is She Must Remain Here for a Few Hours' Rest."

Five minutes later, Barnes returns to find Edwin supporting Marina, whose face is very pale, and whose eyes are scarcely conscious. Were it not for the stout arm about her, she would fall to the platform of the great station, under the feet of the hurrying throng.

Miss Chartris is gazing meditatively at her, chewing the blue-enameled knob of her parasol and furtively tucking something in her glove.

"What the deuce has happened to her?" asks the American.

"She is too ill to speak," answers the young husband, astounded. "What am I to do? We cannot take her on the train in this shape. She is absolutely unfit to travel. She has nearly fainted again." For Marina's eyes, seeing Edwin, close again in apparent despair.

"What produced it?" demanded Barnes. "She was the picture of health when I left her."

Here Enid runs up with her replevined handsatchel.

"Do you know how this occurred?" asks Edwin, eagerly.

"Not so much as you do!" replies Miss Anstruther; "Maud, how did this happen?" She turns suspicious eyes upon Miss Chartris, who cries nervously: "What are you jumping on me for? I was only keeping Marina's handbag and umbrella, and Edwin's canes and rug, and I looked round and she'd got it in the neck!"

"Not a dagger?" shudders Enid. But a hasty inspection of Marina's white throat relieving her, Miss Anstruther cries: "Maud, how dare you use such ambiguous Americanisms! What has she got?"

"How do I know?" pouts Maud, aggressively. "She was too groggy to speak."

"It can't be paralysis!" shudders the groom, trying in vain to revive Marina.

"Not a bit," answers Barnes, after hasty examination.

"Do you think we dare put her on the train?" queries Edwin, anxiously.

"As a friend, I would say we must get her away, but—" The American pauses.

"Mercy! You have some news from Ajaccio?" Enid breaks in, trembling.

"No more news, only it is wise to be moving on. But," Burton feels the fluttering pulse of the bride, "but as a doctor, my opinion is she must remain here for a few hours at least. I'll get a carriage. Here, Tompson," he says to the maid who had followed him from the crowd in the depot, "help your mistress with the grips!"

The two gentlemen support Marina outside the station, and Maud following, says: "Take her to the Grand, our hotel. Ma's got lovely rooms there."

"Yes, it's only a short distance," remarks Barnes, "and we can make your wife comfortable at once."

The whole party soon reach the Grand hotel on the Rue Noailles. Here they are received with mixed exclamations of surprise and delight and then concern by Lady Chartris. "Marina was well, you say, only a few minutes ago and fainted at the railroad station. What produced it?" cries the English matron, after the young Corsican lady has been taken to a bedroom and a well-recommended physician sent for, Enid staying by the patient until his arrival.

Mr. Barnes doesn't deem it wise to go into details with Lady Chartris.

"You had better descend and make yourself comfortable in the cafe, Edwin," he suggests. "Young husbands are too nervous when their wives are sick."

Taking Anstruther down with him he whispers: "Besides, did you notice whenever she looked at you she swooned again. Best keep away until you learn the true reason of this sudden attack."

"Do you think it is heart disease?" asks Edwin, distractedly.

"Not the kind you mean. I can tell you that your bride is as normally healthy as any woman in the world," answers the American. "It was some shock to the brain or nervous system, I think. The question is, what was it?"

"Can it have been anything connected with that horrible island?" queries Edwin, anxiously.

"That I'm now about to attempt to discover," observes Burton.

Meditating as to what the blow is, Barnes leaves the young English officer and comes upstairs, to interview the only witness he thinks available—the adolescent Maud. As he reaches Lady Chartris' parlor, that lady's door is slightly open, and words issue to him that make him pause outside the entrance.

"Now, Maud," says Lady Chartris, sternly, "what caused Mrs. Anstruther to faint? You were alone with her."

"Ma, I didn't do it! Sure, I didn't!" falters the girl.

"The truth, or I shall take you to my bedroom. You know what will happen to you there, if you don't tell me everything." The voice of the mother suggests awful possibilities.

"Yes, ma, I will; I'll tell you every blessed thing—don't look at me that way. Why, I was just walking round with Marina and I left her for a minute and a gentleman, French and Italian mixed, said: 'You are with Madame Anstruther?' He stumbled over the name, and I answered proudly—Marina looked awfully fetching—'You bet, she's my cousin by marriage.' Then he said: 'Give her this, with my regards,' and handed me a note. Well, I gave it to Marina and that finished her."

"Finished her?"

"Yes, she kind of read it in two pieces. First she drew up and looked like—like you when you think you've caught me in something awful—strong, savage and horrible. And when she read the second part, then she looked like I look when I'm going to catch it."

"And then?" Lady Chartris' voice is intense with excited curiosity.

"Well, then Edwin came up and caught her just as she was going to fall on the floor of the railroad station.
and they brought her here."

"Is that everything?"

"Ain't it enough? How should I know anything more?"

"Oh!" exclaims Lady Chartris, in extreme disappointment. A moment after she adds, suavely: "You will have no lessons to-day, Maud."

"Bully!" ejaculates her offspring in wild delight; but sets up a stifled howl as her mother continues: "You can spend the day in bed."

"For what? Handing Marina a paper that anybody would give her?"

"For running away from your new governess on the Quai Joliette. Miss Marston reported it. To bed at once!"

The face of the eavesdropping Barnes becomes gloomy. Here is a witness whose evidence he wants and isn't going to get. He promptly enters Lady Chartris' parlor and says: "Hi, Maudie, run downstairs and I'll follow you and we'll buy some marrons glaces together."

Maud is half-way down the first flight before the last of Barnes' sentence is out of his mouth.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"The Devil's Bible."

The volume which is called "the devil's Bible," is in the library of the royal palace of Sweden. It is a huge copy of the Scriptures, written on 300 prepared asses' skins. One report says that it took 500 years to complete this copy, which is so large that it has a table by itself. Another tradition says that it was completed in a single night, due to the assistance of his Satanic majesty who, when the work was finished, gave the monk a portrait of himself for a frontispiece. The illuminated likeness of the devil still adorns the front page of the work. The volume was carried off by the Swedes in the Thirty Years' War from a convent in Prague.

Logical.

Justice—But why did you arrest the man who was run over, and not the chauffeur?

Copper—This wan wor th' aisiest to ketch, y'r anner.—Cleveland Leader.

Takes His Vacation Alone.

Hard Worker Brings Arguments to Support His Position.

"Am I justified, or not," said a married man, "in going off alone on my vacation? I think I am, the wife agrees with me; but I confess the neighbors shrug their shoulders. The case stands like this: I work hard all the year, ten full hours a day; and when I come home at night, there's the wife with her worries, and there are the children with their noisy play and their noisy quarrels. So for 50 continuous weeks—and on my brief fortnight's vacation I need a change from all that, a complete change. Therefore I go off alone to the mountains. I fish all day, and in the evening, dressed in my evening suit, I talk with beautiful young women in the hotel corridors. I want a change, I get it, and I return home a new man. But with the wife and kids along, I'd return home the same man."

When a farmer gets to calling himself an agriculturist you can make up your mind that the mortgage is about to be foreclosed.—Rose Melville.

MITCHELL TO QUIT JOB

MINERS' PRESIDENT WILL NOT RUN FOR REELECTION.

HIS HEALTH IS TOO POOR

Announcement Is Made in United Mine Workers' Journal—Has Been Head of Organization Since 1898.

Indianapolis, Ind.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, announced in the current issue of the United Mine Workers' Journal that he will not be a candidate for reelection as president. He says in his announcement that he does not regard himself as well enough to attend properly to the office. None of the executive officers of the organization was in the city Thursday, but it is said at headquarters that Mr. Mitchell will finish his present term as president, which expires April 1 of next year.

Mr. Mitchell underwent a surgical operation about six months ago and it is said that he has not fully recovered and that it is possible it will be necessary to perform another operation. He went to Chicago Tuesday and expected to go from there to LaSalle, Ill., Thursday, to consult with a surgeon in regard to the advisability of another operation.

His Formal Announcement.

Mr. Mitchell's announcement is as follows:

"To the Officers and Members of the U. M. W. of A.—Greeting: Inasmuch as notices calling for nominations are being sent out from the office of the secretary and in order that all local

John Mitchell.

unions and members thereof may be in position to express their choice for the office of president, I herewith announce that I shall not be a candidate for the presidency of your organization.

"I am prompted to arrive at this decision because I believe that I am no longer well enough to give your interests the consideration their importance demands.

"I shall explain in greater detail in my annual report to our coming convention the causes which impel me to give up the high office to which you have elected me for so many years.

"I thank you for the confidence you have reposed in me and I beg you to believe that the advancement of my craft has been my highest ambition.

"JOHN MITCHELL,
"President U. M. W. of A."

Nominations Due November 5.

The nominations to which Mr Mitchell refers are to reach the international headquarters in this city not later than November 5 from the various locals of the organization.

The referendum vote on the election must reach headquarters not later than 20 days prior to the convention, which will be held in this city in January of next year. Mr Mitchell's term, however, does not expire until April 1.

Mr. Mitchell has been president of the United Mine Workers of America since 1898.

Two Michigan Banks Close.

Kalamazoo, Mich.—The Union bank of Richland and the Bowman bank of this city, both private institutions have closed their doors with liabilities which are stated to total $195,000, of which those of the Union bank amount to $120,000.

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SAYS MINES WERE SALTED

SENSATIONAL FRAUD DISCOVERED NEAR LENDER, WYO.

Investors Not to Lose—Prime Movers in Organization Will Redeem All Stock.

Helena, Mont.—The Record publishes a story to the effect that numerous Montana and Washington investors have been mulcted to the extent of more than a third of a million dollars through the discovery that certain placer mines near Lender, Wyo., had been salted and that the property in question is worthless.

Thomas L. Greenough, of Missoula, and J. F. Greenough, of Spokane, who were the prime movers in the organization, have notified all investors that they will redeem all stock at the price paid, thus assuming the loss.

The discovery that the property was salted was due to an independent examination conducted by Speaker E. W. King, of the Montana legislature, and J. R. Neill, of Spokane, heavy prospective investors, who found, after removing a few inches of the shaft walls, that the ground was valueless, as were the tailings, although all previous experiments showed values ranging from 20 cents to nine dollars a yard.

A Chicago firm was so impressed with the future of the property that it offered the Greenoughs $2,500,000 for their interest, but the offer was rejected.

Water not being available, work had been started from either end on a tunnel through a mountain so the flow of the Pophoagie river might be utilized. The discovery has created the biggest sensation in the history of northwest mining.

ATTORNEY GENERAL IS CITED.

Young of Minnesota May Be Punished for Contempt of Court.

St. Paul, Minn.—Edward T. Young, attorney general of Minnesota, was served with an order Friday issued by Federal Judge Lochren to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court. The alleged contempt consisted of mandamus proceedings brought in the district court of Ramsey county to compel the railroads to comply with the commodity rate law passed by the last legislature, the enforcement of which has been temporarily enjoined by the federal court.

Tries to Jump Into Ocean.

New York.—Herbert Fletcher De Bon of Chicago attempted to end his life by jumping into the sea in midocean, according to a report made by the officers of the steamer Moltke, which arrived here Thursday from Genoa and Naples. The Moltke was three days out when De Bon made the attempt to hurl himself into the sea. He was caught before he had succeeded in carrying out his apparent intention and from that time until the steamer arrived here he was kept under constant observation.

Santa Fe Road Guilty.

Los Angeles, Cal.—After brief deliberation the jury in the case of the Santa Fe Railway company, charged with rebating shipments, Friday rendered a verdict of guilty on all counts enumerated in the indictments found by the grand jury.

The maximum fine for the offenses charged is $1,100,000 and the minimum is $66,000.

TO ATTEND TRUST CONFERENCE.

Delegates for Illinois Are Appointed by Gov. Deneen.

Springfield, Ill. — The following delegates were appointed Friday by Gov. Deneen to represent the state of Illinois at the National Trust conference to be held in Chicago October 23: John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of American; William D. Ryan, secretary-treasurer of the Illinois District United Mine Workers of America; Charles Ridgley, Springfield; Prof. James W. Garner, University of Illinois; Charles Whitney, Waukegan; Benson Wood, Effingham; Dr. Edmund J. James, president University of Illinois; John V. Farwell, Jr.; John G. Shedd, A. C. Bartlett, B. A. Eckhart, Alfred L. Baker, George W. Perkins, president Cigarmakers' union; Harry Pratt Judson, president University of Chicago; E. R. Wright, president Illinois Federation of Labor; Marvin Hughitt, president Chicago & Northwestern railway; A. J. Earling, president Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway; Franklin MacVeagh, John S. Miller, W. J. Calhoun, Abram W. Harris, president Northwestern upniversity; Charles G Dawes, former comptroller of the currency.

LUSITANIA SETS NEW RECORDS.

Crosses In Four Days, 20 Hours, Averaging Nearly 24 Knots.

New York.—The Cunarder Lusitania, with practically all the transatlantic records to her credit, arrived abeam the Sandy Hook lightship at 1:25 a. m. Friday.

The time for the trip from Daunt's Rock to the Sandy Hook light, the official course over which the speed trials were made, was four days, 20 hours. The last day's run was apparently the fastest of the trip, the giant liner hitting up her speed to 25 knots an hour over a smooth sea with little wind to interfere with her.

The Lusitania's time averages almost exactly 24 knots an hour for the entire trip. Her arrival at 1:20, or five minutes earlier than she passed the lightship, would have made her speed exactly 24 knots.

Actress Shoots Herself.

Gallipolis, O.—Miss Texas Guinan, leading lady with the "Simple Simon" Theatrical company, accidentally shot herself in the side during the performance in a local theater Thursday night How the revolver came to be loaded is a mystery. Miss Guinan finished the song she was singing before being carried from the stage. She will probably recover if blood poisoning does not set in.

Missing Man Found Dead.

Cincinnati.—H. B. Howard, a wealthy coal dealer of Hartwell, a suburb, who had been missing for more than 24 hours, was found Friday afternoon in a railroad coal shed, apparently murdered. The body had been covered with sacks and pieces of coal and the head was battered in. This is the second murder in the Mill creek valley this week.

First Test Ride Taken.

Washington.—The first test ride by army officers, which was ordered by President Roosevelt to determine the horsemanship of those of higher rank than captain, started from Fort Myer at two p. m. Tuesday, and two and a half hours later the party, 29 in number, was back at the fort, having traversed something over 15 miles of good and bad Virginia roads.

A REAL "HOSS" RACE.

Country Fair the Place to See It at Its Best.

If you would see a horse strapped, booted, braced and geared to the limit, you must seek such a track as you see at the old-time country fair. Here comes an awkward flea-bitten gray which never went under 2:50 in his life. He is hobbled and checked and goggled, and hitched up sidewise, lengthwise and crosswise until there is more harness than horse. You wonder how his driver ever got him into this rigging, and how he will get him out again without cutting him free with a jackknife. A farmer with a gray beard and twinkling eye observes to his neighbor:

"Last time John Martin had that plug out on the road I told him he had the old cripple overloaded with fust-aids-to-the-injured. Them straps that was collated to hoist up his knees must ha' pulled too tight and the critter was yanked clean off the ground. What John was gettin' ready for was a race for flyin' machines, not a hoss trot."—From "The Country Fair," by David Lansing, in Outing.

TEN YEARS OF PAIN.

Unable to Do Even Housework Because of Kidney Troubles.

Mrs. Margaret Emmerich, of Clinton St., Napoleon, O., says: "For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from kidney troubles. My back pained me terribly. Every turn or move caused sharp, shooting pains. My eyesight was poor, dark spots appeared before me, and I had dizzy spells. For ten years I could not do housework, and for two years did not get out of the house. The Kidney secretions were irregular, and doctors were not helping me. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me quick relief, and finally cured me. They saved my life."

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Didn't Need Cyclopedias.

The canvasser for a cyclopedia came to the home of a colonel, whose record he had carefully studied before his visit. The colonel was especially proud of some of his sons, so the canvasser began with:

"Those are very fine boys of yours, colonel."

"They are," replied the colonel.

"I reckon you are ready to buy anything those boys want?"

"I am so," said the father of the fine boys.

"Well, then, let me sell you this cyclopedia. There's nothing will do your sons so much good."

But the colonel looked at him aghast. "Why, them lads of mine don't need any cyclopedia. They ride mules!"

Not a Hit as an Improviser.

"Did you ever hear anybody improvise?" he asked.

"No," said she, and he sat down to the piano and improvised for about an hour and a half. At the end of that time he turned around, his face full of expression, and said to her:

"What do you think of it?"

"Lovely!" she exclaimed. "Beautiful! I never heard anything like it!"

But this is what she said to the hallboy when he was gone:

"If that long, lank lunatic who improvises asks for me again, you tell him I am out."

Fictitious Impression.

"I cannot help thinking of the wonderful thought displayed in your daughter's commencement essay last june." "Yes," answered Mr. Cumrox, "judging from that essay, you would think she was as much interested in 'The Subservience of Individual Ambition to Eternal Destiny,' as she is in ice cream soda. But she isn't."

Peculiar Ornament.

An African queen, the second wife of King Lobengula, wears for a headdress on state occasions a carved and decorated bust of her husband's first wife.

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SEEK TO WIN SOLDIERS.

Russian Girls Risk Life for the Cause of Liberty.

"When the university opened last autumn I started to work again among the soldiers," said the young woman. "As you know, the revolutionists are at present working very hard to win over the army, and one of the means is to talk freedom directly to the soldiers. For this girls have been found to be more effective than men; the young peasant soldiers are more willing to listen to girls, and are far readier to protect them from arrest. So all over Russia hundreds and hundreds of girls are now nightly meeting with groups of soldiers, in working men's homes and in barracks. To go into barracks and talk revolution to the soldiers, hardly anything is so dangerous—for the girl caught is tried by court-martial and in a day or two is executed.—From Leroy Scott's Interview with a Russian Woman, in Everybody's.

A Young Composer.

Rachel, aged 12, wrote an composition on wild flowers in which she praised the arbutus, the liverwort, the spring beauty, the blood root and all of the other blossoms of dell and dale. But she wrote on both sides of her sheet of paper, and when she asked her father, who was an editor, to publish her article, he called her attention to that fact.

"You've written on both sides of your paper," said he.

"Well," was the reply, "and don't you print on both sides of yours?"

Something to Study Over.

"Dukg Hegs Knewly Lade" is a sign which graces the window of a dairy shop in South London.

"Boo Hoo"

Shouts the

Spanked Baby

The "Colic" of "Collier's" treated by a Doctor of Divinity.

Look for the "Boo Hoo" article in this paper.

"There's a Reason"

Millinery Specials

Our beautiful dress hats at great cut prices. Street hats at low prices. Childrens headwear at reduced prices. Childrens hoods a regular assortment selling from 15c to $1 45. Childrens caps at cut prices from 15c and up. A fine line of new sofa pillows, laundry bags, stamped goods, silks and velvets at reduced prices. Miss Weismann who is in charge of the trimming department comes highly recommended. She is well experienced in her profession and sure to please.

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My dear old mother who is now 83 years old thrives on Electric Bitters writes W B Brunson of Dublin. Ga. She has taken them for about 2 years and enjoys an excellent appetite feels strong and sleeps well. That's the way electric bitters affect the aged and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weaknes and general debility. Weak puny children to are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach. liver and kidney troubles by J L Harr & Co druggists. 50c.

Notice of Levy of Special Execution.

STATE OF IOWA, Hancock County, } ss

Lyman C. Mellen, Plaintiff against C. J. Simpson, Helen Simpson, et-al Defendants } Notice to Defend'ts

To C. J. Simpson, Helen Simpson, et-al.

SIR: You are hereby notified that, by virtue of a Special execution issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Hancock county, in the above entitled cause, to me directed, I have levied upon as your property, the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

Lot No. Twelve (12) in Block No. Six (6) in the Original town of Goodell, Iowa.

And I have advertised the same to be sold on the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1907 at 10 o'clock a. m. at the front door of the Court House in Garner, Hancock County, Iowa.

Witness my official signature this 19th day of September, A. D. 1907.

JOHN SUURBALLE,
Sheriff of Hancock County, Iowa.

QUINSY SPRAINS AND SWELLINGS CURED.

In November 1901 I caught cold and had the quinsy. My throat was swollen so I could hardly breathe. I applied Chamberlain's pain balm and it gave me relief in a short time. In two days I was all right says Mrs. L Cousins, Otterburn, Mich. Chamberlain's pain balm is a liniment and is especially valuable for sprains and swellings For sale by J L Harr & Co.

Twin Lake Township.

John Tanner and family visited with David Ross and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kipp are the happy parents of a new son since last week.

Ida Schwichtenberg came home from Mason City the first part of the week.

L. W. Wendel and wife spent over Sunday with relatives and friends at Forest City.

Messrs. Geo. and Chas. Burke are visiting their old home in Wisconsin at present.

Aug. Stille's are entertaining company this week in honor of the Bredlow-Gast wedding.

Public Sale.

I have decided to quit farming and will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on

Wednesday, Oct. 23, 1907.

Sale to start at 1 p. m.

The following described property to-wit:

5 horses and one mule, 27 cattle. 40 hogs. 100 chickens. Farm machinery and miscellaneous articles.

Terms—On or before 12 mo. time on approved notes bearing 8 per cent. interest. All sums of $10 and under cash. No property to be removed until settled for. CHAS. L. YAHNKE,

Col. J. J. Wilson, Auct.
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I wish to announce that our Fall Suits have arrived and are ready for your inspection.

Men's Fall Suits
$10 to $18

Boys knee pants suits
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Boys long pants Suits
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The Fall "Lanpher" Hats are all in stock, also the winter Caps and everything you want in——

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Neck-
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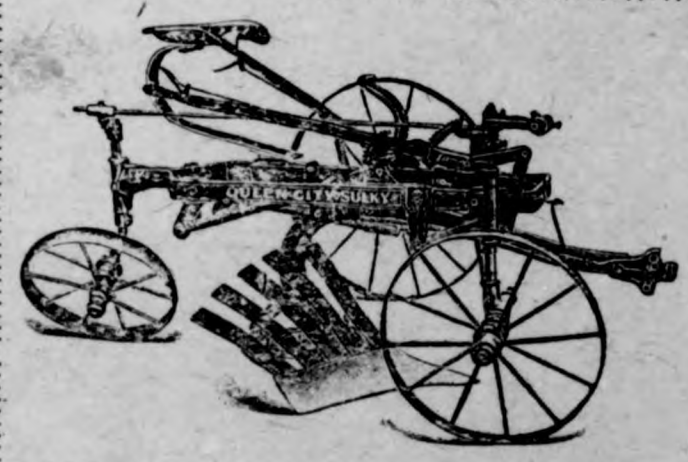

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HELLO! That's business. Car load of poultry wanted every week. A good many ask us do you buy poulty? Why ofcourse we do and at top market price. We also sell farm machinery and standard stock food which we guarantee. Try our Queen City High-lift plows. Furs and hides wanted

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Cream No.1	27
Eggs fresh	18
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Wheat	80 to 90c
Barley	40 to 60c
Hay	5 00 to 7.00
Hogs	5.00 5.50
Cattle	3.00 to 4.50

LOCAL NEWS

Read the market report.

Read State Savings Bank ad.

Rock Island System change of ad.

Read the First National Bank change of ad.

Wallace Pavey visited George Nissen and family at Titonka a few days last week.

M. Parker returned from Cedar Rapids today where he has been visiting his "friend."

Att'y W. H. Ramsay of Garner, was looking after legal matter in this vicinity Wednesday.

Mrs. E. A. Pavey of Oskaloosa, arrived Monday and is visiting with her relatives E. M. Pavey and family.

Asa Gibbs & Son have a card ad. on local page which will interest the farmers. They are thoroughbred stock raisers.

If you take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills you will get prompt relief from backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder and urinary troubles. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Mrs. A. B. Shafer and her daughter Mrs. Lemon and son returned from Rake Wednesday evening where they have been visiting with E. P. Dow and family.

Does your back ache? Do you feel tired and drowsy and lacking in ambition? If so there is something wrong with your kidneys. DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills relieve bacache weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The public sale at Morris Borgan's last Monday proved very satisfactory for Mr. Borgan which speaks well for the auctioneer Col. J. J. Wilson when other sales of the past few weeks are taken into consideration. —Meservey Messenger.

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some candy cold tablets caled Preventics. Druggists are now dispensing Preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the sneeze stage Preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis, lagrippe, etc. Hence the name preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 Preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5c, Sold by All Dealers.

J. W. Scott's wife and son arrived from Garrison today.

How is this for fall weather? Couldn't wish for any better.

Mrs. J. Josten has a special Millinery Sale. Read her change of ad.

Rev. Wessel left today for Fenton. He will be absent for about a week.

For want of room we are unable to publish Avery Center news this week.

The J. W. Scott household goods arrived from Garrison, Iowa Tuesday.

John Griewe who has been selling nursery stock in Dakota returned Tuesday.

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

Mrs. Haskin and little daughter left last week Thursday for Freeport, Illinois for a visit with her husband who is fireman for a railway company there.

The only true constipation cure must begin its soothing and healing action when it enters the mouth. Hollister's rocky mountain tea restores the whole system to a healing normal condition. 35c tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

You never have any trouble to get children to take Kennedy's laxative cough syrup They like it because it because it tastes nearly as maple sugar Kennedy's laxative cough syrup is a safe sure and prompt remedy for coughs and colds and is good for every member of the family. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Aug. Kropp arrived from Minneapolis for a visit among relatives and friends. August looks the best of health. His many friends were glad to see him. He is holding down a good position as street car conductor in that city. He called on Klemme people on Tuesday.

A weak stomach causing dyspepsia a weak heart with palpitation or intermittent pulse always means weak stomach nerves or weak heart nerves. Strenghten these inside or controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's restorative and see how quickly these ailments disappear. Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. will mail samples free. Write for them A test will tell. Your health is certainly worth this simple trial. Sold by All Dealers.

J. J. Wilson of Thornton, was shaking hands with his numerous friends in Klemme Saturday. He is auctioneer for the Chas. Yahnke sale which will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 23. He is a jolly good fellow and as an auctioneer he is hard to equal. We predict that he will get a good share of sales to cry this fall.

Pain anywhere, pain in the head, painful periods. Neuralgia toothache all pains can be promptly stopped by a thoroughly safe little pink candy tablet known by druggists as Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Pain means congestion—undue blood pressure at the point where pain exists. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets equalize this unnatural blood pressure and pain immediately departs. Write Dr. Shoop Racine, Wis. and get a free trial package. Large box 25c—Druggists. All Dealers.

F. H. Ridder our new fire chief of the Klemme Hose Co. got the boys out last week Thursday evening in double quick time. He wanted a practice drill and rang the bell which was unexpected to the boys. The way the boys hit the high places wasnt slow and most all of them showed up. A good practice was had and especially practices of this kind is what the boys need. Respond promptly when you hear the bell. Many a fire is averted by being prompt.

For sales see State Savings Bank ad.

Gruetzmacher Bros. have a change of ad.

W. R. Bloom who was down the line returned Thursday.

F. Stevens Sale Tuesday, Oct. 22d, see State Savings Bank ad.

O. E. Carlson transacted business at Britt last week Friday.

Mrs. Wenck and her sister Mrs. Pete Becker and baby drove down from Garner Tuesday.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

Al Koerner and family and the Misses Esther Lau and Gladys Hyde all took a spin to Garner Sunday in Al's auto.

Fred Arnold Sr. who has been confined to his bed for several weeks on account of sickness is slowly gaining strength.

Obstinate cases of consumption and nasty mean headaches promptly disappear when you take DeWitt's little early riser pills. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The following transacted business at Garner Monday: Thos. Nelson, W. R. Bloom, Fred Bock, Aug. Barz, Henry Yahnke and M. Palmby.

Ralph Blank dropped in on us Monday. He is advancing nicely as fireman on the Rock Island. The Klemme Times will follow him to Estherville.

Conrad Schneider arrived from Charles City Tuesduy and is visiting with Fred Arnold, Sr. and family. He will also visit relatives at Garner.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to drug gists everywhere Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

E. H. Schuldt who has been visiting with the Terhufen brothers at Dickey, N. Dak. for about a week, returned last week Thursday. He was well impressed with the country and that it had not rained there as much as it had here. He says that oats is averaging about 40 bushels per acre and flax 12 bushels per acre.

Ralph Blank left last week Monday for Estherville, Iowa to be examined for fireman for the C. R I. & P. Ry. Co. He passed a good examination and made his first trip going north on the way freight last week Friday. Ralph is a steady young man and has been employed on the section here the past three years and for a short time has been section foreman at Goodell. We wish him the best of success and advancement in his present avocation.

Thomas A Edison the great American inventor says: Fully eighty per cent of illness of man comes from eating improper food or to much food, people are inclined to over-indulge themselves. This is where indigestion finds its beginning in nearly every case. The stomach can do just so much work and no more and when you overload it or when you eat the wrong food the digestive organs can not possibly do the work demanded of them. It is at such times that the stomach needs help, it demands help and warns you by headaches, belching sour stomach, nausea and indigestion. You should attend to this at once by taking something that will actually do the work for the stomach. Ko-ol will do this. It is a combination of natural digestants and vegetable acids and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. It is pleasant to take. It digests what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

J. Baumgartner was at Garner today.

H. A. Sweigard came down from Garner Monday.

Addie Schoper was at Garner between trains Thursday.

The Bredlow-Gast wedding will appear in next week's issue.

Chas. Nissen left Wednesday for Titonka where he will visit his brother Geo. and family.

J. F. Hartfelder and Schroeder & Son each shipped a car load of cattle to Chicago on Sunday morning.

PAY UP.—Those owing me on account for machinery and twine are requested to pay up at once.
H. Lau & Son.

The pain in Ma's head has gone
She's as happy as can be,
Her health is right her temper is bright
Since taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. J L Harr & Co

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve is good for little burns and big burns small scratches or bruises and big ones. It is healing and soothing and good for piles Sold by J L Harr & Co.

NOTICE—Anyone wishing any blacksmithing or wood work done call at the Nissen shop which I recently purchased. A trial will be satisfactory.
J. W. Scott.

J. L. Harr returned from his Minnesota visit last week Saturday. He says that crops tested a fair average and that they did not have as much rain there as they had here this summer.

C. W. Wiles received his restaurant stock and is now ready for business. He can serve you a meal with hot coffee with neatness and dispatch. A share of your patronage will be appreciated.

Stomach troubles, heart and kidney ailments can be quickly corrected with a prescription to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The prompt and surprising relief which this remedy immediately brings is due to its restorative action upon the controlling nerves of the stomach, etc. All Dealers.

Christian Behrens, father of Chas. Behrens of Garner and his brother Christopher Behrens both prosperous farmers of Clayton Co. are here visiting with old acquaintances. This office acknowledged a friendly call.

If taken patiently and persistently will relieve the most obstinate cases of indigestion, constipation, bad blood bad liver no matter how long standing. That is what Hollister's rocky mountain tea will do. 35c tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

Miss Gladys Hyde of Garner will be the hello girl at Koerner & Son's telephone office for a few weeks. Miss Esther Lau who has been there faithfully expects to leave for Clayton county for a visit among relatives. Her sister Miss Nellie Lau will accompany her.

A CERTAIN CURE FOR CROUP

Used for ten years without a failure.

W C Bott a star City, ind. hardware merchant is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's cough remedy. His children have all been subject to croup and he has used this remedy for the past 10 years and though they much feared the croup his wife and he always felt safe upon retiring when a bottle of Chamberlain's cough remedy was in the house. His oldest child was subject to severe attacks of croup but this remedy never failed to effect a speedy cure. He has recommended it to friends and neighbors and all who have used it say that it is unequaled for croup and whooping cough. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

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I am not only in the painting business, but am also prepared to take your pictures. Copying a specialty. Prices reasonable.
JOE MILLER.

ATTENTION!
We buy hogs six days in the week, but want them delivered only on Tuesdays and Saturdays of each week. Highest market price will be paid for hogs and all kinds of grain, also No. 1 hard and soft coal for sale at bottom prices at the North Elevator. Yours for business,
AUG. LAU & SON.

IF
you have any old iron to sell I will be pleased to buy it. I will pay 35c per hundred in cash. Anyone having a load on hand, notify me.
My address is Goodell, Iowa.
K. Friedman.

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Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.
Good Bath Room In Connection.
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Best of references. Let me cry your sale. Make your dates with the State Savings Bank.

Sell your
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IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

WADE CHARGES PERJURY.

Sensational Statement Made in Pratt Trial Argument.

Iowa City.—Judge M. J. Wade created a sensation in his argument to the jury in the Pratt murder trial when he declared that the prosecution had been guilty of willful perjury.

"This perjury was arranged for," declared Judge Wade to the jury and court. "I do not charge the attorneys for the state with it, for they are officers liable to disbarment, but, some one is guilty and used an innocent child as an instrument of perjury. Mrs. Connell, Eddie Connell, John Boarts all denied statements attributed to them in the coroner's inquest, and the coroner's jury impeached their testimony. The first said that Eddie Connell ran out of the house when he heard the shot; now they claim he went out into the land and saw the shot fired, claiming that Connell never stopped his horse. John Boarts first testified he did not see Pratt after the shooting, now he says he looked from the window, saw the smoke, and saw Pratt walk beside his horse. Photographs show that Pratt's house couldn't be seen from the Connell window on account of the heavy timber."

"SHORT LINE" NOT SOLD.

Dodge Says Milwaukee Has Not Bought.

Mason City.—It has been denied by G. W. E. Dodge, promoter of the "Short Line," that his road has been sold to the Milwaukee. He admitted it was for sale, however, and admitted that he was on his way to Milwaukee to discuss the matter of terminals, saying further that the sale of the road would probably be discussed at that time.

Mr. Dodge gave no credence to the story that the Wabash may be interested in the purchase of the road, admitting that the Milwaukee was the most likely purchaser.

At present the road is having difficulty in getting into the city, due to the fact that the American Brick and Tile company wants $6,000 for a small strip of land and the right of way agents have so far refused to give it.

CRIPPLED IN RUNAWAY; WEDS

Laurel Preacher Would Not Delay Ceremony.

Marshalltown.—With his face and head swollen and bandaged and hardly recognizable, Rev. Leroy Gallagher, pastor of the Methodist church at Laurel, lay in his bed at the Pilgrim hotel, and was married to Ida F. Keese of Green Mountain by his brother, Rev. Elmer D. Gallagher, pastor of the Congregational church at Wahpeton, N. D.

The groom is still very weak from injuries sustained in a runaway accident when on the way to Green Mountain, expecting to be married that night. Gallagher was unconscious all night from a blow on the back of the head, and was rational only at times up to the middle of the afternoon. When he regained complete consciousness he insisted that the ceremony be performed.

Has Hard Fight With a Cow.

Atlantic.—Clark Swigr, a prosperous farmer living two miles northeast of here, had three ribs broken as the result of a struggle with a vicious cow. He was riding a pony and leading the cow, having tied the rope to the horn of his saddle. The animal became unruly, refused to be led and circled around the horse. In the mixup the rope entangled the horse's feet and he was thrown to the ground with a broken leg, and Swiger, who was held in the saddle by the rope, was crushed beneath the horse, but was not fatally injured.

Raises Two Crops Sweet Corn.

Atlantic.—Two crops of sweet corn in one year is the record just made here by T. V. Kinney of this place, who is marketing his second crop of roasting ears off the same place. His first crop was turned off in July and late that month he planted more seed on a hillside from which he is now selling corn. The late frosts did not injure it and it is sweet and juicy and sells lively at 15 cents per dozen.

Stout Pleads Manslaughter.

Vinton.—William Stout, on trial here for the killing of Frank Stewart in a drunken row at the Ball school house, two miles south of here on September 14, after the introduction of the evidence, pleaded guilty to manslaughter. The plea was accepted and sentence will be proved soon.

McPherson Saves Railroad.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 12.—Judge Smith McPherson of Red Oak, Iowa, in the federal court here granted a temporary injunction restraining Secretary of State John E. Swanger from attempting to forfeit the charter of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway.

ELMER PRATT IS SET FREE.

Majority Favor His Acquittal from the First.

Iowa City.—"We, the jury, find the defendant, Elmer Pratt, not guilty."

This was the verdict returned by the Pratt jury through its foreman F. P. Stevens, at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the 12th. From the first a large majority of the jurors favored an acquittal, but one or two held out through the five hours for a verdict of manslaughter.

When the jury went to dinner all but one juror, F. P. Stevens, were for a verdict of not guilty. After the jury returned to its room some loud discussion was heard and the ballot was subsequently taken which freed Elmer Pratt from all legal responsibility for the death of William Connell.

Pratt entered the court room pale and nervous, but with a clear countenance. Taking his usual seat, he listened to the reading of the verdict by Judge Howell without show of emotion. With Mrs. Pratt and her sister he shook each juror by the hand, thanking them for their verdict. Attorney Dutcher was present for the defense, and County Attorney McDonald for the state.

HIS CONFUSION KILLS HIM.

State Center Boy is Caught Between C. & N. W. Trains.

Marshalltown.—Caught between trains coming in opposite directions Ernest Neibert, a 19-year-old State Center boy, met instant death on the Northwestern tracks. His companion, Virgil Amos, escaped, by a miraculous accident, with a broken arm. The two young men had been out for a walk. When the two trains came close upon them they became confused and hesitated until it was too late. Neidert was leading and was struck by the pilot bar of the passenger. His body was hurled through the air and striking Amos the latter was knocked unconscious but dropped between the tracks. Neidert's body flew on and hit the way car of the freight with such force as to break the steps.

Neidert, whose death must have been instantaneous, had hardly a whole bone in his body when picked up. The skull was crushed and both arms and legs were broken.

The dead young man recently graduated from high school. His father is a wealthy retired farmer.

WAVERLY DOCTORS GET WRIT.

Win in First Round of Their Indictment Trouble.

Waverly.—Judge C. H. Kelley has granted a writ of habeas corpus in the case of the local doctors who were indicted at the September term of court for attempting to fix, regulate and maintain the price of medical and surgical services.

Application for the writ was made a few days ago on the grounds that the defendants were illegally deprived of their liberty, for the reason that the statute under which the indictment was found is unconstitutional. Further, that medical service, or medical skill of physicians or surgeons is not and cannot be included within the terms "article of merchandise or commodity," or either of them, as used in section 5060 of the code under which the indictment was found.

The hearing will be held in this city on Oct. 18. No matter what the decision of the judge at this hearing may be, an appeal will be taken to the supreme court for the purpose of having that tribunal construe the statute and to determine its constitutionality.

HENRY KAISER IS FOUND.

Body of Marshall County Man at Last Recovered.

Marshalltown.—After a three weeks hunt, the remains of Henry Kaiser, the lunatic who disappeared after terrorizing a large part of this and Jasper county, were found in a small creek near his home.

He had evidently been long dead and the searchers had passed a number of times near the body without discovering it.

Kaiser probably drowned himself in the creek, which is now very shallow but which was swollen by rains at the time. The body was hardly recognizable for besides being in a bad state it had been washed some distance in the mud which clung to it.

Get Money From Mrs. Sage.

Des Moines.—The gratitude of Mrs. Russell Sage, widow of the late money king, for the aid given here own father in time of business disaster, has come to four members of the Oliphant family at 1110 East Court avenue in the form of a rich gift of money. The money gift—about $10,000—was turned over to the family after their worthiness was proved, by Attorney Robert O Brennan of Des Moines, who acted for Trustee Robert DeForrest of the Sage estate in New York.

ALL THINGS IN PROPORTION.

Invalid's Meal Evidently Had Not Increased Good Humor.

For many weeks the irritable merchant had been riveted to his bed by typhoid fever. Now he was convalescing. He clamored for something to eat, declaring that he was starving.

"To-morrow you may have something to eat," promised the doctor. The merchant realized that there would be a restraint to his appetite, yet he saw, in vision, a modest, steaming meal placed at his bedside.

"Here is your dinner," said the nurse next day, as she gave the glowering patient a spoonful of tapioca pudding, "and the doctor emphasizes that everything else you do must be in the same proportion."

Two hours later the nurse heard a frantic call from the bed chamber.

"Nurse," breathed the man heapily, "I want to do some reading, bring me a postage stamp."

HAVE CRAZE FOR FORMULA.

Smokers Follow Fashions in the Use of Tobacco.

"Make me up a package of tobacco according to the formula used by Edwin Booth," said the man with a southern accent. "That is the third man who has asked for that kind of tobacco to-day," said the dealer. "It is strange that people from remote parts of the country as well as New Yorkers make a fad of buying the same brand of tobacco that Booth smoked. And it isn't always the Booth mixture that they want. I have filed away the formulas for mixing the favorite tobacco of many famous persons. Smokers the country over have heard of this collection of recipes and one feature of every man's trip to New York is to try a pipeful of some big man's favorite tobacco. In most cases this special mixture is so strong that the nerves of the average smoker cannot stand it. He has to give up after a few pipefuls and go back to a popular mixture, but he has the satisfaction of having had the experience."—The New York Sun.

Held Up.

"Stop!" shouted the man on the country road, holding up a warning hand. Muttering something about rural cops, the automobilist obeyed.

"Turn around and come back to town with me," said the stranger. "You were going at least 35 miles an hour."

"You're a constable, I suppose," said the automobilist, with a covert sneer, when they had reached the village.

"Me?" replied the passenger. "No, I'm a farmer and had to come into town when all the teams was busy. Nice growing weather? Thanks. Good-by."

Ensuing comment is purposely omitted.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Belling a Rat.

You have probably read or heard that the best way to rid a house of rats is to catch one and fasten a bell about its neck. A boy in Delaware tried the experiment two months ago. He was badly bitten in making the bell fast, but he turned the rat loose and expected the tinkling of that bell would have great results. It did have. In the first place, the rat who wore it was constantly on the move all night, and the tinkling bell kept the family awake, and in the next the sounds brought scores of new rats to the house. Instead of being afraid of the bell, they were charmed with the music. Had the boy tied a harmonica to another rat's tail, the rodents would have had a dance every night.

She Was Willing.

"Yes," says the husband, "I have consented to accept the nomination."

"I am so glad the party is beginning to recognize your merit," beams the wife.

"Now my dear," the husband continues, "you know that political affairs are not love feasts, by any means. You must expect to see me vilified and attacked in a scandalous manner. No doubt the opposition will try to dig up sensational rumors about me, and all that sort of thing, but you must not——"

"Well," she interrupts, "I am really glad of it. You have always been strangely silent about whether or not you ever were engaged to anyone before you met me."

A Definition of Success.

How have the hypothetical scientists and the exponents of unbelief benefited themselves or humanity at large by sowing the seeds of doubt broadcast in the world? The real scientists do not fall in this category, for they are believers in the real sense of the word; they know too much, they have seen too many mysterious manifestations of the Divine creative power. Now, those who have disposed of the Bible and all evidences of inspiration, have written a great many books and some of them have won what the world at large lightly calls fame. According to the ordinary measures that are applied in such cases, they have been extremely successful, but real success means the benefit of humanity in some form or other. If no such benefits can be shown as the result of their labors, their success is not equal to that achieved by the direst poverty and the deepest ignorance. — Joel Chandler, in Uncle Remus' Magazine.

WHEN A "HUNCH" HELD GOOD.

Chinese Laundry Ticket Suggested a Bet on "Wing Ting."

Kay Spence, a well-known horseman of Mexico, Mo., won $1,000 at the Louisville, Ky., race meeting a short time ago as the result of a "hunch." Mr. Spence has a large breeding stable of "runners" near Mexico, and attends all the big racing events in the country. Not long since he was in Louisville and entered the betting ring to see what odds were being offered on the various entries. He found that Joaquin was the favorite at even money, and pulled his wallet from his pocket, intending to bet on that horse. His attention was attracted by something that fell from his wallet to the ground, and he stooped and picked it up. It was a Chinese laundry ticket. He looked at the "books" again and found that there was an entry with a Chinese name, Wing Ting, at ten to one. That settled it, for he considered he had received a "hunch" that could not be overlooked. Wing Ting won handily. Needless to say, those who backed the favorite considered Spence the seventh son of the seventh son.—Kansas City Star.

"BOO-HOO"

Shouts a Spanked Baby.

A Doctor of Divinity, now Editor of a well-known Religious paper, has written regarding the controversy between Collier's Weekly and the Religious Press of the Country and others, including ourselves. Also regarding suits for libel brought by Collier's against us for commenting upon its methods.

These are his sentiments, with some very emphatic words left out.

"The religious Press owes you a debt of gratitude for your courage in showing up Collier's Weekly as the "Yell-Oh Man." Would you care to use the inclosed article on the "Boo Hoo Baby" as the "Yell-Oh Man's successor?"

"A contemporary remarks that Collier's has finally run against a solid hickory "Post" and been damaged in its own estimation to the tune of $750,000.00."

"Here is a publication which has, in utmost disregard of the facts, spread broadcast damaging statements about the Religious Press and others and has suffered those false statements to go uncontradicted until, not satisfied after finding the Religious Press too quiet, and peaceful, to resent the insults, it makes the mistake of wandering into fresh field and butts its rattled head against this Post and all the World laughs. Even Christians smile, as the Post suddenly turns and gives it back a dose of its own medicine."

"It is a mistake to say all the World laughs. No cheery laugh comes from Collier's, but it cries and boo hoos like a spanked baby and wants $750,000.00 to soothe its tender, lacerated feelings."

"Thank Heaven it has at last struck a man with "back bone" enough to call a spade a "spade" and who believes in telling the whole truth without fear or favor."

Perhaps Collier's with its "utmost disregard for the facts," may say no such letter exists. Nevertheless it is on file in our office and is only one of a mass of letters and other data, newspaper comments, etc., denouncing the "yellow" methods of Collier's. This volume is so large that a man could not well go thru it under half a day's steady work. The letters come from various parts of America.

Usually a private controversy is not interesting to the public, but this is a public controversy.

Collier's has been using the "yellow" methods to attract attention to itself, but, jumping in the air, cracking heels together and yelling "Look at me" wouldn't suffice, so it started out on a "Holier Than Thou" attack on the Religious Press and on medicine.

We leave it to the public now, as we did when we first resented Collier's attacks, to say whether, in a craving for sensation and circulation, its attacks do not amount to a systematic mercenary hounding. We likewise leave it to the public to say whether Collier's, by its own policy and methods, has not made itself more ridiculous than any comment of ours could make it.

Does Collier's expect to regain any self-inflicted loss of prestige by demonstrating thru suits for damages, that it can be more artful in evading liability for libels than the humble but resentful victims of its defamation, or does it hope for starting a campaign of libel suits to silence the popular indignation, reproach and resentment which it has aroused.

Collier's can not dodge this public controversy by private law suits. It can not postpone the public judgment against it. That great jury, the Public, will hardly blame us for not waiting until we get a petit jury in a court room, before denouncing this prodigal detractor of institutions founded and fostered either by individuals or by the public, itself.

No announcements during our entire business career were ever made claiming "medicinal effects" for either Postum or Grape-Nuts. Medicinal effects are results obtained from the use of medicines.

Thousands of visitors go thru our entire works each month and see for themselves that Grape-Nuts contains absolutely nothing but wheat, barley and a little salt; Postum absolutely nothing but wheat and about ten per cent of New Orleans Molasses. The art of preparing these simple elements in a scientific manner to obtain the best food value and flavor, required some work and experience to acquire.

Now, when any publication goes far enough out of its way to attack us because our advertising is "medical," it simply offers a remarkable exhibition of ignorance or worse.

We do claim physiological or bodily results of favorable character following the adoption of our suggestions regarding the discontinuance of coffee and foods which may not be keeping the individual in good health. We have no advice to offer the perfectly healthful person. His or her health is evidence in itself that the beverages and foods used exactly fit that person. Therefore, why change?

But to the man or woman who is ailing, we have something to say as a result of an unusually wide experience in food and the result of proper feeding.

In the palpably ignorant attack on us in Collier's, appeared this statement,—"One widely circulated paragraph labors to induce the impression that Grape-Nuts will obviate the necessity of an operation in appendicitis. This is lying and potentially deadly lying."

In reply to this exhibition of—well let the reader name it, the Postum Co., says:

Let it be understood that appendicitis results from long continued disturbance in the intestines, caused primarily by undigested starchy food, such as white bread, potatoes, rice, partly cooked cereals and such.

Starchy food is not digested in the upper stomach but passes on into the duodenum, or lower stomach and intestines, where, in a healthy individual, the transformation of the starch into a form of sugar is completed and then the food absorbed by the blood.

But if the powers of digestion are weakened, a part of the starchy food will lie in the warmth and moisture of the body and decay, generating gases and irritating the mucous surfaces until under such conditions the whole lower part of the alimentary canal, including the colon and the appendix, becomes involved. Disease sets up and at times takes the form known as appendicitis.

When the symptoms of the trouble make their appearance, would it not be good, practical, common sense, to discontinue the starchy food which is causing the trouble and take a food in which the starch has been transformed into a form of sugar in the process of manufacture?

This is identically the same form of sugar found in the human body after starch has been perfectly digested.

Now, human food is made up very largely of starch and is required by the body for energy and warmth. Naturally, therefore, its use should be continued, if possible, and for the reasons given above it is made possible in the manufacture of Grape-Nuts.

In connection with this change of food to bring relief from physical disturbances, we have suggested washing out the intestines to get rid of the immediate cause of the disturbance.

Naturally, there are cases where the disease has lain dormant and the abuse continued too long, until apparently only the knife will avail. But it is a well-established fact among the best physicians who are acquainted with the details above recited, that preventative measures are far and away the best.

Are we to be condemned for suggesting a way to prevent disease by following natural methods and for perfecting a food that contains no "medicine" and produces no "medicinal effects" but which has guided literally thousands of persons from sickness to health? We have received during the years past upwards of 25,000 letters from people who have been either helped or made entirely well by following our suggestions, and they are simple.

If coffee disagrees and causes any of the ailments common to some coffee users quit it and take on Postum.

If white bread, potatoes, rice and other starch foods make trouble, quit and use Grape-Nuts food which is largely predigested and will digest, nourish and strengthen, when other forms of food do not. It's just plain old common sense.

"There's a Reason for Postum and Grape-Nuts.

Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.

SMALL SUSPENDED

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OUSTS HEAD OF UNION.

SMALL HAD GIVEN UP FIGHT

His Telegram Stirs Up the Locals and the President is Roundly Scored.

New York, Oct. 13.—Following the visit to this city of Labor Commissioner Neill, President Small of the telegraphers, union yesterday afternoon took decisive steps to close the telegraphers' strike. He sent the following telegram to all of the leading cities of the country:

"New York, Oct. 12, 1907.—Prominent New Yorkers appealed to me to call the strike off. All efforts to negotiations are exhausted and the companies' officials say they will fight to a finish. The treasury is depleted and no more funds are available. Requests for relief from all sides are heavy and urgent. The general assembly cannot meet them. The strike having been ordered without the president's sanction, I recommend that locals vote on the proposition."

Chicago, Oct. 14.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Commercial Telegraphers' union, last night President S. J. Small was suspended.

The following message was sent to Small by the executive committee:

"Under article 15, section 7 of the constitution of the Commercial Telegraphers' union of America, you are hereby suspended from the office of president, to take effect immediately.

"S. J. Konekamp, Acting Chairman."

DENOUNCE HIM TO HIS FACE.

Russell and Thomas Censure and Unionists Hiss Small.

New York, Oct. 14.—President Small's telegram to the locals urging the discontinuance of the strike brought out yesterday all the pent-up feeling of this and other locals against him. Here in New York he received a terrific scoring at the hands of other officials while his attempts at self-edefense were met with cries of "resign" and with hisses. In conclusion the local voted to continue the strike. The meeting was characterized throughout by bitter exchanges between President Small and other officials. The latter charged the national leader with inconsistency in first claiming that the strike would be successfully financed and saying yesterday that the general assembly is without funds, and accused him of having conducted the fight in a half-hearted way. President Small tried to explain his position, but was frequently interrupted by hisses. When he suddenly left the hall cries of "resign" followed him. Last night Small issued a statement in which he said he was willing to continue the strike if the men insisted.

When the meeting opened, Small was given the floor and said:

"I am not here to make an argument for or against the strike but merely to explain why I called for a vote of the locals. Saturday Commissioner Neill informed me that President Clowry told him that further negotiations were futile. I believe what they say. Our funds are quite exhausted, as you know, as we were unable to make a payment to you yesterday. There are no more in sight. These are the facts. You can do as you will."

Percy Thomas, former national deputy, followed Small, saying that the latter had said when the strike began that he could raise $2,000,000. Small, he said, had asked him thirty days ago to send out the word "no funds", but the speaker refused. He continued:

"President Small has utterly neglected to approach the subject of raising money and now he tells you that we have no more money. The strike cannot be lost if we have a leader, a national president with any ability."

There were cheers for Thomas, and as Small rose to reply, shouts of "resign" greeted him.

"I have no intention of resigning," he said; "to resign is the last thing that I will do, and I want to tell you that personal attacks on me won't get bread and butter.

"As for assessment of other labor organizations: The Order of Railroad Telegraphers with a membership of 40,000, assessed first $2, then $1, has turned in about $32,000. From the 27,000 locals of the American Federation of Labor we have received about $25,000."

As Small concluded, Daniel L. Russell, chairman of the local board of strategy, sprang to his feet, saying:

"Up to last night this was Small's strike and up to last night he did everything he could to lose it. Today it is your strike. Keep it up and win. He alone brought on the strike and now he is trying to repudiate it."

Other speakers followed in a similar vein, after which resolutions were adopted, declaring that the strike be continued and calling upon the national executive committee to remit at once $3,000, the New York local's share in the general treasury and requesting the appropriation of the insurance fund for strike purposes.

In his statement last night Small says in his recent recommendation he merely wished the locals to understand the situation.

RHEUMATISM RECIPE

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Buy the Ingredients from Any Druggist in Your Town and Shake Them in a Bottle to Mix This.

A well-known authority on Rheumatism gives the readers of a large New York daily paper the following valuable, yet simple and harmless prescription, which any one can easily prepare at home:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Mix by shaking well in a bottle, and take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

He states that the ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy at small cost, and, being a vegetable extraction, are harmless to take.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regularly for a few days, is said to overcome almost any case of Rheumatism. The pain and swelling, if any, diminishes with each dose, until permanent results are obtained, and without injuring the stomach. While there are many so-called Rheumatism remedies, patent medicines, etc., some of which do give relief, few really give permanent results, and the above will, no doubt, be greatly appreciated by many sufferers here at this time.

Inquiry at the drug stores of even the small towns elicits the information that these drugs are harmless and can be bought separately, or the druggists will mix the prescription if asked to.

GIVING HIM A CHANCE.

Surely Time for Hubby to Do a Lively Sidestep.

Mrs. Wilson's husband was often obliged to go to New York on business, and frequently did not reach his home until the arrival of the midnight train. Mrs. Wilson had been in the habit of sleeping peacefully at these times without fear, but a number of burglaries in the neighborhood during one of her husband's trips to New York had disturbed her calm.

On the night of his return Mr. Wilson was stealing carefully up the front stairs, as was his wont on such occasions, so that his wife would not be wakened, when he heard her voice, high and strained:

"I don't know whether you are my husband or a burglar," came the excited tones, "but I am going to be on the safe side and shoot, so if you are Henry you'd better get out of the way."—Youth's Companion.

BABY WASTED TO SKELETON.

In Torments with Terrible Sores on Face and Body—Tore at Flesh—Cured by Cuticura.

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Saw It Come Out of a Cow.

A little city boy and his sister Dorothy were taken to the country for the first time.

The two children were happy as the day was long. In the late afternoon they watched the cows come home, heard with delight the tinkling cow-bells, and the little boy even went in the barns to see the milking done.

At supper, just as Dorothy was lifting her glass to her rosy lips, the boy cried out:

"Oh, Dorothy, don't! You mustn't drink that milk. It's not fit to drink. It came out of a cow. I saw it!"

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To Stop Flow of Blood.

To stop the flow of blood bind the wound with cobwebs and brown sugar pressed on like lint or with fine dust of tea. When the blood ceases to flow apply laudanum.

A Break in the Ceremony.

Little Tom was two years old and talking before his proud parents took him to be christened. Though limited, his vocabulary included one or two choice words picked up from his father. Of course, he looked like a perfect little cherub on the eventful day, with his wide blue eyes and shining curls and mother had got him up in great shape for the ceremony. At the most impressive point Tom turned to his father and exclaimed in aggravated tones: "Why, damn it, he wet my head!"

Sheer white goods, in fact, any fine wash goods when new, owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equally satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work.

Reason This Out.

An English quarryman was charged with assaulting one of his mates, and when the case was carried into court, an eyewitness of the occurrence gave some curious evidence.

"He tuk a pick an' he tuk a pick," the witness began, "an' he hit him wid his pick, an' he hit him wid his pick; an' if he'd hit him wid his as hard as he hit him wid his, he'd have near killed him, and not him him."

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Bush Over Buried Treasure.

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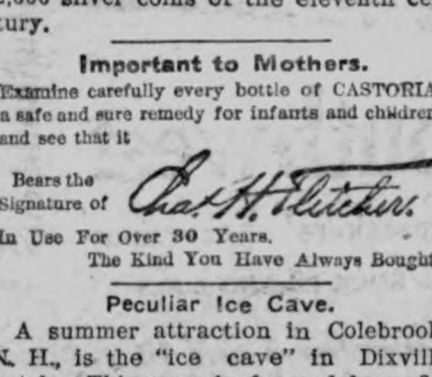

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German M. E. Church Items

Talkans Blank was home over Sunday.

Roy Schaefer spent last Sunday with his friend August Wenz.

Aug. Ridder is in Fenton assisting his brothers in some special work.

Last Sunday was a beautiful autumn day and we had three fine attentive audiences out.

Mrs. Aug. Stille was in Mason City last week to have some dental work done.

The stewards of both churches met Monday evening and arranged the finances for the ensuing year.

H. Griewe and family entertained John and Geo. Gruetzmacher and their families last Sunday.

Mrs. Aug. Kropp nee Bredlow of Maynard, Minn. arrived last week to be present at the marriage of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kraus and Mr. and Mrs. Jennings of Germantown, were guests at the Stork home Sunday.

Lydia Beier is another recipient of a new piano which arrived this week. In our humble judgement she has one of the finest instruments made.

We understand our nursery agents who went to Dakota several weeks ago did not find any "green pastures" for their goods and are back in good old Iowa.

Ell township was represented at the convention by M. Palmby and wife, Emma Sampson, Mrs. F. C. Griewe, Mrs. G. G. Washburn, H. Griewe and Rev. G. H. Wessel.

William and Louis Sampson visited their sister Mrs. Fluhrer near Charles City part of last week. The latter also attended a meeting of the district stewards.

A broken wire left the audience in our Klemme church almost in the dark Sunday evening. A few lamps were hastily brought in so that the services could go on.

Fred Arnold is some better at this writing. He suffered fearful for more than two weeks the pains were so intense that he rested very little. For some time fear was entertained that gangrene had set in.

The following persons from German township attended the county Sunday school convention: E. G. Beier, Wm Bredlow, Mrs. W Kraus, H. L. Suckow, G. I. Schaper, Mary Oliver, Minnie Lenz, Emelia Lenz and several ladies whose names we failed to get. German township came very near getting the banner for the coming year.

The Klemme league has arranged for another social meeting to be held at the Lenz home on Oct. 30. Each number present is expected to tell a story or pay a quarter. Three judges have been selected to pass on these stories and a fine prize will be given to the winner. The points of merit on which the judges will decide will be: Selection, delivery, memory, language, general effect. A prize will also be awarded on the best group of pictures. These must be clipped from some paper and no less than four nor more than ten be mounted on a large card board. The points in this contest: Selection, arrangement, artistic taste, coloring, general appearance. Two duetts, a medley, two quartetts and three instrumental solos and lunch will form the rest of the program.

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We are sure you will be greatly interested in the precautions we have taken to protect the ininterests of our patrons and we urge you to call upon us on the date below. Demonstration will be in charge of the company's expert. Mr. E. B. Mason on next Tuesday, Oct. 29th from 2 to 4 p. m. and also another exhibition will be given in the evening from 6 to 8 p. m.

We kindly ask that you make it a special point to attend this demonstration and view our new departments. This invitation is extended to all and especially to the ladies.

Mr. Mason will spend his entire time with the public on the above date and it is his earnest wish that you ask any questions of curiosity relative to the working of this system.

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South Germantown.

Our gallant carrier Mr. Miller has hit upon a scheme. He is driving one horse but is using two in the service. He changes horses at G. I. schaper's barn at noon.

Miss Iris Brown of Dist. No. 8 visited with Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell at the poor farm last saturday and sunday. She will go to Garner the latter part of this week for a two week's vacation for corn husking.

E. G Beier is having a lot of 4, 5 and 6 inch tile put in his farm. Fred Knoke and Will Lemke are doing the work. Who says they can't make the ground fly? We predict an up-to-date farm and farmer; N. B. girls.

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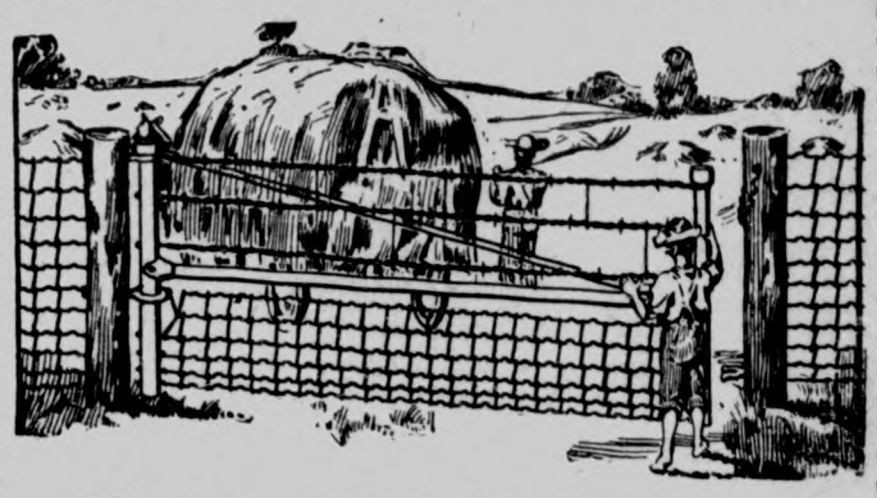

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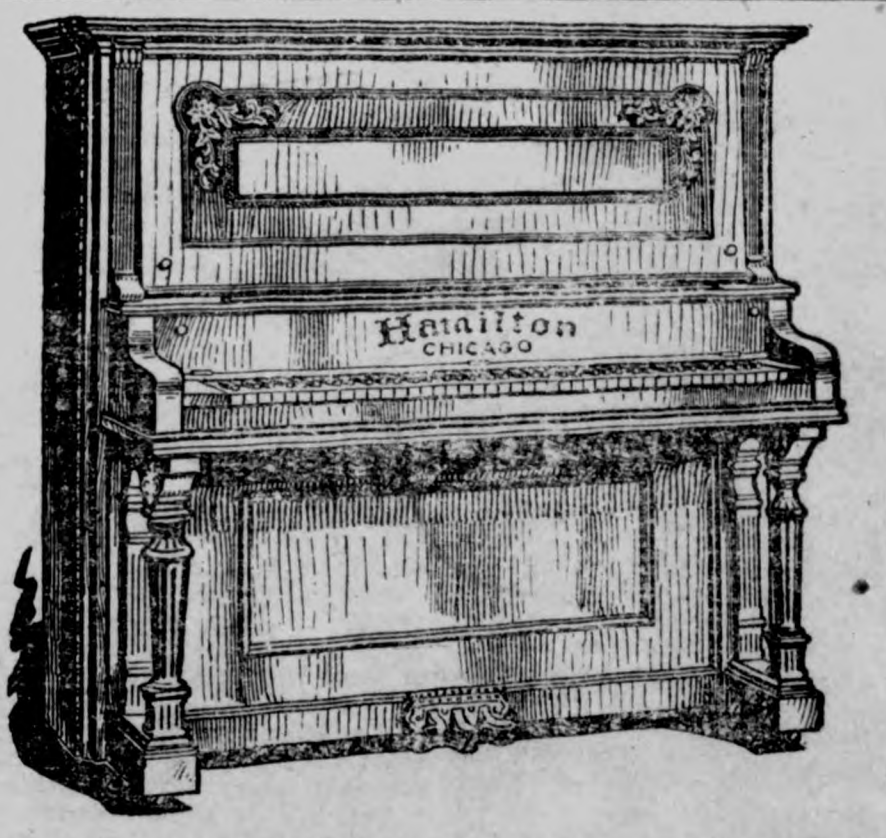

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The Klemme Times

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Klemme, - - Iowa

Will England send a fleet to the Pacific, too?

The Pall Mall Gazette states that nobody has ever really seen the sun. Probably meaning, nobody in London.

So many women have been detected smuggling that dodging the customs officers would seem to rival bridge as a feminine fad.

Wireless telegraphy, turbines and floating hotels are taking the romance out of the mighty deep and substituting solid comfort for it.

Prudence and desperation characterize the great general; the first quality prepares him for fight and the last wins with one grand charge.

Carping critics who object to prize-ring faking should remember that in the pugilism business the box office most naturally figure largely.

A Pullman conductor says the "upper berth is just as comfortable as the lower." Of course. And it is even more picturesque to get into.

Perhaps the greatest requisite for a druggist is not knowledge but sufficient presence of mind to avoid putting the strychnine in the quinine bottle.

It is a pity that those fanatical Moors should waste their picturesqueness on the desert air when they would make such a hit in any amusement park.

Prince Scipone Berghese has accomplished the extraordinary feat of running an automobile from Peking to Paris in 60 days without running over anybody.

If Sir Thomas Lipton builds two yachts to race against each other and let him pick the better, there will probably be half a dozen turned loose in this country.

The French people are afraid to invest in American securities. It is feared that some of our tourists have been leaving Wall street tips in Paris that did not pan out.

Germany's crown princess has sent her chef to the United States to study American cooking. The crown princess may want codfish balls for breakfast and huckleberry pie for lunch.

President Guerrero of Panama is kiting around Europe, but doubtless it is all right. Any man with a moderate amount of ability should be able to govern so small a state on half time.

A wrestler who weighs 350 pounds has come over from Makadoland to gather in American coin. If the Russians had had such Japs to shoot at they might have hit a few thousand more than they did.

Still, this statement by a southern professor that Irish potatoes breed malaria in the human system is not likely to chill the ardor of the man who likes 'em baked, split open, with a big dab of butter in the middle.

Fifty widows want to marry an ex-convict in Denver because he says he has reformed. There is some hope for them, since they are not taking him to reform him but have permitted him to do the job for himself in his own way.

While a Brooklyn family slumbered, happy in the protection of New York's finest police, brainy burglars dropped in and stole the safe. Brooklyn people should lock the safe up in the safe before retiring. It isn't safe to leave such things lying around as one would a red-hot stove.

A tramp at Urbana took a change of venue from the Illinois statutes to the dictionary to prove that he was not a vagrant. It is well for the tramp who expects to make a success of his profession to qualify by being graduated from a college. He never knows when the information thus obtained may be useful.

Nature continues to display its power in ways that excite wonder. A brand new volcano is reported to have materialized in one of the Aleutian islands, thereby becoming an American possession, while a big meteor hit the ground in New Mexico with a dull, sickening thud that shook the country for miles around as though an earthquake had occurred.

In addition to saving his airship Mr. Wellman has also preserved his faith that he has the right scheme for reaching the pole. But Mr. Wellman seems to overlook one dictate of reason. As the wind seems to blow the wrong way continuously at the point he has selected for starting, why does he not go around to the other side of the pole, and be blown across without difficulty?

AWFUL POWDER BLAST

NEARLY TWO SCORE PERSONS KILLED AT FONTANET, IND.

ENTIRE TOWN DESTROYED

More Than 600 Are Injured, About 50 of Them Seriously—Loose Boxing of Explosive Blamed for the Disaster.

Fontanet, Ind.—Thirty-eight lives snuffed out, 600 injured, of which number 50 were seriously hurt, and a property loss of approximately $750,000 is the latest estimate of the destruction wrought by the explosion at the Dupont Powder mills Tuesday morning.

Where stood a thriving and busy town of 1,000 people there is ruin and scattered wreckage. The dead and more seriously injured have been taken away. Five hundred inhabitants, all more or less wounded, remain to gather their scattered household goods and sleep under tents and on cots, guarded by soldiers of the state.

From a workman employed in the glazing mill it was learned Wednesday that a "hot box," which was caused by too much friction on the shafting, causing sparks to be transmitted to some loose powder, was in all probability the cause of the terrible catastrophe.

Loose Boxing Blamed.

The employe, whose name is William Sherrow and who is dangerously hurt as the result of the explosion, said:

"The explosion in which so many lives were lost was caused by loose boxing on the shaft. The day before this terrible explosion happened we had to throw water on it when it became too hot. This time it got too hot and sent off the sparks that caused the explosion."

Another company of state militia arrived from Indianapolis Wednesday evening and immediately went into camp. The town is now under martial law, the two companies of state troops being in full control.

Seven Mills Blow Up.

Without warning the powder mills, seven in number, blew up at 9:15 Tuesday morning. They employed 200 men and of these 75 were at work when the first explosion occurred in the press mill. In quick succession the glazing powder magazine blew up, followed by the cap mill. In the magazine, situated several hundred yards from the mills, were stored 40,000 kegs of powder. The concussion when it blew up was felt nearly 200 miles away.

Every house in this town was destroyed. Farm houses two miles away and schoolhouses equally distant were torn to pieces and their occupants injured. A passenger train on the Big Four railroad four miles away had every coach window broken and several passengers were injured by flying glass.

The mills went up with three distinct explosions, followed 90 minutes later by a fourth even more serious than the others when the magazines went up. Immediately following the explosions the wreckage took fire and the inhabitants of the town who rushed to the rescue of the mill employes found themselves powerless to aid those burning in the ruins.

They worked frantically in constant danger from possible succeeding explosions, unmindful of their ruined homes. Dead and dying were picked up and collected. Eighteen bodies horribly burned and mangled were carted to a protected spot to await identification while the badly injured, numbering upward of 50, were put on a special train and taken to Terre Haute for hospital accommodations. Scarcely one of the 1,000 inhabitants of the town but carried blood on hands and face from his own wounds or those of people who had required aid.

The mills were located one mile south of the town. With the first explosion the employes ran for safety, but most of them were killed or wounded by the quick-following explosions in the other mills. When the heat from the burning mills exploded the great powder magazine, 90 minutes later, destroying the town by the concussion, many of those engaged in rescue work were badly injured and several were killed.

Superintendent, Monahan of the plant was killed while sitting in his office and his wife and sister-in-law were killed in their home some distance away.

Gov. Hanly at Indianapolis ordered the Terre Haute company of the Indiana National Guard here to patrol the ruined district and protect life and property. The governor arrived in the evening about the time the soldiers reached here. He brought with him 700 tents and cots.

Citizens subscribed more than $5,000 to the relief fund and the council appropriated $1,000 to be expended to relieve suffering.

THE "YELLOW-DOG" ROUND UP AT NEW YORK.

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FOR THE INSURANCE YELLOW DOG
FOR ANY OLD YELLOW DOG
JUST FULLER DOG
NOW WHAT HAVE I DONE TO DESERVE HAVING MY NAME DRAGGED INTO THIS ?
INDIANAPOLIS NEWS

MAGILLS ARE NOT GUILTY

JUDGE INSTRUCTS JURY TO ACQUIT THE DEFENDANTS.

State Did Not Prove the Corpus Delicti—Verdict Is Greeted with Cheers.

Decatur, Ill.—Acting under instructions from Judge Cochran, the jury Friday night returned a verdict acquitting Frederick Magill and his wife, Faye Graham Magill, of the charge of murdering Mrs. Pet Magill, the first wife of Magill. In his instructions the judge said the state had failed to prove the corpus delicti.

The verdict was greeted with cheers despite the efforts of the court to maintain order. The crowd in the courtroom hurried forward and offered congratulations to the Magills. The jury afterwards filed by and each shook hands with the defendants.

On May 30 last, Mrs. Pet Magill was found dead in her home at Clinton, Ill., and a postmortem examination held six weeks after her death showed that she had been suffocated by chloroform. On July 5 in Denver Frederick Magill, her husband, and Miss Faye Graham, a young woman who had been a close friend of the family, were married. Four days later in San Diego, Cal., Magill and his second wife were arrested on a charge of murdering the first Mrs. Magill. They were brought back to Clinton and secured a change of venue to this city. In the trial the state claimed that Magill and Miss Graham by their conduct had driven Mrs. Magill to suicide and were therefore guilty of murder.

WANTS LIBELERS HANGED.

Dr. Andrews Denounces Distortion of Acts of Public Men.

Washington.—President E. Benjamin Andrews, of the University of Nebraska, in addressing the fall convocation of George Washington university here Wednesday, bitterly denounced what he termed malicious and willful misrepresentation of the acts of public or prominent men by the press. Hanging, he said, should be the punishment meted out to a proved libeler. "None of the business villainies alleged to be so rife," he continued, "can compare in atrocity with these squalid campaigns of libel and libelous caricature which recent months have produced."

Given Life Sentence for Murder.

Boston.—Walter Stock was sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge Brown in the superior court Friday for the murder of his sweetheart, Mary Agnes Bates, at the street railway waiting room at Roxburg Crossing on April 30 last. Stock was indicted for murder in the first degree but the court accepted his plea of guilty of murder in the second degree.

Minnesota Mayor Missing.

Fairmount, Minn.—W. W. Ward, mayor of this city, is missing. Four or five weeks ago he went to St. Paul, and three weeks ago left that city, saying he was going to return to Fairmount. Since then nothing has been heard of him. His wife went to St. Paul, Chicago and Peoria, his former home, to search for him, but found no trace of him.

John Antrobus, Artist, Dies.

Detroit, Mich.—John Antrobus, an artist, who was widely known throughout this country and the father of Miss Suzanne Antrobus, the novelist, died Friday at his home in this city. He lived in Chicago and Washington before coming here.

WIN THE LAHM CUP.

Chandler and McCoy Travel 500 Miles in Balloon.

St. Louis.—Swinging through the atmosphere at a speed roughly estimated at 22 miles an hour, the United States signal corps balloon No. 10, in which Aeronauts J. C. McCoy and Capt. Charles DeF. Chandler, of the United States signal corps, ascended here Thursday evening, passed over Illinois and Indiana Thursday night, and across Ohio Friday, and at nightfall was apparently about to land in the vicinity of Point Pleasant, W. Va., when last heard from.

The distance covered, on a straight line measurements, is approximately 500 miles, and the voyage won for the aeronauts the Lahm cup.

The Lahm cup was instituted by the Aero Club of America, soon after the international races at Paris in 1906, at which Lieut. Frank P. Lahm won the James Gordon Bennett cup for the Aero Club of America. So joyful were the members of the club at the victory that the cup was named for the pilot of the balloon United States, and it was put up by the club to be won by the aeronaut who traveled more than 402 miles, the distance traveled by the United States in the Paris races, provided the start was made from American soil. Lieut. Lahm has never held the cup, and this was the first time it was ever won.

When the ascension was made here Thursday evening it was the intention of the aeronauts to remain in the air all night as a test of the gas to be used by the balloons in the international aeronautic contests which begin here next week. However, considering the likelihood that they might be carried a long distance, they went amply prepared for a long flight.

Provisions in tin cans, self-heating by a lime-slacking device, were stored in the basket, and a number of different instruments for testing purposes were carried.

SHOOTS HIS FELLOW STUDENT.

Eureka Theological Seminary Boy Tries to Kill Another.

Peoria, Ill.—Lewis M. Wilson, a student at the Eureka College Theological Seminary at Eureka, Ill., Friday afternoon shot and seriously wounded John Walsh, a classmate, during the assembling of the class for a recitation.

Wilson fired a revolver point blank at his victim, and the bullet lodged in Walsh's neck near the jugular vein. Thursday afternoon Wilson challenged Walsh to a fight, which was rejected, and Wilson purchased a revolver and practiced target shooting on the college campus just prior to the convening of the class. Walsh's home is at Sydney, Australia, and Wilson comes from a small town in Missouri.

Nineteen Perish in English Wreck.

Shrewsbury, England.—The latest report from the scene of Tuesday's railway wreck near here says that 19 persons were killed, while 39 others were injured. There is still no explanation of the accident. It is suggested the cause may be failure of the vacuum brakes to respond. It seems certain that somebody blundered, for the engine was going at a tremendous rate of speed when the train left the tracks.

Fatal Fire in a Sawmill.

Bay City, Mich.—The sawmill of the Kern Manufacturing company was destroyed by fire Friday afternoon and William B. Lapham, a lumber inspector, was burned to death. The loss will reach $75,000, insurance $20,000.

HEINZES ARE HARD HIT

THEIR BUTTE BANK FAILS AND FIRM IS SUSPENDED.

Copper Dividends Cut—Prominent Banking House of Hamburg, Germany, Forced to Wall.

New York.—Sensations followed each other in rapid succession in the financial district Thursday as the result of the collapse of the projected corner in United Copper and the suspension of a prominent brokerage firm Wednesday.

The firm of Otto Heinze & Co. was suspended on the stock exchange.

F. Augustus Heinze, the Butte copper magnate, resigned the presidency of the Mercantile National bank of New York.

The Amalgamated Copper company at its directors' meeting cut its quarterly dividend from two per cent. to one per cent.

The directors of the Boston & Montana Copper company declared a quarterly dividend of six dollars in place of a former dividend of $12.

The failure of Haller-Soehle & Co., prominent bankers of Hamburg, Germany, with liabilities that may reach $7,500,000, was announced.

The State Savings bank of Butte, Mont., of which the Heinzes are the principal stockholders, suspended.

As a result of these sensations the stock market was halting and irregular, but there was apparent feeling that break of the attempted corner in United Copper had cleared the atmosphere somewhat, and the market rallied before the close.

The suspension of Otto Heinze & Co., of which firm Max M. Schultze is the stock exchange member, was based on a complaint to the exchange made by Gross & Kleeberg, the stock exchange firm which failed. In a communication to the president of the stock exchange this firm charged Otto Heinze & Co. with refusing to accept 3,202 shares of United Copper, said to have been bought on the order of the Heinze firm. The action, Gross & Kleeberg state, was responsible for their failure. Attorneys for this firm stated that the amount owing to the firm by the Heinze firm aggregates $600,000.

OLD TEXAS BANK ASSIGNS

T. W. House of Houston Unable to Realize on Assets.

Houston, Tex.—One of the oldest banking houses in Texas went to the wall Thursday afternoon when T. W. House, banker, filed a general assignment under the state law. W. B. Chew, W. D. Cleveland and J. S. Rice were named as assignees. It is stated that the resources are amply sufficient to pay creditors 100 cents on the dollar. Inability to realize on securities not readily convertible into cash is considered the only cause of the assignment.

The House bank was established in Houston in 1838 by the father of the present banker. Mr. House has enormous holdings of land and other investments in many portions of the state.

MISTAKEN FOR BURGLAR; KILLED

North Dakota Editor Shot by Woman Who Becomes Maniac.

Minot, N. D.—J. T. Neal, editor of the Columbus Reporter, was shot and killed Wednesday night by Mrs. R. C. Rasmussen, who mistook him for a burglar. Editor Neal was at work in his office when he saw a house on fire down the street. He started for the fire, but on the way down stopped for Mr. Rasmussen who, however, had already gone. Neal attempted to enter the Rasmussen house and Mrs. Rasmussen thinking he was a burglar procured her husband's rifle and fired through the door, killing Neal instantly.

Mrs. Rasmussen became a raving maniac when she learned who it was she had shot.

Rich American Loses $1,200.

Paris.—A wealthy American during the lunch hour of the dressmaking establishments on the Rue de la Paix got into conversation with two pretty young women who he thought were dressmakers. Suddenly the bell recalling the girls to work was heard and the young women rushed indoors, taking the man's pocketbook with them. It contained $1,200. The police were notified and found that the girls were not known in any dressmaker's establishment in the neighborhood.

Wireless Links Two Worlds.

Glace Bay, N. S.—The inauguration of a regular transatlantic wireless service was accomplished by William Marconi and his assistants Thursday. Mr. Marconi stated at night that more than 5,000 words had been transmitted between the station at Port Morien, six miles from here and the Irish station. Among the messages transmitted Thursday was one from Sir Hiram Maxim, and a telegram from the London Daily Mail to President Roosevelt.

Mr. Barnes, American

By ARCHIBALD CLAVERING GUNTER

Author of MR. BARNES OF NEW YORK, MR. POTTER OF TEXAS, THAT FRENCHMAN, ETC.

A Sequel to MR. BARNES OF NEW YORK

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SYNOPSIS.

Burton H. Barnes, a wealthy American touring Corsica, rescues the young English lieutenant, Edward Gerard Anstruther, and his Corsican bride, Marina, daughter of the Paolis, from the murderous vendetta, understanding that his reward is to be the hand of the girl he loves, Enid Anstruther, sister of the English lieutenant. The four fly from Ajaccio to Marseilles on board the French steamer Constantine. The vendetta pursues and as the quartet are about to board the train for London at Marseilles, Marina is handed a mysterious note which causes her to collapse and necessitates a postponement of the journey. Barnes gets part of the mysterious note and receives letters which inform him that he is marked by the vendetta. He employs an American detective and plans to beat the vendetta at their own game.

CHAPTER I.—Continued.

"How dare you send my child away when I had ordered her to bed?" remarks her mother, angrily.

"Bed? Oh, Maud is too young to be sent to bed."

"You think she is too young?" Lady Chartris' tone is appeased.

Two minutes after, Miss Chartris, eating bonbons in the seclusion of a magnificent confectioner's shop on the Cours Belzunce, remarks, suspiciously: "What are you doing all this for, Mr. Barnes of New York?"

"I've got a little information to get from you, Maud," says the American. "What kind of a looking man was he who gave you the communication for Mrs. Anstruther?"

"He was an Italian or foreigner or something of that kind with the manners of a waiter or a gentleman. He had a long, thin scar over his left eyebrow. I noticed that because his sleeve buttons had the same crest as Musso Danella's—by the by, how's dear Musso?"

"The deuce! Do you think Marina knew him?" The American's voice is hoarse with concern.

"How can I tell? Dridie didn't see him. I simply gave her the note. It knocked her stupid, and she almost fainted."

Then Maud's eyes opened bigger than ever, for Mr. Barnes says sternly: "Give me that note!"

"What makes you think I've got it?" Maud mutters, affrighted.

"Give me the note you picked up from the floor of the depot when it fell from Marina's fainting hand, and tucked in that left glove of yours."

"Not unless you buy 'em for two boxes of marrons glaces!" asserted the infant, commercially.

"Done!" says the American, sharply.

Miss Chartris unbuttons her left glove and carefully extracts from it and passes him three pieces of paper.

"Now pay up!" she exclaims.

But after matching the three fragments of a letter and glancing hastily over them the face of the gentleman in front of her has grown so distressed and horrified that the candy she is eating slips from Maud's fingers and falls upon the floor of the shop.

CHAPTER II.

The Document in Barnes' Pocketbook.

"You have read this?" Barnes is speaking while he is deciphering as well as he can the mutilated note.

"How could I—in the carriage with you and after that under mamma's awful eyes?"

"Where's the fourth—the other piece?" asked Burton, savagely.

"I—I couldn't get the other—the people were stamping about so," stammers Maud. "She was tearing it up when she keeled over."

"Did Marina say anything?"

"Yes, she sorter gasped: 'Don't tell him!' Then Edwin grabbed her. But what's in it?" asks Maud, as Barnes strives again to gain the full meaning of the three-quarter epistle.

"Nothing that would interest a little girl."

"But it would interest ma. Let me tell ma. Then she'll let up on me."

"Not a word to anyone!" says Burton, sternly.

"Two more boxes of marrons glaces."

"Here, buy them!" The American passed to Maud's eagerly outstretched hand a couple of 20-franc gold pieces. "But—" Barnes' demeanor has become terrifying, "if you blab of this to Edwin Anstruther, I'll tell your mother that you kept this note from her."

"Great Jones!" mutters Maud, shivering. Then she implores: "But if I keep dark, you'll beg me off for running away with you?"

"Yes, avoid your mother's eyes for two hours and I'll probably put something in Lady Chartris' head that will make her so happy she'll think you the nicest little chick out of its shell!"

The American courteously leads the Chartris infant to her hotel, but even as he bids the child adieu at the door, the clerk coming out, says: "Monsieur Barnes, a note for you at the office."

Burton has been compelled to register himself and party. He steps in, tearing open an envelope addressed in an unknown hand, reads what, stable-minded as he is, gives him a shock.

"This compels me to tell Edwin. I must post him a little bit," he thinks rapidly, and acting with equal promptness, steps into the cafe. Not finding Anstruther there, Barnes walks up the stairs.

At the door of his wife's chamber, the English naval officer is pacing the corridor.

"Marina is much better. She has recovered her senses," says Edwin, elatedly. "But Enid believes it best for me not to see her immediately, and the French physician declares it is madness at present to think of the fatigue of a long railway journey for my wife."

"I had feared that," remarks Barnes.

"Gee Whiz, You Want Me to Put My Finger in a Regular Corsican Vendetta?"

"The important thing is now to guard her."

"Guard her?"

"Yes. It is now imperative that I tell you, Anstruther, something I would have kept from you."

Two minutes' hurried conversation and the English sailor says in quarter-deck directness: "I understand. No one goes into that door except the doctor and Enid. If anyone prowls around here—lend me your revolver, Barnes. You always carry one."

"Yes, and you must from now on do the same," answers the American as he passes the weapon to the Englishman. He steps to his own room, and gets another pistol from his valise, muttering grimly: "If I have to shoot, it will be to kill. Now, this makes it necessary to see Elijah Emory at once. Luckily I cabled him."

Making his way hurriedly to the busy Cours Belzunce, Barnes steps into the Hotel des Deux-Mondes, a well-known house of commercial entertainment. A moment's inquiry of the polite clerk and he steps into the correspondence room of the hotel. After looking about a moment, he places his hand on the shoulder of a man engaged in writing.

"I saw you come in the door, Barnes!" says the man, continuing his labor. "Glad to behold you. Your wire from Ajaccio came last night. I've got all the information for you. I missed you at the gare, and reckoned you'd gone on to Paris. Here's what you wanted, finished." He passes him the paper.

Barnes glances carefully about the room—which is deserted.

"There's no living thing here except flies," remarks Emory. "I took care of that before I began to write my confidential report for you. I'll keep my eye on the door, so you can speak freely."

"Have you ever been over in Corsica?" whispers his client.

"Never!" says the detective. "And I don't hanker after going there. If a Corsican commits a crime and gets to his blessed island, he can stay there—for me. To arrest him the gendarmes might have to kill his whole tribe; they hang together like a flock of wild hogs."

"Yes, too much. Now I'll tell you what I want you to do for me, Emory. I want you to act as a buffer."

"A buffer agin what?"

"Against the intangible. I haven't settled exactly against whom, but listen to my story. It won't take over half an hour. Then you'll know how to act."

Rapidly, but under his breath, Barnes tells the American detective of the extraordinary, uncalled for and mistaken Corsican blood feud that he fears instead of having been satisfied two nights before by the death of two men, has been increased and extended.

During the first of his story, Emory beams upon him with the genial smile of a man expecting ducats. During the latter part of it, his face grows worried, several times he nervously wipes the perspiration from his brow, and squirms all over his seat uneasily. At the close he shudders: "Gee whiz, you want me to put my finger in a regular Corsican vendetta? Not on yer blooming life! Not for all the rhino in Baring Brothers'. Besides, women sometimes take a hand in these affairs and play the very devil."

"Yes, it's because one unfortunate lady is already in this affair and another may be drawn into it I speak to you," implores Barnes. "I know money won't tempt you, Emory, but a countrywoman, or rather one who will be a countrywoman—"

"Oh, you mean the future Mrs. Barnes of New York. Well, for her sake, hang me if I don't go you!"

"Thank you!" Barnes gives Emory a grateful grip, adding, earnestly: "Now, let's look over this affair. There's money enough in the pockets of one or two of these people to carry the feud to the ends of the earth. A few moments ago I told you about Edwin's bride following the man she thought had killed her brother to Egypt. Now, when I walk down Broadway on a pleasant evening from the theater, I'm not going to be looking over my shoulder for a dagger in my back. There's only one way to settle this affair."

"How's that?"

"Squelch it!" says Barnes, savagely, "by killing those who would murder me and my kin."

"But, the French government?"

"The French government won't prevent my defending myself. In Corsica itself France has practically never interfered in vendettas. As I wired, you have obtained as far as you can, a list of all the relatives of Musso Danella." Barnes looks over the paper Emory has given him and observes: "All, except Corregio Cipriano Danella, Musso's half brother, are practically French."

"Yes," says Emory, "except there's a cousin—a kind of knock-about fellow, Enrico, who's Corsican also—I didn't get him till the last. You'll find his name at the bottom of the page."

"Where is he?" asks Barnes.

"Oh, Enrico's about the Riviera some place, I reckon. They say he's always near a gaming table when he's got any money in his pocket. When he hasn't, Enrico don't care what he does to get more," answers the detective.

"But, from your report, Corregio, the brother, is now in Marseilles. We'll take this Corregio first. He has a country estate near Serra in the island and spends the balance of his time chiefly in southern France; is intensely Corsican," returns Barnes. Taking from his pocketbook the fragments of the note Maud had given him—the one that had produced Marina's nervous stroke—he places them before the detective, and asks: "Is this Corregio Danella's handwriting?"

"I can't tell, but I'll find out for you," answers Elijah, then his eyes begin to roll, as he mutters: "Whew! Judging from the part of it I can read, that's a nasty document."

"Yes, though I don't think we've got the worst of it, it is as crafty as it is cruel. It was given to the bride not entirely recovered from the agitation of that horrible wedding night to so shock her delicate and already overtaxed nerves that we cannot move away from here. Some devil in Marseilles is trying to hold us here till these bloodhounds arrive from Corsica and have time to act. Here's another note in the same handwriting that puts me in," remarks Burton, moodily. "I received it at my hotel half an hour ago. It's the Corsican custom to give a delicate hint to the doomed." He reads:

"'Have a care of yourself! This is thy warning. Remember death is on you and your spouse and your offspring, born and unborn.'"

"Pleasant reading for a man with his wedding day just ahead of him," snarls the New Yorker. "That's what makes me as vindictive as they are."

"Do you think with this in your hand," whispers Emory, impressively, "you should have a wedding day. I've heard such monstrous reports about them from Perrier, the French detective, who went over these once—"

"Not until this is finished," interjects Burton, with a moan of disappointment.

The detective's comment makes even Barnes' regular pulse beat slower.

"Well, what are your plans to meet this?" asks the American criminologist.

"My plans are very simple," says Barnes, tersely. "I'm going to get our women in a safe place and then—then the hunted becomes the hunter!"

"But how are ye to get the women safe? Someone may be potting 'em while you're rounding up the others! How are ye going to fix that?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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Old Wall Used as Safe.

Vermonter Finds Purse and Coin Hidden Nearly a Century Ago.

While Louis Granelle of Bridgewater, Vt., was tearing down an old wall of the Bridgewater town farm he unearthed a purse hidden in a small vault built for the purpose between the stones. The leather was rotten with age and fell apart as soon as handled, but the several coins which it contained were as bright and fresh as on the day they left the mint. As the newest coin in the lot was struck off 70 years ago and the structure was built about 1832, it is believed that the purse has lain in its vault three-quarters of a century. The money found in the old wallet included 12 silver half dollars, ranging in date from 1812 to 1832, and another coin, probably an English fourpence, dated 1776. There were also three dimes coined in the '20s. Mr. Granelle would not part with his souvenirs at any price.

A Whistler Criticism.

The late James McNeil Whistler was standing bareheaded in a hat shop, the clerk having taken his hat to another part of the shop for comparison. A man rushed in with his hat in his hand and supposing Whistler to be a clerk angrily confronted him.

"See here," he said, "This hat doesn't fit."

Whistler eyed the stranger from head to foot and then drawled out:

"Well, neither does your coat. What's more, if you'll pardon my saying so, I'll be hanged if I care much for the color of your trousers."—"Under the Spreading Chestnut Tree" in Everybody's.

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In the evening some 50 young people arrived on invitation and tendered them a royal reception. The weather during the day and evening was ideal and it is needless to add that all had a good time. The groom came to this county several years ago from Steamboat Rock. By his good conduct, quiet, yet jovial disposition he soon became popular in the community and is well worth the bride he has won. The bride is the second oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bredlow. She has resided in German township all her life. Her pleasant manners have won for her a place in social circles in the Epworth League she is one of the leaders and her bringing up in the experience of domestic life have well qualified her to become the queen of a household.

Mr. Gast has rented the Wm. Stork farm which will be their future home for the coming year.

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German M. E. Church Items

Fred Griewe spent Sunday at home.

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Rev. C. Schulat of Garner, filled the pulpit at Klemme Sunday.

Mrs. H. Griewe and daughter Miss Clara, were at Garner on Monday.

Rev. Wessel went to Fenton to assist Rev. Klause in special meetings which are being held.

Mrs. J. Hartwick of McGregor Iowa, spent a few days of the past week visiting her brother Fred Arnold, Sr.

On Thursday the Klemme W. F. M. S. met with Mrs. E. H. Lenz and the Germantown society met on Tuesday with Mrs. H. L. Suckow.

Mrs. J. Gruetzmacher and daughters Huldah and Esther left for Greene, Iowa, on Tuesday to attend the wedding of an intimate friend.

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LOCAL NEWS

F. C. Griewe returned from S. Dak. last week.

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H. Krunkelfeld of Crystal Lake, visited over Sunday his with Klemme friends.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

F. Gruetzmacher is improving his store with a coat of paint. Joe Miller is doing the work.

Herman Schuldt is erecting a barn on his place west of Klemme. The dimensions are 32x32.

Julius Priebe shipped a car load of cattle to Chicago last week. Julius went along and returned last week Friday.

If you take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills you will get prompt relief from backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder and urinary troubles. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The carpenters have about completed the N. L. Palmer residence. It is now being plastered. When completed Nels will have one of the finest arranged residences in Klemme.

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While Chas. and Fred Kluckhohn were returning from Garner Tuesday evening with their team Fred was anzious to get home as the team, to his estimation, was to slow, so he decided to walk and arrived at home one hour and fifteen minutes before Chas. showed up.

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C. O. Culp of Garrison, visited with J. W. Scott and family over Sunday.

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The changes of ads this week are as follows:

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C. P. Ell returned from New York City Friday. The Ell Bros. shipped a car load of poultry and Charles took in the sights. He was well pleased with his trip.

A weak stomach causing dyspepsia a weak heart with palpitation or intermittent pulse always means weak stomach nerves or weak heart nerves. Strenghten these inside or controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's restorative and see how quickly these ailments disappear. Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. will mail samples free. Write for them A test will tell. Your health is certainly worth this simple trial. Sold by All Dealers.

Thos. Nelson, Jr. who has been sight seeing in S. Dak. returned a few weeks ago. He was land seeking but says that it was rather to dry for him there and that he preferred the wet instead. He will be a resident of Hancock county for at least another year and has rented the Aug. Haberkamp farm.

Pain anywhere, pain in the head, painful periods. Neuralgia toothache all pains can be promptly stopped by a thoroughly safe little pink candy tablet known by druggists as Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Pain means congestion—undue blood pressure at the point where pain exists. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets equalize this unnatural blood pressure and pain immediately departs. Write Dr. Shoop Racine, Wis. and get a free trial package. Large box 25c—Druggists. All Dealers.

Last week Thursday a business change took place in Klemme. The Gruetzmacher Bros. purchased the H. L. Schuldt store, lots, hardware, machinery and groceries. The Gruetzmacher Bros. who are already in business will surely have a complete stock now and will be found at the same corner. As we are sorry to loose Mr. Schuldt as numbered among one of our business men, we however wish him success in whatever enterprise he may enter.

Thomas A Edison the great American inventor says: Fully eighty per cent of illness of man comes from eating improper food or to much food, people are inclined to over-indulge themselves. This is where indigestion finds its beginning in nearly every case. The stomach can do just so much work and no more and when you overload it or when you eat the wrong food the digestive organs can not possibly do the work demanded of them. It is at such times that the stomach needs help, it demands help and warns you by headaches, belching sour stomach, nausea and indigestion. You should attend to this at once by taking something that will actually do the work for the stomach. Ko-ol will do this. It is a combination of natural digestants and vegetable acids and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. It is pleasant to take. It digests what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Hereafter no ads. or articles will be accepted any later than Wednesday noon. Be on time and we will be the same.

Watches and jewelry at J. L Harr & Co. All goods warranted. tf

Stop! It is worth your while to read that ad. of the State Savings Bank Ad.

S. Kleinmaier of Morris, Ill. is here looking after the interests of his farm.

C. W. Wiles has a new ad. on local page. Remember he has a lunch room clean and up-to-date.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

Obstinate cases of consumption and nasty mean headaches promptly disappear when you take DeWitt's little early riser pills. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The State Savings Bank burglar alarm fixtures arrived Wednesday and is now under way of construction.

H. C. Lau of German township is remodeling his house. Paul Labudde and force of Garner are doing the work.

Wm. Schaper arrived from Garner Tuesday evening and visited with Klemme friends He also visited with John G. Tanner and family Wednesday

The pain in Ma's head has gone
She's as happy as can be,
Her health is right her temper is bright
Since taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. J L Harr & Co.

Thed Henschen, Frank Freie, Fred and Chas. Kluckhohn were "rolling some" Tuesday evening, that is at the Garner roller rink.

Presiding Elder Maynard conducted quarterly meeting services in the Eng. M. E. church on Sunday evening. There was a large attendance.

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve is good for little burns and big burns small scratches or bruises and big ones. It is healing and soothing and good for piles Sold by J L Harr & Co.

NOTICE—All those knowing themselves to be indebted to the undersigned are requested to settle up at once, either by cash or bankable notes.

H. L. Schuldt.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

If you never have had an inclination to read ads. we would suggest that you just for once overcome this foolish notion and read the State Savings Bank ad. It's a corker.

Stomach troubles, heart and kidney ailments can be quickly corrected with a prescription to druggists every where as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The prompt and surprising relief which this remedy immediately brings is due to its restorative action upon the controllin nerves of the stomach, etc. All Dealers.

O. E. Carlson left for Boone, Iowa, Wednesday where he was called on account of the serious illness of his uncle. His father lives at the same place.

The only true constipation cure must begin its soothing and healing action when it enters the mouth. Hollister's rocky mountain tea restores the whole system to a healing normal condition. 35c tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

Quite a number from Klemme attended the C. L. Yahnke sale Wednesday.

Mrs. G. W. Kluckhohn and Mrs. Griewe visited with friends at Garner Monday.

Wm. Lau and Lew Lewis drove to Clear Lake on Saturday and returning on Sunday.

Thos. Nelson is improving his residence with a coat of paint. C C. Suckow is doing the work.

Ye editor and family drove to Garner Sunday and were the guests of the editor's parents.

PAY UP.—Those owing me on account for machinery and twine are requested to pay up at once.

H. Lau & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baumgartner of Garner, made their son and family a pleasant visit over Sunday.

Adam Schneider and Mr. Foley of Garner, were the guests of Fred Arnold, Sr. and family Sunday.

Geo. Waterman and family drove to Garner Sunday and were the guests of Chas. Behrens and family.

H. W. Schoper and family left for Eitzen, Minn. last week Friday where they expect to make their home.

E. W. Russell and wife and J. F. Hartfelder and wife were callers at the State Savings Bank Sunday.

This week we are adding another correspondent to our columns and that is from our public school.

H. Schroeder and wife and M. Parker took in the play "My Boy Jack" at the Garner Opera House Tuesday evening.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

John Wenig	Klemme
Andrew Anderson	Goodell
Aug. Kropp	Minneapolis
Paul Labudde	Garner

If taken patiently and persistently will relieve the most obstinate cases of indigestion, constipation, bad blood bad liver no matter how long standing. That is what Hollister's rocky mountain tea will do. 35c tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

HOW TO CURE A COLD.

The question of how to cure a cold without unnecessary loss of time is one in which we are all more or less interested for the quicker a cold is got tenrid of the less the danger of pneumonia and other serious diseases. B W L Hall of Waverly, Va. has used Chamberlain's cough remedy for years and says: I firmly believe Chamberlain's cough remedy to be the absolutely the best preparation on the maret for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me For sale by J L Harr & Co.

For Sale.

A few registered Short horn bull from ten to sixteen months old. Four miles east of Garner.

12-8 Hall Bros.

A CERTAIN CURE FOR CROUP

Used for ten years without a failure.

W C Bott a star City, ind. hardware merchant is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's cough remedy. His children have all been subject to croup and he has used this remedy for the past 10 years and though they much feared the croup his wife and he always felt safe upon retiring when a bottle of Chamberlain's cough remedy was in the house. His oldest child was subject to severe attacks of croup but this remedy never failed to effect a speedy cure. He has recommended it to friends and neighbors and all who have used it say that it is unequaled for croup and whooping cough. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

Now is the time to subscribe for
THE TIMES

BILLIARD HALL
AND
LUNCH ROOM.
The place where you will find hot lunches at all hours. We keep in stock canned goods, tobacco and cigars, pastry of all kinds and bread for retail. Give me a trial.
C. W. WILES, PROP

Record Hereford bulls $50 up.
Duroc Jersey Boars $10 up.
The right kind at lowest prices. Call and see them before buying elsewhere.
PHONE 506 A. GIBBS & SON.

STOP
I am not only in the painting business, but am also prepared to take your pictures. Copying a specialty. Prices reasonable.
JOE MILLER.

YOURS FOR BUSINESS!
Grain, coal and live stock by Aug. Lau at North Elevator at Klemme and South Elevator at Goodell. Call on us. Straight business will be done at both places.
AUG. LAU & SON.

IF
you have any old iron to sell I will be pleased to buy it. I will pay 35c per hundred in cash. Anyone having a load on hand, notify me.
My address is Goodell, Iowa.
K. Friedman.

COL. J. J. WILSON
Livestock Auctioneer,
Thornton, Iowa, R. F D.
Best of references. Let me cry your sale. Make your dates with the State Savings Bank.

Sell your
EGGS
FOR
CASH
TO
ELL BROS.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

SHOOTS TWO, THEN ESCAPES.

Bootlegger In Town Near Des Moines Gets Into Trouble.

Des Moines.—Charles Morris, superintendent, and C. W. Johnson, storekeeper of the Enterprise mines, were shot and possibly fatally wounded on the 16th by J. C. Cain, an alleged bootlegger, whose arrest they caused a few days ago.

The two men had gone to the home upon his invitation of Cain to buy him out, according to a proposition he had made to sell.

Without warning he drew a revolver and fired. Morris fell with a bullet in his side. Johnson turned to go and was shot in the back. Morris will recover if no complications set in. Johnson is unconscious and will probably die.

Cain immediately fled, starting toward Des Moines. The police were notified and the sheriff's office was in turn appealed to for assistance. Three deputy sheriffs, Wesley Ash, George Curren and Charles Johnson, started in search of the man. They were all well armed.

Cain was recently arrested on information filed by Morris and Johnson in the court of Justice Fred Cope in this city. He was charged with bootlegging and the mine operators maintained that he was a disturbing element in the community. They wished to prevent the miners from buying liquor. Cain went to the county jail and after his release returned to Enterprise, evidently determined to get even. He then deliberately set the trap by which he hoped to kill Morris.

CAIN SURRENDERS.

Assailant of Morris and Johnson in Jail at Des Moines.

Des Moines.—J. C. Cain for whom officers had been scouring the county, gave himself up on the 19th, and is now safely lodged in the county jail. He claims that the shooting of C. H. Morris and E. C. Johnson at Enterprise was an accident.

Cains' wife came to the sheriff's office and announced that her husband had returned home and was willing to be arrested. Deputy Sheriff B. J. Ness and Wesley Ash left immediately for Enterprise and brought the much wanted man back to Des Moines. He told the officers that he had never been more than two miles from Enterprise during the time deputy sheriffs, constables and detectives were searching for him high and low.

"How are you, boys?" said Cain when the officers entered the house. "I am all ready to go."

Then he kissed his wife and six children affectionately and walked away. On the trip back to Des Moines Cain gave his version of the shooting and also told of his movements since he disappeared shortly afterwards.

HONORS FOR FLAVIN.

Des Moines Priest Formally Invested With High Title.

Des Moines.—Before a congregation which taxed the capacity of St. Ambrose church to the very utmost, the pastor, Father Michael Flavin, was on Sunday morning, formally invested with the title of protonotary prelate of the papal household. The ceremony was performed by Bishop James Davis of Davenport and rivalled in solemnity, dignity and beauty the crowning of a pope. Catholic church dignitaries from all parts of the country to the number of seventy-five assisted in the services. St. Ambrose was decorated for the occasion in a gorgeous manner, with streamers of white, yellow and the royal purple, yellow and white chrysanthemums, and United States flags. A special choir of thirty-five voice with orchestral accompaniment, rendered the stately and solemn Gloria mass in a manner that made St. Ambrose reverberate with a melody that thrilled all hearers. Catholic and protestant, Jew and Gentile, all united in making the event an epoch in the history of St. Ambrose parish.

Vinton Marshal Is on Trial.

Vinton.—The taking of evidence in the trial of Deputy Marshal Baumgardner for the killing of Frank Finley on the night of July 4, last, began with the court room thronged by interested spectators. There is much difference of opinion regarding the guilt or innocence of the defendant, some of those in attendance seem to think that the state has a weak case against the deputy city marshal, and that his cause has been strengthened by some of the state's witnesses.

Queer Accident to Thresher.

Mason City.—While threshing near here some object entered the cylinder of a threshing machine belonging to Bart Dilts, of Swaledale, and so demolished the interior that the machine had to be replaced with a new one. The object broke the bars, took out the concaves, and splintered up the middle and rear ends of the machine as though the bars of steel and oak timber were sticks of kindling wood.

MOB ASSAILS LAWYER.

Thousand Infuriated Davenporters Attack C. W. Neal.

Davenport.—With a throng of a thousand infuriated German-Americans following him through the streets, Captain C. W. Neal of Davenport, a veteran of the civil war, had to draw a revolver to protect himself in the second demonstration in two days against the "lid" placed on the Davenport saloons.

The riot followed close upon the summoning of August Richter, editor of the Democrat, before Police Magistrate Rodgewig for caning T. H. Kemmerer, plaintiff in the saloon cases. Editor Richter demanded trial by jury and his case was continued.

Captain Neal, attorney for Kemmerer, was mobbed as he left the court room and had to take refuge in the office of John Berwald. Berwald ordered him out. Drawing a revolver, Neal went out and faced the infuriated crowd. With finger on trigger, he stood the mob off until a riot call brought a platoon of policemen, when he was escorted away.

Neal was arrested later for carrying concealed weapons, and released on bail.

RUN OUT OF DAVENPORT.

City Is Greatly Excited Over Saloon War.

Davenport.—Attorney C. W. Neal, who has been prosecuting the saloon injunction cases here, was escorted to the Rock Island station by a platoon of police where he took a train for Des Moines. He will spend the next ten days or two weeks there for safety and to avoid the threatened vengeance of the mob which is now in an infuriated condition.

Another big mob congregated at the police station to witness the trial of Attorney C. W. Neal, charged with pulling a gun on a crowd during a demonstration against him. Capt. Neal was fined $5 and costs.

The vast crowd remained outside the building for Captain Neal to emerge and after an hour's wait the attorney came out under escort of a platoon of police. The crowd followed the attorney and officers, hooting and threatening violence, but was finally dispersed after Neal had been taken into the Masonic temple for safety. Captain Neal was hung in effigy in Washington square Thursday night opposite his home.

Captain Neal is the attorney who represented T. H. Kemmerer in placing the "lid" on Davenport saloons.

OELWEIN STRIKE BREAKS.

Car Men Vote to End Great Western Fight.

Oelwein.—At a meeting of the car men of the Chicago Great Western shops at his place on the 18th an organization composed of over 200 men, it was voted by a decisive majority to call the strike off so far as they were concerned, and later the men filed individual applications with the company for work. This action of the car workers breaks the backbone of the strike, and it is expected other organizations will at once follow suit.

The temporary injunction granted some time since restraining the strikers from interfering in any way with the company's property on their men has been further extended and time set for hearing Nov. 5.

HALF BREED SLAYS THREE.

Goes Gunning for Divorced Wife and Her Husband.

Davenport.—Gunning for his divorced wife and her new husband, William Martens, a half breed Indian, shot and killed James and Harold Gaskay and fatally wounded George Gaskay.

Martens fled and later was found in a lumber yard where he had killed himself with the same revolver.

The woman and her husband, a brother of the Gaskays, had gone to Iowa City, escaping a similar fate.

$50,000 Loss for Standard Oil.

Des Moines.—A fire that in its consequences and possibilities was one of the most spectacular ever seen in Des Moines practically destroyed the Standard Oil company's big plant at East Fifth and Market streets on the 19th. For more than three hours the firemen fought to extinguish the flames and prevent an explosion in the huge tanks of oil which stood but a few feet from the burning structure. Finally the fire was under control, but several firemen were stationed at the building all night to prevent a fresh outbreak.

Clamps Lid on Keokuk.

Keokuk.—Every gambling house in this city is closed, orders having been issued by the mayor to put the lid on. For many years open gambling has been tolerated here, but because of the gamblers' quarrels among themselves in an attempt to monopolize the business the imperative order to close went into effect.

MIX THIS YOURSELF

RECIPE FOR SIMPLE HOME-MADE KIDNEY CURE.

Inexpensive Mixture of Harmless Vegetable Ingredients Said to Overcome Kidney and Bladder Trouble Promptly.

Here is a simple home-made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement in a New York daily newspaper, that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night; painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the recipe; try it:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known physician is authority that these ingredients are all harmless and easily mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire Kidney and Urinary structure, and often overcomes the worst forms of Rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure the Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric acid and foul, decomposed waste matter, which cause the afflictions. Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription.

NO STAIN ON HIS RECORD.

That's Where the Driver Had the Best of the Preacher.

A New York clergyman, who often spends his vacation in fishing the streams of the Adirondacks, was on one trip adopted by a handsome setter dog, which insisted on following him from camp to camp, as he moved along the stream.

One day he met a party of men working upstream with a native guide. The guide immediately recognized the dog as his own property.

"Trying to steal my setter, are you?" he shouted at the clergyman. "I'll have you to jail for this! There's a law in the woods just as big as you have in the city."

The clergyman endeavored to explain that he was an unwilling companion of the dog, which had refused to be driven away, but to little effect until he added a two-dollar bill to his arguments.

"It's queer what strange things happen to a man up here," he said to the stage-driver who later carried him away from the woods. "That is the first time I was ever accused of stealing a dog."

"Yes, sir," replied the driver, sympathetically, and added, after a moment's pause, "For myself, sir, I have never been accused of stealing anything."—Youth's Companion.

The Sinful Human Heart.

A clergyman was addressing a youthful class in Sunday school. To illustrate the idea of regulating the sinful human heart he took out his watch and held it up that all might see it.

"See this watch," he said. "Just imagine that it does not keep good time—that it goes all ways but the right way. What ought I to do with it?"

Instantly a little boy held up his hand.

"I know!" he shouted. "Sell it to a friend."

OLD SOAKERS

Get Saturated with Caffeine.

When a person has used coffee for a number of years and gradually declined in health, it is time the coffee should be left off in order to see whether or not it has been the cause of the trouble.

A lady in Huntsville, Ala., says she used coffee for about 40 years, and for the past 20 years has had severe stomach trouble. "I have been treated by many physicians but all in vain. Everything failed to give relief. Was prostrated for some time, and came near dying. When I recovered sufficiently to partake of food and drink I tried coffee again and it soured on my stomach.

"I finally concluded that coffee was the cause of my trouble and stopped using it. I tried tea in its place and then milk, but neither agreed with me; then I commenced using Postum, had it properly made and it was very pleasing to the taste.

"I have now used it four months, and my health is so greatly improved that I can eat almost anything I want and can sleep well, whereas, before, I suffered for years with insomnia.

"I have found the cause of my troubles and a way to get rid of them. You can depend upon it, I appreciate Postum." "There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

HOME REMEDY FOR A COLD.

A Good, Common Sense Treatment, Anybody Can Easily Apply.

The best time to doctor a cold is when you feel it coming on. Do not delay, as you can often cure it in one night if taken in time. Keep in mind that a cold summer retards the crop—a cold hen never lays—a cold house is uncomfortable and a cold climate breeds colds—so when you start to cure your cold *warm up.*

Bathe the feet in hot water—take hot drinks of lemonade or composition tea—take a good laxative quinine tablet and go to bed and sweat. The most important treatment in doctoring a cold or sore throat is a good application on the lungs to avoid any chance of pneumonia. People used to apply camphorated oil, goose grease, etc., but the finest thing for this purpose is Hoff's German Liniment. This is a camphor cream, strong and penetrating, yet perfectly clean and does not soil clothing or bedding. It is a simple household remedy, is sold everywhere for twenty-five cents. Be sure to rub it in well and if throat is sore use as a gargle. The above treatment is inexpensive—in fact costs a good deal less than a good tombstone—and a neglected cold often leads to an untimely grave.

A Vast Sum.

The amount of money which the government is called upon to redeem in the course of the year reaches an almost fabulous amount. In 1904, for instance, it totaled $912,000,000. This redemption is either for the purpose of securing clean, fresh notes or to get change of some other denomination.

Give Defiance Starch a fair trial—try it for both hot and cold starching, and if you don't think you do better work, in less time and at smaller cost, return it and your grocer will give you back your money.

The Way of It.

Stella: How do you know Jack is going to propose?

Bella—His speech leaked the last time I was with him.—N. Y. Sun.

THE MILK PAIL is kept free from staleness, sliminess and stickiness if it is washed with Borax and water in the following proportions—1 tablespoonful to a quart of water.

A careworn woman doesn't seem to care what she wears.

WHEN MILESTONES CHEER.

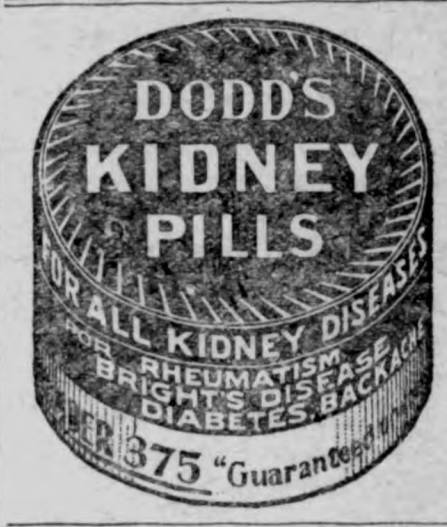
They Always Gladden the Heart of the Pedestrian.

In a walking trip a milestone along the way is the most companionable fellow in the world; your spirits rise as you near him as though you were about to greet a human friend, and they keep almost consistently on his high level till his brother a mile distant advances to meet you.

And when you overlook one of this friendly company because of an encroaching bank or screening boughs, says the Travel Magazine, his neighbor further on comes to you doubly welcome. At the latter end of this passage in the journey your spirits flag a trifle as though oppressed by a sense of desertion. You may even scowl at the overhanging bank which is more than a party to this concealment.

Those worthy persons who attend to the roads should see to it that every milestone within their province stands out frankly from its leafy background. Observance of this, however, would rob the wayfarer of that leap of the heart which is his when the stone tells the story of two miles done rather than one. For however much the landscape and the minute world at his feet may claim the footfarer's admiration he is still keenly alive to the virtue of decent distances covered in his day's journey.

No man is called to a life of self-denial for its own sake. It is in order to obtain a compensation which is real and always proportionate.—Drummond.



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MISS ADELAIDE NICHOLS

PERIODS OF PAIN

While no woman is entirely free from periodic suffering, it does not seem to be the plan of nature that women should suffer so severely. Irregularities and pain are positive evidence that something is wrong which should be set right or it will lead to serious derangement of the feminine organism.

Thousands of women, have found relief from all periodic suffering by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made from native roots and herbs, as it is the most thorough female regulator known to medical science.

It cures the condition which causes so much discomfort and robs that period of its terrors. Women who are troubled with painful or irregular functions should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences and be restored to health and strength by taking

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Miss Adelaide Nichols of 324 West 22nd Street, New York City, writes:—Dear Mrs, Pinkham:—"If women who suffer would only rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound their troubles would be quickly alleviated. I feel greatly indebted for the relief and health which has been brought to me by your inestimable remedy."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cures Female Complaints such as Falling and Displacements, and Organic Diseases. Headache, General Debility, Indigestion, and invigorates the whole feminine system. For the derangements of the Kidneys of either sex *Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound* is excellent.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. From the symptoms given, the trouble may be located and the quickest and surest way of recovery advised.

One trial will convince you that

Sloan's Liniment

will relieve soreness and stiffness quicker and easier than any other preparation sold for that purpose.

It penetrates to the bone, quickens the blood, drives away fatigue and gives strength and elasticity to the muscles.

Thousands use Sloan's Liniment for rheumatism, neuralgia, toothache sprains, contracted muscles, stiff joints, cuts, bruises, burns, cramp or colic and insect stings.

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ARREST AMERICANS

THREE TAKEN BY RUSSIAN POLICE AND JAILED.

ONE IS NOTED SOCIALIST

American Embassy Attempts Their Relief, But Is Unable To Do Anything.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 21.—William English Walling of Indianapolis, Ind., his wife and sister-in-law, Miss Rose Stunsky, were arrested in this city last night by gendarmes because of their association with several members of the Finnish progression party. A representative of the American embassy appeared in their behalf but he can take no action until today. Kellogg Durlang, another American and a friend of Mr. Walling, who has been gathering material for lectures, also was arrested, but later he was released.

Mr. Walling is a wealthy socialist. He is a grandson of the late W. H. English, who was vice presidential candidate in 1880. For several years Walling has taken an active interest in the Russian struggle, and this is the third time he has visited Russia.

The Finns with whom the Wallings have been associating also were arrested. In this party there are three men and the wife of Prof. Mahk Berg of Helsingfors university.

The arrest took place at the Hotel de France, one of the leading hotelries of this city. The rooms of the Walling party and the Finns were thoroughly searched, all the baggage of the Walling party and the Finns being opened. The gendarmes took possession of a large quantity of books and documentary matter.

Mr. Walling and his wife, who is known to the literary world as Anna Stunsky, and Miss Stunsky were taken to the gendarmes headquarters for all the prisons were overcrowded. After much telephoning by the authorities, places were finally found for the prisoners. Walling was sent to the detention prison, his wife to the women's prison and Miss Stunsky, who is apparently regarded as the most important captive, to the new jail recently built for the secret police.

It was impossible to learn what the charge was against the Finns. This will determine the accusation against Mr. Walling, but a member of the secret service said the order of arrest had originated in his section and that the secret service had been shadowing Walling for two years. The police have been instructed to look also for James M. James, a New York newspaper man who has been over here for a New York weekly and several socialist papers. He has been arrested twice during raids on revolutionary gatherings but was released upon proving that he was present in his journalistic capacity only.

WILL PICK CONVENTION CITY.

Republican National Committee Called to Meet Early Next Month.

Washington, D. C. Oct. 21.—The republican national committee will meet here Dec. 6 and 7 to decide upon the place and time for holding the next republican national convention.

According to Mr. New, several cities have made application for the convention, among them Chicago, Kansas City, St. Louis, Denver, Seattle, Atlantic City, Pittsburg, Milwaukee and St. Paul.

"The next convention is going to attract a larger number of people than have heretofore attended," said Mr. New, "and there are four considerations to be taken into account in deciding the place. The first is the accessibility of the town, Second it must have ample hotel accommodations. Third it must provide a good hall, and fourth it must possess adequate facilities for the distribution of news."

THEATERS DEFY CLOSING RULE.

Kansas City Playhouses Are Open Despite Indictments to Come.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct 21.—All theaters of this city were open yesterday in violation of the Sunday closing order by Judge Wallace of the criminal court, and all the actors and actresses who participated in the performances will be indicted by the grand jury Tuesday if Judge Wallace's instructions are obeyed. Scores of city detectives and deputy marshals were busy yesterday securing evidence against the actors. The persons indicted will be released on bond, and Judge Wallace believes that this method, if adopted, every Sunday, will prove so inconvenient to traveling actors that the theaters will be compelled to close.

TAFT IS NOT OPTIMISTIC.

Refers Lightly to Chance of Becoming President.

Manila, Oct 20.—At a banquet given in his honor in this city last night, Secretary of War William H. Taft made a most significant statement. He was referring to the fact that he had already visited the Philippine Islands three times and in expressing his intention to come here again he said:

"I hope in another two years to visit Manila again, but then I probably will come as a private citizen."

FIVE MONTHS IN HOSPITAL.

Discharged Because Doctors Could Not Cure.

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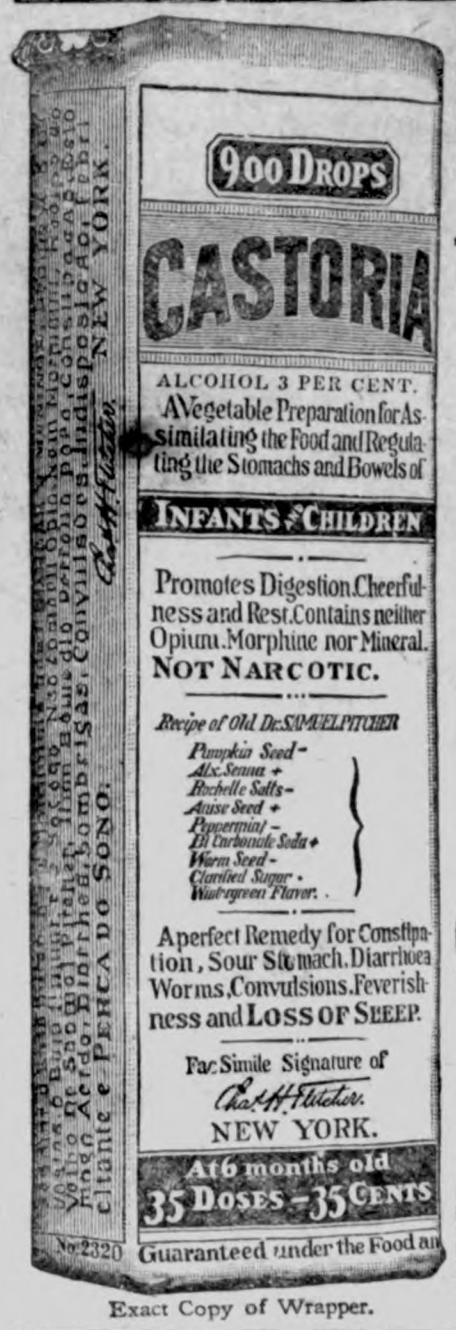
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Avery Center.

Irma Behringer spent sunday with Hazel Hartfelder.

Tom Hamilton and wife were Garner visitors Sunday.

Harry Behringer started plowing on the P. McNulty farm.

Anna Hanson was helping Mrs. John Griggs clean house.

Harvey Sweigard spent Sunday with George Griggs and family.

George Sherwood returned to his home at Iowa Falls Saturday evening.

Quite a number of Avery Center attended the sale at Parkers in Goodell.

George Griggs and family spent Sunday with Chris Hansen and family.

Juel Nolte and wife attended the 45th anniversary at their parents this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell of Mesery, spent Sunday with John Hartfelder and family.

Anderson and his men did some fine grading between Guinter's and Will Bachman's.

W. L. Sherwood and Harry Behringer drove cattle from the Waddingham pasture this week.

W. L. Sherwood, Jay Griggs, John Griggs, spent a few days at Twin lake a few weeks ago

Jay Griggs and wife and W. L. Sherwood and wife and Mr. Griggs were at West Lake this week.

HARD TIMES IN KANSAS

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today, although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's new discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me. The safest and most reliable cough and cold cure and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. drug store. 50c and $1.00 Trial bottle free.

School Notes.

Six were absent from Miss Smith's room on Tuesday.

The attendance has been very regular with a few exceptions.

The second third grades are very much interested in their supplementary reading.

Esther Blumer has been absent most of this week on account of the illness of her sister Minnie.

The fifth grade have finished the Language book they have been using and are about to take up a higher book.

In the advanced room for opening exercise the scholars have taken up the study of American Authors and their works.

On Tuesday morning the Primary and Intermediate rooms assembled in the advanced room. Prof. Washburn read a story entitled "Mary's Ride" to the little folks which they declared "the bestest" they had ever heard.

TENTH GRADE

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East Ell Township.

Misses Mitchell and Bonar spent Sunday at Wm. Yohn's.

Harve Allen visited with John Hoselton and family Sunday.

Fred Izermann and wife spent Sunday evening at J. Hoselton's.

E. Buss purchased four head of cows at a sale near Goodell.

Johnson Bros. shipped two car load of cattle to Chicago Sunday morning.

There will be a basket social at the stone school house Oct. 31. All are invited.

John Newberger and family transacted business in Garner one day last week.

G. A. Goll and family, E. Buss and wife, Herman Thiemann and wife and Henry Thiemann visited at H. T. Thiemann Sunday.

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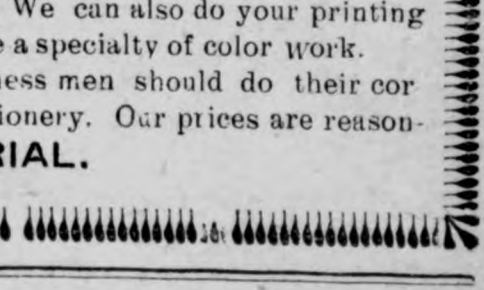

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Goodell and Vicinity.

Rob Wilson moved to Meservey Wednesday.

Nick Conlan returned from the hospital at Iowa City Monday.

The infant child of W. L. Wesenberg died Sunday evening.

Joe Buchann and wife went to Illinois Saturday to visit with relatives.

Margret Costello closed a very successful term of school in the Old Town Friday.

Mrs. Avery of Goodell, went to Fort Dodge last week for a visit with relatives.

Jake Bachman started an extensive job of moving for Tom Cashman Monday.

Frank McNulty returned from Rochester, Minn. Saturday where he has been the past month at the hospital.

Mr. Bauman of Goodell, took T. A. Monaghen L. H. Wilson and S. S. Matson to Britt Saturday in his auto to attend a school meeting.

The School officers of Hancock Co. held an enthuasthic meeting at Britt, Saturday. They effected a permanent organization with Supt. A. M. Deyoe as President, Ole Rikanshind as Secretary, T. A. Monaghen of Goodell, John Hammill of Britt and Sam Hansen of Crystal Lake as executive committee; the next meeting will be held at Garner on the second Wednesday in January. The various school boards are expected to appoint delegates for this meeting.

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My dear old mother who is now 83 years old thrives on Electric Bitters writes W B Brunson of Dublin. Ga. She has taken them for about 2 years and enjoys an excellent appetite feels strong and sleeps well. That's the way electric bitters affect the aged and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weaknes and general debility. Weak puny children to are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach. liver and kidney troubles by J L Harr & Co druggists, 50c.

Avery Center.

Will Bachman was on the sick list this week.

John Bachman lost a valuable horse this week.

Ben Miller keeps the road smooth to Paulsville.

Miss Kiptlinger is visiting at John Heginger's this week.

David and Alex Ross were hauling corn from Meservey Monday.

Fred Rawlsin and John Hartfelder called at Meservey Sunday.

Lizzie Christie was an over Sunday visitor at Chris. Hansen's.

Juel Nolte and family and Miss Christie were Goodell visitors Sunday.

Juel Nolte and P. McNulty were drawing oats to Goodell last week.

Fred Haupt and wife were over over Sunday visitors at Will Bachman's.

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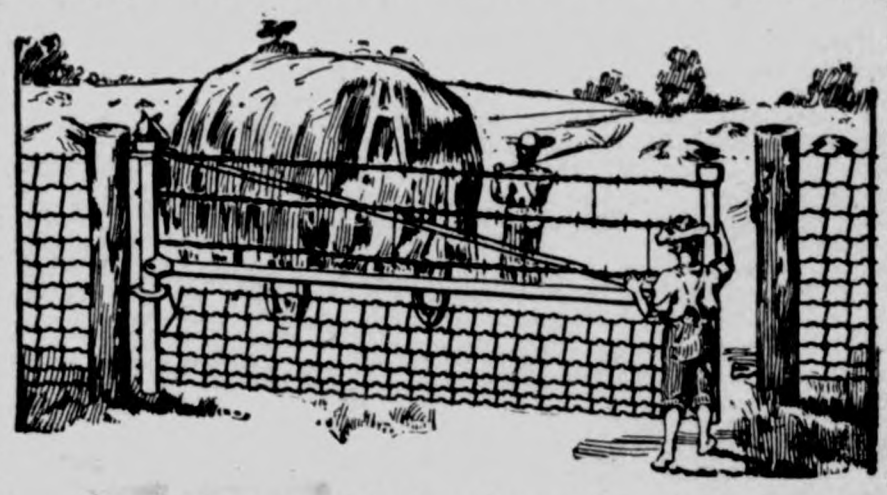

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Familiarity often ends in disgust.

Sleep and death are twins of rest.

Never laugh at the expense of virtue.

Notoriety and fame are twin sisters of eccentricity.

Malice, envy and hate pursue the good and great.

The people of India are growing somewhat tired of being governed by England at their expense.

An English doctor declares that modesty is a disease. We know a lot of people who have been vaccinated.

Sir Thomas Lipton has altered his challenge to suit criticism. He seems to be willing to lose again any old way.

John D. Rockefeller is said to handle very little actual money. It would be a great hardship for him to be obliged to count it all himself.

Pittsburg is having a plague of mails. And yet the rest of the world has been given to understand that the Smoky City is nothing, if not rapid.

It is said that eating candy kills the appetite for liquor, but with the price of chocolate bonbons going up, it may be cheaper to scorn the water wagon.

Lightning in Connecticut struck the nest of a setting hen and hatched out two chickens. Evidently the nature-faking thrives on attempts to put it down.

Possibly detectives in this country do not use disguises because nobody would suspect most of them of being detectives unless it was announced.

The king of Spain, it is said, has been cured of snoring, but the man who occupies the berth just across the aisle from you in a sleeping car is a hopeless case.

Comes Sir Thomas and says that if the Americans will not race small boats he will send a large one. He does not propose to stand on a mere matter of size.

That operation on King Alfonso seems to have been beneficial in more ways than one. Because of it he has been compelled to cut down his daily cigarette ration.

An English professor has been telling San Francisco that pigs have souls. If this comes to the ears of the packing trust an effort will be made to can them. The trust lets nothing escape knowingly.

Mrs. Hetty Green is at liberty to think anything she likes about high finance. Most of us never will have the chance for anything more than a theoretical knowledge of it, so we can't contradict her.

An X-ray examination has disclosed the fact that a soldier in Indianapolis has two hearts. But this ought not to be thought so remarkable since it is a well authenticated fact that a sailor anywhere leaves a heart in every port.

A Paris scientist has succeeded, he claims, in producing life in sea urchins by means of chemicals. The non-scientific world is shuddering a thanksgiving that he did not select mosquitoes for his vivifying experiments.

A scientist in Denmark has discovered that when people weep they shed germs. It cannot be said that in this another illusion is gone, for it will take more than mere science to convince womankind that there is more harm than benefit in a "good cry."

Instruments attached to unmanned balloons have recorded, say German scientists, that it is warmer over the poles than it is over the equator. It may be that the equator keeps all the heat going for the surface, but proof of the assertion is necessarily all in the air.

Why should army officers be required to ride 15 miles on horseback as a test of military fitness, just when the automobile is becoming recognized as a valuable auxiliary in military evolutions? Fat officers could just as well be brought to the front in autos, and it would add to the efficiency of the machines when they run over the enemy.

The students in a western college have adopted a novel method of hazing. They imprisoned a fellow-student in a coffin for ten hours with the lid down and candles burning about him. Some of the reports of hazing in the colleges of the country, sarcastically suggests the Baltimore American, would indicate that a chair for the development of a decent sense of humor in the youth of the land would not be a bad addition to the scheme of work.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

$300,000 LOSS BY FIRE.

Big Iowa Central Car Shops at Marshalltown Burn.

Marshalltown.—One of the worst fires in the history of the city destroyed the big Iowa Central car shops, paint shops, valuable machinery and contents, including coaches, box cars, flat cars, finishing lumber and car timbers and entailing a total loss of $300,000. The origin of the fire is unknown, but when discovered at 8:30 p. m. the flames were bursting through the roof and spread rapidly through the interior of both structures, which are connected.

The character of the contents aided the flames in their devastating work and the interior was gutted as though so much tinder. The car shops building proper is 50x260 feet, and paint shop 40x150 feet.

At 10 o'clock everything was in ruins but the fire was under control. The department was powerless to cope with the blaze, and its efforts were confined solely to keeping the flames in the building where they originated, preventing them from spreading to the machine and boiler shops, round house and adjacent buildings. Fortunately the wind aided the firemen and company employes who played several streams on the buildings. Switch engines were also brought into service. Twenty cars loaded with coal and flour were moved from the tracks within a few feet of the burning buildings and carried away from danger.

Included in the rolling stock burned were two new coaches, ten box cars, a caboose and several flat cars. The biggest loss is in valuable machinery and stock, costly finishing lumber, fixtures of all kinds used in the manufacture of coaches and cars, including thousands of dollars' worth of oak and poplar roofing and flooring.

Immense piles of heavy timbers lying in shop yards will be badly damaged although attention was turned to them early.

PRESIDENT HANCHER QUITS.

Resigns Place at Head of Iowa Wesleyan University.

Mount Pleasant.—At a special meeting of the executive committee of Iowa Wesleyan university, Mr. Hancher declared his intention of tendering his resignation to the next meeting of the board of trustees. A special call was issued for such meeting to be held Nov. 6.

A general expression of regret has gone up from all sides upon hearing this statement. For the past six and a half years he has made a most efficient president. He cleared the college from a heavy debt of $100,000, thus insuring its future existence. He raised an emergency fund of $6,000 a year for six years and just now he is entering upon a campaign to raise $250,000 for the endowment of the university.

During the past two years Dr. Hancher has undergone two severe surgical operations and although the wound from these has entirely healed his physicians say that he must have from six months to a year of absolute rest. His reasons for resigning are purely health reasons.

CAIN IS A MURDERER.

Charles H. Morris Dies as Result of Shooting.

Des Moines.—Charles H. Morris succumbed on the 26th to the gunshot wounds inflicted by J. C. Cain at Enterprise on Oct. 16, dying at the Mercy hospital, surrounded by his family and friends, who had believed almost up to the last moment that he would recover.

His death was painless, a peaceful end to the agony and suffering he has endured during the ten days since the murderous attack upon him and his assistant, E. C. Johnson, at the mines. His case was almost parallel to that of President McKinley, a septic infection following the wound, which, in itself, would have healed.

Warrants For Twenty.

Nashua.—Warrants have been issued for the arrest of twenty people, including women, for participating in a charivari which resulted in the destruction of much property at the home of Amos Bullen. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Zwanziger, who were married at Charles City, were at the Bullen home when the attack was made. Windows were broken and shingles torn off, the chimney thrown down, shrubs uprooted and the premises left in general disorder.

Overland Smashes Into Freight.

Burlington.—Overland express train No. 2 crashed into the rear end of a freight at the Jefferson street crossing. Three freight cars were reduced to splinters, the caboose was consumed by flames, a big locomotive damaged, and street car and other traffic delayed for hours. Nobody was hurt.

The accident was caused by a careless employe allowing both trains to enter the same block.

MACKOWN GUILTY.

Jury's Verdict Almost Overcomes Webster City Man.

Webster City.—When the jury in the Mackown arson case declared that they found him guilty, the defendant was visibly shocked and gave evidence for the first time of his emotions.

The jury reached an agreement after having been out all night. It is a surprise to many who followed the evidence, Mackown having made a strong effort to establish an alibi. The jury evidently put faith in the state's attack on the alibi.

Mackown's attorneys will ask for a new trial.

George W. Mackown is in many respects one of the most remarkable men ever put on trial in this state.

Mackown's career in this city was a brief one, but within the period of his residence here Webster City capitalists withstood the hardest blow ever struck the city. Coming here from the humble position of superintendent of the Daniel C. Green felt shoe factory at Dolgeville, New York, Mackown was given complete management of the Webster City factory and made secretary of the company as well. He was a resident of the city a year and a month. When he left, a fine factory into which $100,000 in capital had been fully paid lay in smoking and total ruins, and thousands of dollars said to have been used in the purchase of raw felt material are alleged to have been embezzled. Both crimes were laid to Mackown. A jury has settled the first charge, and a Webster county jury with a week or so will pass upon the second charge.

HIS CORN WINS HIM A FARM.

Iowa Farmer Made Unusual Winning in Chicago.

Jefferson.—Ray Bennett, residing near Ames, in Story county, made an extraordinary winning at the Chicago corn exposition, capturing a Texas farm and numerous other prizes.

Bennett, who is a young man, has had previous experience as a corn exhibitor, having not long since captured the Whitney trophy at Ames, valued at $150, for the best ten acres of corn of any variety. The ears which won the Whitney trophy were not those exhibited in Chicago, however.

Although he thought his crop of corn not up to the standard this year, Bennett found ten ears which he determined to take to Chicago. After the judges had completed their work this ten ears had tags on them, which showed that he had won a pair of $5 shoes, $7.50 worth of milk cans, a surface cultivator worth $25, a gold watch worth $25, a feed grinder valued at $120, and a 160-acre farm in Texas valued at $6,400, and tied another man for a prize piano in another class. Their winnings alone amounted to nearly $7,000.

WOODMEN GIVE SKIN.

Keokuk Lodgemen Aiding Poor Parents of Injured Boy.

Keokuk.—The biggest case of skin grafting in the history of surgery in the west is being done at St. Joseph's hospital. The operation commenced two weeks ago and was made necessary in order to save the lift of little Henry Lange, who on August 2 was fearfully burned about the back and shoulders.

Members of the local camp of the Modern Woodman of America and young men who belong to the Y. M. C. A. have volunteered to submit to the ordeal of giving up pieces of their skin in order that the life of the victim of the accident might be spared. The parents are too poor to stand the expense of the operation. The physicians are giving their services free. A class from the medical college is watching the progress of the operation.

Dallas Board Fears Suit.

Perry.—Because of the failure of some Dallas county teachers to comply with the contracts made with certain publishing houses by the board of supervisors in accordance with the new iron-clad law, that body has become alarmed for fear the county may be sued for damages. The trouble has arisen because some schools of the county are not using the text books selected by the board, as the new law requires them to do.

Rich Man Is Pulled as a Vag.

Waterloo.—Although he had $1,441.38, either in cash or its equivalent, in his possession, Tom Carpenter a sheep herder, was arrested as a vagrant and committed to the city jail.

It is said Carpenter, who does not look like a tramp, but a properous young business man, refused to go to a hotel. He said he had been herding sheep in Montana for many years and had been saving his money.

GOING INTO THE TRUST SUBJECT.

A SECOND DREYFUS AFFAIR

FRENCH NAVY AND ARMY OFFICERS ARRESTED AS TRAITORS.

One Confesses—Possessed Many Naval Secrets and Tried to Blackmail Minister of Marine.

Paris. — The arrest of Ensign Charles B. Ullmo, of the French navy, at Toulon Thursday, on the charge of being a spy and his confession to having abstracted a secret naval signal book and the naval cipher code, was followed Friday by the arrest at Vendome of an officer named Berton, who is charged with negotiations with an agent of a foreign power for the sale of military secrets.

The arrests are creating a great stir, and as Ullmo is a Hebrew, the papers term his case a second Dreyfus affair.

It appears that Ullmo offered certain documents to the minister of marine for $30,000, saying that unless his offer was accepted he would sell them to a foreign power. A dummy correspondence was begun, ending with Ullmo's capture.

A search of his lodgings revealed that he not only possessed the secret code signals, but was in possession of complete plans for the mobilization of the French navy, the location of harbor mines in the event of war, photographs of the mechanism of France's famous 75-millimetre field gun, etc.

The cases of Ullmo and Berton added importance to the debate which opened in the chamber of deputies Friday afternoon on the interpellations regarding the state of the national defenses, in connection with the charges made in the book entitled "Are We Defended?" recently published by Charles Humbert, an ex-army captain and staff officer of former War Minister Andre, and the magazine article on the same subject of which Gen. Langlois is the author.

Mm. Gauthier and Lasies, authors of interpellations, spoke at length on the disorganization said to exist in the army, citing statements made by M. Humbert and Gen. Langlois and contending that this deplorable condition of affairs was the result of the anti-military propaganda and the political favoritism introduced since the days of Gen. Andre.

COOKE AND M'REYNOLDS LOSE.

Illinois Supreme Court Confirms Conviction of Two Chicagoans.

Springfield, Ill.—The decision of the appellate court affirming the decision of the criminal court of Cook county, which found John A. Cooke guilty of embezzlement while acting as circuit clerk of Cook county, and sentenced him to imprisonment in the penitentiary, was affirmed by the supreme court Thursday.

The supreme court also affirmed the judgment of the criminal court of Cook county, which found George S. McReynolds guilty of embezzlement and sentenced him to the penitentiary. McReynolds had issued warehouse certificates against grain owned by himself and his own elevator, and deposited the receipts as collateral for money borrowed from banks on the grain, and when the receipts were returned there was no grain in the warehouse.

College Weather Bureau Planned.

Milwaukee. — A weather bureau, comparable to that of the United States government, is to be established by Marquette college of this city. The Alumni association has pledged itself to raise the necessary funds, and Rev. James McGeary, who recently came from Manila to take the chair of physics and astronomy at the college and who is one of the best known weather observers in the country, will take charge of the service.

GERMANY WINS BALLOON RACE.

Pommern Captures Bennett Cup, Traveling 880 Miles.

St. Louis.—Proclaimed as the most remarkable ballooning contest in the history of the world's aeronautics, with every racing record broken, the second international cup competition, which started from here on Monday last, ended Wednesday, with Germany accorded the winning laurels.

The finish of the race was the closest and most exciting the followers of the sport have ever known, the victorious German balloon, the Pommern, which landed at Asbury Park Wednesday morning, having but slightly more than five miles the advantage of the French contestant, L'Isle de France, second in the race, which descended during the afternoon at Herbertsville, N. J., a few miles from the Atlantic coast and slightly northwest of Point Pleasant.

Another German balloon, the Dusseldorf, stands third in the race. American entries are fourth and fifth, a third German team is sixth, a French team seventh, American eighth and English ninth.

The unofficial estimated air-line flight of the Pommern is 880 miles, and that of the L'Isle de France is 875.

HELPED WIFE COMMIT SUICIDE.

James Wardell, of New York, Convicted of Manslaughter.

New York.—Charged with having aided his wife Laura to commit suicide on June 7 last. James Wardell Friday was convicted of manslaughter in the first degree. Wardell's defense was that his wife had committed suicide without his knowledge. The woman was found dead with a bullet wound in her head, but an autopsy showed that she had died from gas asphyxiation and that the bullet was fired into her body after death. Wardell, who is 23 years old, was remanded for sentence on Thursday next.

ALFONSO HAS TUBERCULOSIS.

King of Spain Will Consult Specialist in London.

Madrid.—The alarming reports circulated earlier in the month regarding the health of King Alfonso appear to be confirmed. It is understood the king, who will travel under the strictest incognito as duke of Toledo during his coming visit to London, will submit to the examination of a specialist in tuberculosis, from which disease his father died. The king's open air life thus far has kept the hereditary disposition in abeyance and an operation was performed on him recently in the hope of checking the growing symptoms of consumption.

Liner Breaks Rudder at Sea.

New York.—The North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhem der Grosse, which sailed from here Tuesday, broke her rudder while just east of the Grand Banks of New Foundland, approaching midocean Friday. She proceeded, steering with her screws. The steamer is due in Plymouth Monday, but may be somewhat delayed by the accident, which, however, is not considered serious.

Automobile Kills $8,000 Horse.

Pittsburg, Pa.—A horse valued at $8,000 by its owner, H. Vervack, of Buffalo, N. Y., sent here for the horse show, which will open next week, had to be shot Friday after an automobile had struck it, breaking both hind legs.

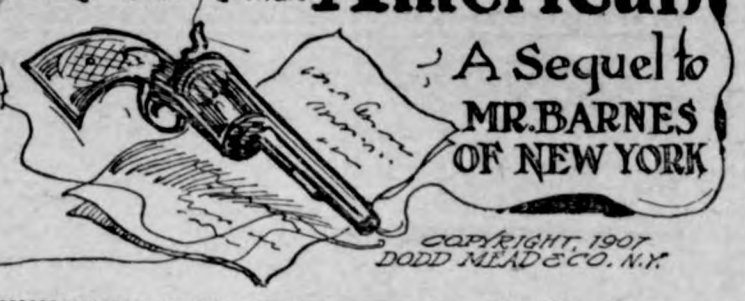
Kiowa Indian Agent Selected.

Washington. — After a conference with the president Thursday, Secretary Garfield announced he would offer Lieut. Steckler, of the Philippine scouts, the office of agent at the Kiowa Indian reservation.

Mr. Barnes, American

By Archibald Clavering Gunter

Author of Mr. Barnes of New York, Mr. Potter of Texas, That Frenchman, etc.



A Sequel to Mr. Barnes of New York

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SYNOPSIS.

Burton H. Barnes, a wealthy American touring Corsica, rescues the young English lieutenant, Edward Gerard Anstruther, and his Corsican bride, Marina, daughter of the Paolis, from the murderous vendetta, understanding that his reward is to be the hand of the girl he loves, Enid Anstruther, sister of the English lieutenant. The four fly from Ajaccio to Marseilles on board the French steamer Constantine. The vendetta pursues and as the quartet are about to board the train for London at Marseilles, Marina is handed a mysterious note which causes her to collapse and necessitates a postponement of the journey. Barnes gets part of the mysterious note and receives letters which inform him that he is marked by the vendetta. He employs an American detective and plans to beat the vendetta at their own game. For the purpose of securing the safety of the women Barnes arranges to have Lady Chartris lease a secluded villa at Nice to which the party is to be taken in a yacht.

CHAPTER II.—Continued.

The American's plan, as he whispers it to Emory, is so adroit that the detective emits a triumphant whistle and says: "Gee whiz, just the idea!"

"Everything must be ready for to-night," directs Barnes. "No other Corsican steamer than the one on which we arrived will come to-day. By to-morrow I hope to have the ladies reasonably beyond pursuit."

"All right. I think I can fix it for you."

"Meantime," says Barnes, "see if you can find what cables bearing on this matter have been received from Ajaccio and to whom addressed."

"That will be difficult!"

"Not if you give the telegraph clerks enough money."

"Yes, most anything can be done the way you spend money, Mr. Barnes." This last issues from Emory's smiling lips as the American is writing a check. "I'll report progress to you not later than one p. m.; that'll give you time for your arrangements."

Coming from this to the Grand hotel, Barnes shortly strolls into Lady Chartris' parlor and has an interview with that matron which places her in the seventh heaven of delight.

"You think of going to Nice?" he suggests; he would have proposed some little Italian watering place, but knows that the widow will only consider the spot where Van Bulow, the young German diplomatist, is located.

"Yes, I've concluded to remain there a few weeks until the season absolutely ends," responds Lady Chartris, "only the good hotels are so cruelly expensive."

"Well, there are some lovely and retired villas on the little Bay of Villefranche, a 20 minutes' carriage drive from the Promenade des Anglais. Supposing you engage one?"

"Do you think I'm a Croesus!" screams the widow in horror. "Do you want to ruin me? Do you suppose I have your pocketbook, Mr. Barnes of New York?"

"That's exactly what I want you to suppose, my dear Lady Chartris. I'll pay for the villa; you occupy it. In about a week from now, Mrs. Anstruther and probably Enid will be your guests; perhaps Edwin and I also for a little while. But you are to say nothing about that. You'll keep Tompson, Enid's maid, and take her on with you. The villa is to be rented by you and entirely in your name."

"And you pay the running expenses?"

"With pleasure."

"Oh, Mr. Barnes, how magnificently generous."

"Don't leave here earlier than the day after to-morrow. In fact, that is the day you must leave, but make your arrangements quickly after you reach Nice. You'll have no trouble in finding an unoccupied villa at Villefranche; it's so near the end of the season. Be sure its grounds run to the water and have a landing place. You will say nothing of our going to Nice to anyone—especially your child," he remarks, commandingly, tempering his words, however, by adding: "Maud is too young to keep a secret."

"Yes, childish tongues will babble," smiles the widow as Burton goes moodily away.

Mr. Barnes' features are still very solemn, as early in the afternoon, after another interview with Emory, he says to Enid, who is in consultation with him: "You think Marina is well enough to be conveyed in a carriage a mile or two?"

"Why, certainly, she is out of bed now. Don't fear for her courage as regards herself, Burton. It is my brother the dear girl is alarmed for."

"This morning," remarks the American, under his breath, "I had hoped, with Edwin's aid, to get you, Enid and Marina to England, where three or four London bulldog detectives and the fear of the British hangman would have probably kept Mrs. Anstruther safely from murderous pursuit until I had settled the affair. But now this devilish letter has given her such a shock that we dare not immediately subject her to the fatigue of the long railway journey to London."

As he shows it to them and they try to decipher it, Barnes hastily explains how he had purchased the mutilated letter from Maud Chartris with marrons glaces.

"And that awful child concealed it from us!" cries Enid. "Her mother should be told immediately."

"What, and have Lady Chartris rush tremblingly back to London when, without danger to herself, she can do us a grand turn in Nice."

"In Nice? How?" Enid asks, astonished.

"Tell you in a minute," replies her fiance. "The fourth quarter probably contains the infernal portion that caused the bride's alarm for you, Edwin, for her fears I know are not so much for herself, as for you. Now I, with your assistance, am going first to make Enid and Marina safe."

Then Mr. Anstruther Walks Off, Leaving Mr. Barnes Confronted with a Young Lady Whose Lilies Have Changed to Roses and—the Greatest Temptation of His Life—

"How?" demands the English girl, whose face has grown pallid.

"By Lady Chartris. She's going to take a secluded, water-washed villa at Villefranche in her own name. House rentals have to be reported to the municipal officials. With the name of Lady Chartris attached to it, no one will guess that we will occupy it!"

"But Prunella Chartris would fly from a vendetta as she would from the smallpox," says Edwin.

"Quicker!" cries Enid.

"Quite right, but Prunella Chartris shan't hear of a vendetta. We'll turn up at Villefranche, Edwin, in about four days, leave the ladies there, amply guarded, and then you and I, my jolly seadog, will turn out attention to our Corsican friends. We will be footloose, and can do the hunting and killing, if necessary, and settle the affair in some way definitely and forever." Barnes' manner is lighter than his heart.

"You'll find me with you," answers the English lieutenant. "This is the second time, because she loved me, that my bride has been driven to despair. But how do you expect to get Enid and Marina from Marseilles unnoticed by the people that are already hunting us, to the villa near Nice?"

"What do wild animals do when they are hunted? Take to the water!" remarks Burton. "That leaves no trail. Do you think, Anstruther, that you can navigate a yacht?"

"Do you think that you can shoot a pistol straight?" growls the British naval officer.

"Very well. A yacht will be waiting for us, engaged by Emory. There will be nothing but English seamen on board, not over many of them. We'll put the girls on board to-night. We're both armed and our party will not be noticed driving on the Prado, where everybody drives. In a little bay, as I have arranged it, off the Corniche road, near the Bains du Roucas Blanc, a boat will be waiting. There we'll put the ladies on board and sail away. Then who'll be able to tell where we go to?"

Edwin rises, but at the door, which had been left open so that the gentlemen could keep their eye on the passage to Marina's room, he turns, and noting Barnes' longing eyes directed toward his sister, says with sailor bluntness: "Old man, you seem to think of everybody but yourself in this matter. Are you aware that this projected cruise won't permit you and Enid to be spliced in London in three days from now?"

"I had not forgotten that," replies Burton. "How could I?" His eyes still on his beautiful fiancee, who, notwithstanding her anxiety and trouble, looks lovely as a goddess and tempting as a nymph.

"Well," says the sailor, "we jacktars have a custom of getting married before we start on a cruise. There are ministers in Marseilles as well as London." Then Edwin Anstruther walks off, leaving Mr. Barnes confronted with a young lady whose lilies have changed to roses and—the greatest temptation of his life.

The poor fellow thinks of the damnable document he has in his pocket, proclaiming death to the unfortuate woman who marries him; he remembers Mateo's horrible statements as to the fate of females marrying into a blood feud and forces the desire from his eyes.

His embarrassment is increased by the superb manner of his fiancee. Without a word she walks up to Barnes and unaffectedly tenders him her lips.

"Don't think me forward," she whispers sweetly, "but if you think you can take better care of me as your wife—if you feel very much disappointed at the—the delay." Her words are faltered out bashfully.

The accursed warning—threatening death to her he marries—rustles in his pocketbook as he crushes her to his breast. It stays the mad rush of his passion. He forces himself to calmness and whispers, his face pale, his lips contorted: "For God's sake, don't misunderstand me. I love you more dearly than ever, but until this affair is settled, it would be an infamy if I married you."

"Good heavens! You fear they are going to kill you?"

"No, if there is any killing to be done, I propose to do it." For an instant he is about to show her the infernal document. His hand is already on his breast pocket, when it stops, palsied. Barnes remembers the impulsive courage of his betrothed. "My Lord, if she saw this," he thinks, "Enid would insist on marrying me offhand. She'd think it her duty to stand as my wife in the front of the skirmish and defy them." He says slowly, almost brokenly: "You must trust me in this matter, dear one. Only never doubt my love."

"Oh, that would be too horrible," she falters, "Burton, that would break my heart. You know more about the affair than I. You are the best judge." Her lips are tendered to him again, but Barnes notes with a sigh their salute is colder, and that tears are very near the divine eyes of Enid Anstruther.

Away from him, she wrings her white hands, and in the solitude of her chamber, wails: "Oh, everything seems to be changed since yesterday." Then the natural pride of the maiden coming to her, she says haughtily to herself: "The next proposition as to the naming of the wedding day shall come from you, Mr. Barnes of New York.

CHAPTER III.

Playing the Enemies' Game.

Mr. Barnes attempts to forget his postponed nuptials in arranging the details of his darling's safety. Emory shortly brings to him an old canceled check upon a branch of the Credit Lyonnais bearing the signature of Corregio Cipriano Danella, but comparing it with Marina's mutilated note and also the warning sent to him, the American cannot be certain of the handwriting.

"Perhaps it has been disguised in both the epistles," suggests the detective, and continues his report. "As far as I can find from a clerk in the telegraph office, Rue de la Republic, that I have sometimes hired before in such matters, there was a long cable came from Bernardo Saliceti at Ajaccio to Corregio Danella late yesterday evening. It stated that you and your party were to arrive on the Constantine; that you by your arts had murdered his brother, and that Madame Anstruther, for the defense of her husband against the just vengeance of Tomasso Monaldi, had produced his shooting by De Belloc's cavalrymen. This is only as the operator remembered it. My emissary didn't dare to try and get a duplicate of the dispatch, which was already on file. The French government keeps a sharp eye upon its telegraph offices."

"Isn't it curious," asks Burton, "that there is no account yet of the Corsican tragedy in the French journals here?"

"Politics!" answers the detective. "There is an election here shortly, and they fear some complication with the English government. I doubt if you will hear of the affair in an official way—at all events not till after the election for deputies. Perhaps that's what makes young Saliceti so eager to do you up. If he stood as a representative of the time-honored vendetta every rustic commune in his island would give him its vote."

"That being the case," says Barnes, "we have only ourselves to rely upon. Have you made all arrangements about the yacht?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Three Certain Truths.

If the Bible had never been written there are still three things that the universe has stamped indelibly on the mind of man, wherever the Bible prevails and wherever it does not. Those three things are the idea of God, the conviction of moral accountability, the belief in a life beyond the grave. It is the glory of our English Bible and it is the glory of the Christian religion that they have expressed and embodied these fundamental inescapable ideas in a way that transcends all other records and all other incarnations of truth.

Big Forks For Eskimos.

Table Implements That Had to Be Made to Order.

Six hundred and forty forks, silver plated and each a foot long, formed a part of the baggage of E. Tunnell Doey, who left Philadelphia recently for Point Barrow, Alaska, says the Philadelphia Record. Each of the forks weighed a pound and a half, and the whole accordingly weighed nearly half a ton. The forks were in packages of 10 each, 64 packages in all, and the whole divided into two bales of 32 packages each. Mr. Doey takes them to Point Barrow, the most northerly point in American Alaska, as presents to the chief Eskimo tribes there and their members, in pursuance of a promise made two years ago. Then the forks of a visiting American party enormously impressed the natives, who watched their use with deep interest. Some criticism having been offered to the small size of the fork, which, perhaps, suffered by comparison with a walrus harpoon, Mr. Doey had these made to order. He left for Seattle on his way northward and expects to return with a large supply of walrus ivory, timing his return trip with the "open water" of 1908.

Question of Economy.

Rounder—Your wife told me yesterday that you had decided to stay a month with her at the seashore this summer.

Gayboy—Yes, that's right. Times are so awfully hard I can't afford to stay in town.—Chicago News.

INSURANCE MAN CONVICTED

DR. WALTER R. GILLETE IS FOUND GUILTY OF PERJURY.

Jury Suggests Mercy—First Conviction Resulting from Legislative Inquiry.

New York.—The first conviction in the cases based on the disclosures in the legislative investigation of insurance affairs in 1905-1906 was obtained by the district attorney's office Thursday night when a jury in the criminal branch of the supreme court found Dr. Walter R. Gillete, former vice president of the Mutual Life Insurance company, guilty of perjury in the third degree.

The verdict was accompanied with a recommendation for mercy. The maximum penalty for this degree of perjury is ten years' imprisonment.

Upon the report of the jury counsel for Gillete moved for a certificate of reasonable doubt and an arrest of judgment. Justice Dowling announced that he would hear the motion next Monday and in the meantime remanded Dr. Gillete to the tombs. During the trial the defendant had been at liberty under $10,000 bond.

The jury was out one hour and 25 minutes.

Dr. Gillete is 67 years of age and is well known in medicine from the practice of which he retired some years ago. He was born in Philadelphia.

The specific charge upon which Dr. Gillete was found guilty was that he had testified falsely before the grand jury on May 24, at which time he was vice president of the Mutual. The indictment alleged that Gillete, under examination by District Attorney Jerome, stated that certain moneys in the Dobbs Ferry bank were his personal funds, and that subsequently under a cross-examination he admitted the funds were really the property of the Mutual Life.

WESTINGHOUSE COMPANIES HIT.

Go Into Receivers' Hands Because of Money Market Stringency.

Pittsburg, Pa.—A flurry in local financial circles, caused by the embarrassment of four concerns of the Westinghouse interests, was quickly ended here Wednesday by the prompt action of the Pittsburg Clearing House association and the Pittsburg stock exchange.

The Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing company, the Westinghouse Machine company and the Security Investment company, a holding company for the Westinghouse interests, were put in the hands of receivers appointed by Judge Ewing, of the United States circuit court. The Pittsburg stock exchange was closed promptly.

Statements issued by George Westinghouse, prominent bankers, officers of the stock exchange and the clearing house committee show conclusively that the financial situation here is sound, and there is no danger. The sever stringency of the money market is alone responsible for the Westinghouse difficulties. The solvency of the embarrassed companies is not questioned.

CALABRIAN TOWNS RUINED.

Tremendous Damage Wrought by Earthquake in Italy.

Rome.—The details received here Thursday regarding the earthquake Wednesday in every way tend to show that the damage done was much more extensive than at first estimated but that the loss of life has not been great. The lowest estimates place the number of killed at about 20 and the highest at 120.

The pope, when informed Thursday morning of the destruction, was much distressed and said with tears in his eyes: "Are we having a repetition of the disaster of 1905? God help the poor souls."

The pontiff has decided to send a sum of money for the relief of the sufferers.

Details of the earthquake show that the shocks were especially severe in the southern end of the Calabrian peninsula, but throughout Calabria there are scenes of desolation and despair. The first shock was a tremendous one and was followed by two others of longer duration, which entirely destroyed two villages and reduced many homes in several others to a mass of ruins.

Soldiers Honor Miss Gould.

Fort Leavenworth, Kan. — Miss Helen Miller Gould was accorded the honors of a general officer of the American army by the officers and enlisted men of Fort Leavenworth in the review of troops Thursday. She appreciated the compliment, the first of its kind ever paid to a woman at this post. As the soldiers marched by the reviewing point, the command was given "Eyes right." They turned their heads and looked into the smiling face of Miss Gould. She showed plainly that she felt the high compliment.

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German M. E. Church Items

Emilie Lenz was in Garner Saturday between trains.

The Klemme League will give a temperance program Sunday evening.

Grandma Schaefer and daughter of Garner visited in Klemme last week.

Misses Esther and Nellie Lau are spending a few weeks in Clayton county.

A select number spent a very pleasant evening at the home of H. L. Schuld, Tuesday.

On account of the disagreeable weather the League social was postponed for a later date.

Mrs. Ingersol and Clara Kamp of Algona, spent a few days with distant relatives in this neighborhood last week.

W. A. Meyer and wife of Giard, Iowa, called on the latters uncle, Fred Arnold and sister Mrs. Wessel.

Our service Sunday evening was actually up against the "powers of darkness"—as the lights would not work.

Mrs. M. Meyer of Farmersburg visited a few days with the families of Edward and Carl Greffin and Fred Arnold.

The Klemme Standard Bearers will meet Friday evening with Sarah and Mary Ludeke for their monthly meeting.

William Koth of Farmersburg, an old friend and neighbor of Fred Arnold, Sr. arrived Monday to pay the latter a visit.

J. S. Merten and wife of Colesburg, Iowa, arrived last week to visit with their daughter Mrs. Carl Wellemeyer and several brothers.

Mrs. W. Bredlow of Germantown and Mrs. Kropp of Maynard, Minn called on their Klemme relatives a few days last week.

Revivial meetings will begin in our Germantown church Nov. 10 and continue at least two weeks. Rev. Klaus of Burt will assist part of the time.

The children are urged to attend the preaching service Sunday morning. The sermon will be especially for the children. The topic will be: "How to make a strong rope."

Aug. Ridder returned from Fenton last Thursday where he assisted his brothers in moving their shop on one of the best lots in town and in the erection of a large storage building.

A number of the ladies living in the south wing of our burg took a moonshine walk last Wednesday evening and called on Mrs. Carl Busch. A new gasoline stove which Mr. Busch had just brought home was put into service in cooking coffee for them. They spent the evening in a delightful manner and had an old-time "Kaffeklatsch."

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I have peen afflicted with sore eyes for 33 years. Thirteen years a o I be came totally blind and was blind for six years. My eyes were badly inflamed. One of my neighbors insisted upon my trying Chamberlain's salve and gave me half a box of it. To my surprise it healed my eyes and my sight came back to me.—P C Earls, Cynthiana, Ky. Chamberlain's salve for sale by J L Harr & Co drug store.

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LOCAL NEWS

H. Freie was at Garner Tuesday.

Glasses fitted and satisfaction guaranteed at J L Harr & Co.

A. A. Scott and wife of Garner visited with E. M. Pavey and family Sunday.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

Ducks have been quite numerous and our sportsmen have been indulging in bagging a few.

Wm. Haes of German township, made the Times office a pleasant call last week Friday.

Mrs. Henry Baack of Woden, visited with her daughter Mrs. Chas. Medaus and family last week.

Misses Verna Baumgartner and Zora Mitchell of Miller, visited with J. Baumgartner and family from last week Friday until Monday.

If you take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills you will get prompt relief from backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder and urinary troubles. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

J. N. Carlson, uncle of O. E. and Vick Carlson died at his home at Pilot Mound, Iowa on Wednesday of last week. Oscar left for there the same day he died. He was a single man and was 85 years of age.

Does your back ache? Do you feel tired and drowsy and lacking in ambition? If so there is something wrong with your kidneys. DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills relieve bacache weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Mrs. T. Fuls, mother of Mrs. B. Swalve died at her home in Freeport, Illinois. Mrs. Swalve left for there on Monday and the funeral will take place on Thursday. She was about 70 years of age.

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some candy cold tablets caled Preventics. Druggists are now dispensing Preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the sneeze stage Preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis, lagrippe, etc. Hence the name preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 Preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5c. Sold by All Dealers.

Henry Griewe was at Garner Saturday.

Sheriff Suurballe of Garner, called Klemme today.

Herman Schneider of Garner, was seen on our streets Tuesday evening.

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

Mrs. Wm. Schaper and Mrs Chas. Brocker of Garner, visited with J. F. Hartfelder and family last week Thursday.

G. W. Kluckhohn, wife and daughters were at Mason City this week Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Velau and daughter Minnie left Monday for Toledo, Ohio where they will visit her aunt other relatives They will also visit relatives at Detroit, Mich. They expect to return in about a month.

You never have any trouble to get children to take Kennedy's laxative cough syrup They like it because it because it tastes nearly as maple sugar Kennedy's laxative cough syrup is a safe sure and prompt remedy for coughs and colds and is good for every member of the family. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The only true constipation cure must begin its soothing and healing action when it enters the mouth. Hollister's rocky mountain tea restores the whole system to a healing normal condition. 35c tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

A weak stomach causing dyspepsia a weak heart with palpitation or intermittent pulse always means weak stomach nerves or weak heart nerves. Strenghten these inside or controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's restorative and see how quickly these ailments disappear. Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. will mail samples free. Write for them A test will tell. Your health is certainly worth this simple trial. Sold by All Dealers.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

S. B. Day, Lynden, Wash.
Jay Nelson, Alden, Minn.
Henry Medaus, Klemme.
E. H. Schuldt, Klemme.

Pain anywhere, pain in the head, painful periods. Neuralgia toothache all pains can be promptly stopped by a thoroughly safe little pink candy tablet known by druggists as Dr. Shoop's headache tablets. Pain means congestion—undue blood pressure at the point where pain exists. Dr. Shoop's headache tablets equalize this unnatural blood pressure and pain immediately departs. Write Dr. Shoop Racine, Wis. and get a free trial package. Large box 25c—Druggists. All Dealers.

Art Wellemeyer comes out this week with a change of ad.

On last week Saturday Miss Fern Suckow was 14 years of age. In honor of this occasion her parents invited about 35 of her school mates and a jolly time was spent in the evening. She was presented with numerous birthday presents which was very much appreciated by her.

Thomas A Edison the great American inventor says: Fully eighty per cent of illness of man comes from eating improper food or to much food, people are inclined to over-indulge themselves. This is where indigestion finds its beginning in nearly every case. The stomach can do just so much work and no more and when you overload it or when you eat the wrong food the digestive organs can not possibly do the work demanded of them. It is at such times that the stomach needs help, it demands help and warns you by headaches, belching sour stomach, nausea and indigestion. You should attend to this at once by taking something that will actually do the work for the stomach. Kodol will do this. It is a combination of natural digestants and vegetable acids and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. It is pleasant to take. It digests what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Miss Gladys Hyde spent over Sunday with her parents at Garner.

Watches and jewelry at J. L. Harr & Co. All goods warranted. tf

County Attorney W. H. Ramsay of Garner, was looking after legal matter here Tuesday

Chas. Greffin who has been visiting with relatives at Monona, Iowa, returned Monday.

F. A. Arnold of the First National Bank, was transacting business at Garner on Tuesday.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

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Lew Lewis attended the county school directors meeting which was held at Britt last week Saturday.

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Jay Nelson arrived Monday from Alden, Minn. for a visit among his relatives and friends. Jay is looking the best of health. He expects to locate in Dakota in the near future.

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NOTICE—All those knowing themselves to be indebted to the undersigned are requested to settle up at once, either by cash or bankable notes.
H. L. Schuldt.

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Edw. and Wm. A. Schmidt visited with their uncle and cousins at Oelwein, Iowa and returned Monday. We presume there were other attractions there which they did not inform us of.

Stomach troubles, heart and kidney ailments can be quickly corrected with a prescription to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The prompt and surprising relief which this remedy immediately brings is due to its restorative action upon the controlling nerves of the stomach, etc. All Dealers.

The Second Annual Banquet of the State Savings Bank which took place on Tuesday evening, Oct. 29th, was largely attended. Guests were present from surrounding towns, and especially Garner was largely represented. Close to 100 people were present. Their programme was well carried out and their orchestra from Garner played several choice selection during the evening.

If taken patiently and persistently will relieve the most obstinate cases of indigestion, constipation, bad blood bad liver no matter how long standing. That is what Hollister's rocky mountain tea will do. 35c tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

HOW TO CURE A COLD.

The question of how to cure a cold without unnecessary loss of time is one in which we are all more or less interested for the quicker a cold is got ten rid of the less the danger of pneumonia and other serious diseases. B W L Hall of Waverly, Va. has used Chamberlain's cough remedy for years and says: I firmly believe Chamberlain's cough remedy to be the absolutely the best preparation on the maret for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me For sale by J L Harr & Co.

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South Germantown.

Corn husking will soon be in full swing and we predict it will not last long if the weather continues favorable.

Pastures are getting somewhat short and the cattle are watching the corn fields from the corners of their eyes.

Fred and Arthur Knoke rented the small grain ground on the G I. Schaper farm for the season of 1908. There certainly will be something doing when they commence seeding next spring

A CERTAIN CURE FOR CROUP

Used for ten years without a failure.

W C Bott a star City, ind. hardware merchant is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's cough remedy. His children have all been subject to croup and he has used this remedy for the past 10 years and though they much feared the croup his wife and he always felt safe upon retiring when a bottle of Chamberlain's cough remedy was in the house. His oldest child was subject to severe attacks of croup but this remedy never failed to effect a speedy cure. He has recommended it to friends and neighbors and all who have used it say that it is unequaled for croup and whooping cough. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

East Ell Township.

Elko Buss and wife spent Sunday afternoon with F. Ufken's.

Edith Bonar is visiting with Wm. Yohn and family this week.

Mae Yohn spent Wednesday night with Misses Mitchell and Bonar.

F. Izermann and wife and F. Coyer were visiting in Clear Lake Saturday.

Verna Baumgartner and Zora Mitchell spent Sunday with Daisy Mitchell.

Mrs. Newberger and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents F. Jahnkee.

Miss Bonar closed school in Dist. No. 8 last Friday Oct. 25. Miss Parker will teach there this coming winter.

HARD TIMES IN KANSAS

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today, although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's new discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me. The safest and most reliable cough and cold cure and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. drug store, 50c and $1 00. Trial bottle free.

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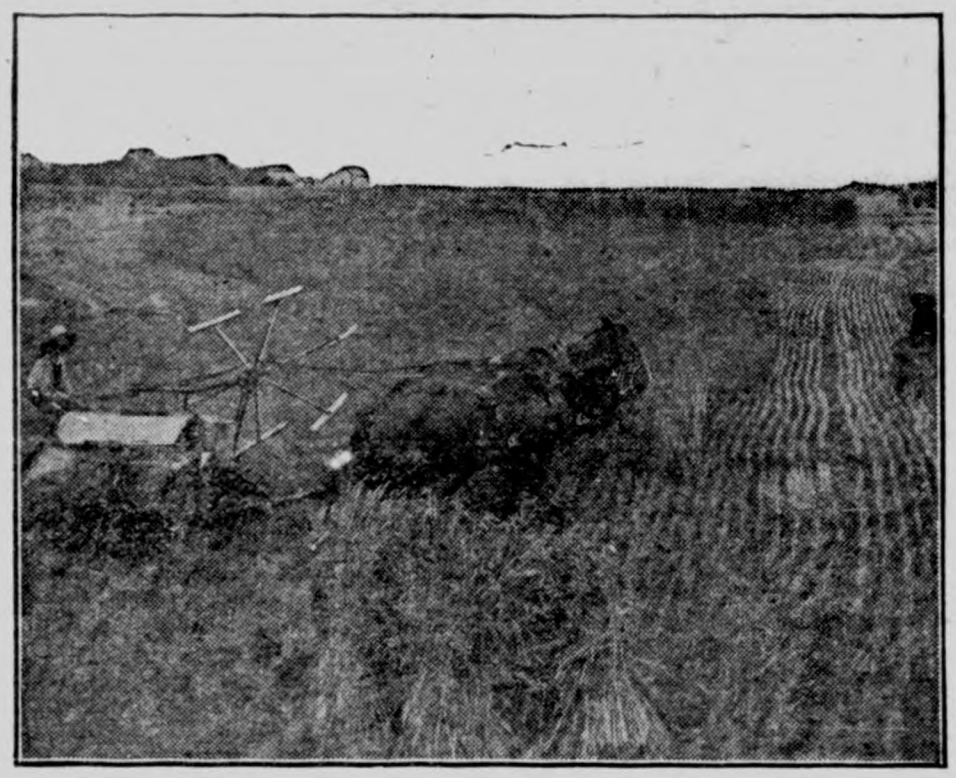
THE CANADIAN CROPS

THREE-QUARTERS OF THE AVERAGE YIELD IS REPORTED.

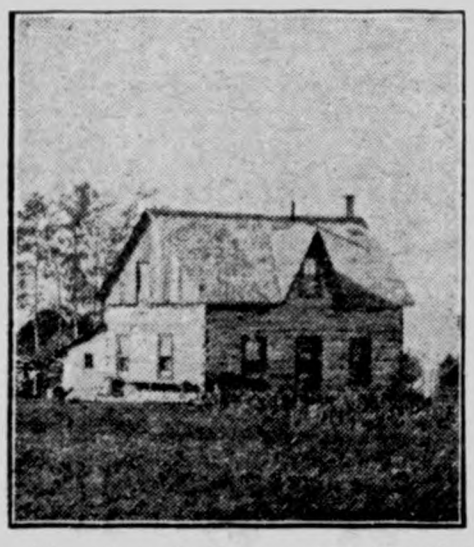
THE FARMERS DO NOT LOSE

Increased Prices for Grain More Than Compensates Them for the Decrease in Quantity—Reports from Crop Experts.

Most of the states of the union felt the unusually severe winter of 1906-7, and the effects of the succeeding late spring were everywhere apparent. Corn was planted two and sometimes three times, the winter wheat suffered and generally there was a nervous feeling as the retarded growth was in evidence. From the Dakotas to Texas the feeling of dread existed, and the fears were entertained that the crop of corn, wheat, oats and barley would be a distinct failure. How far this was the case is best left to those who passed through the experience. Naturally the same conditions were prevalent through the province of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, in western Canada, and with from 250,000 to 300,000 farmers there from the United States a large degree of interest was manifest in almost every state of the union, for every state has some representative there. This interest was a nervous one and caused considerable indecision on the part of friends and others intending to follow. Those interested in injuring the country circulated stories of ruin and disaster, but the effect was lost, as it had been long enough in the limelight to prove its high standing amongst the agricultural sections of the continent. The heavy strain placed upon it was not too great; it has shown that the faith placed in it has been warranted, and



The proceeds of this field of wheat, grown in western Canada, were sufficient to pay out of the one crop the price of every acre of land upon which it was grown.



The above is the reproduction of a photograph of the home of a recent settler from Germany, who has been settled in Saskatchewan, western Canada, for two years.

it is this year producing undoubted evidence that in agricultural possibilities and resources it stands among the first of food producers. A late spring delayed seeding from the usual early April period until late in May, and in many cases well on into June. And with what result? It is a little early to tell the result, but that there will be a three-quarter crop is almost absolutely certain. The yield of wheat in 1906 was 95,000,000 bushels; 1907 it will be between 70,000,000 and 80,000,000. It could not be expected that June-sown grain would mature and ripen in any country. The May-sown ripened, and this is the feature that has proved western Canada's superiority as a grain-growing country. It demonstrates that the length of sunshine is so great that the growing and ripening season, although shorter in number of days than in parts farther south, in hours is as great or greater. A correspondent of the Toronto Globe, a most careful purveyor of news, writing from Winnipeg, Manitoba, says:

"Excellent progress in the process of converting the crop into marketable commodity has been made. The days have been fairly warm considering the season of the year and while the amount of sunshine per day is less than in an ordinary harvest the grain has matured well. The reports from far and near show that the aggregate yield for the whole grain-growing country is likely to be large, and there are those who assert that the quantity will be equal to about 75 per cent. of that secured last season. The quality will be the important consideration especially in view of the steadily rising markets. Cash wheat in Winnipeg closed yesterday at $1.11½ per bushel, Fort William delivery. The cost of freight and handling for wheat strikes an average of 11c per bushel for the whole west. This means that the average price to the farmer for contract wheat all over the prairie country is exactly $1 per bushel. The farmers have been looking for the day when dollar wheat would rule and they have it now. Some old wheat is still coming forward from the elevators and a little of last year's crop remains in the hands of the farmers. This nearly all grades up to the contract, and it means a great gain for those who held it. The new wheat is still grading very high, when one considers the conditions under which it was produced. Out of 459 cars, 328 in two days contained wheat which would answer for delivery on contracts. In other words over 300,000 bushels of wheat which would bring the farmers an average of about $1 per bushel, reached Winnipeg in two days. The significance of $300,000 worth of wheat being passed by the inspectors in two days at the close of an admittedly unfavorable season should not be allowed to sink out of sight at a time when returns from agricultural activity in the west are being anxiously awaited. These figures do not take account of the lower grades, of which there were 131 cars. More than one-third of these contained milling wheat, which would remunerate the farmer at the rate of 93c per bushel on the basis of to-day's closing figures. The balance consisted of low grade stuff which would show great "spreads" in prices.

"The approximate value of the two days' receipts of wheat, however, would be more than $400,000 calculating the capacity of a car at 1,000 bushels and eliminating the cost of freight and handling. As many of the modern cars contain more than 1,000 bushels and as the freight rate to Fort William is less than 15c per cwt. on most of the wheat which is now coming forward, the estimate of $400,000 is low. The circulation of $200,000 per day among the farmers will not continue for the whole year, of course, but that figure is likely to be exceeded before the present rush of wheat to the market abates. The conversion of the crop into money may be said to be proceeding in a most satisfactory way and there is no doubt that millions of dollars will have gone into the pockets of the farmers by the time navigation on the lakes closes. Even then only a small proportion of the wheat will have come out. Experience has shown that the railways do not carry very much of the wheat to the Lake Superior ports before the freeze-up comes, and the proportion will probably be smaller than usual this year on account of the lateness of the thrashing season.

"On the whole the prospect is a most cheerful one, the likelihood being that the satisfactory returns for the past few days will be greatly exceeded in the coming six or seven weeks. The fact that wheat of any kind is bound to bring a remunerative price this season is the comforting feature of the situation and there is no occasion for concern over the possibility of the general quality of the grain being below that of previous years. The high standard of the wheat raised in the west in 1905-1906 was undoubtedly a great advertisement for the country and it would have been well if that excellent record could have been continued, but it is not reasonable to expect that 90 per cent. of the wheat will be of contract grade every year as it was in the years mentioned. If 75 per cent. or even 50 per cent. of this season's yield be up to the contract standard there will be room for congratulation. The west will reap a large return of its investment of money, time and labor this year as it did in any preceding season, and by so doing it will have done its whole duty to those who have placed faith in its fertility and resourcefulness. The breathing spell if it comes will enable the transportation companies and other elements in the trade of the country to catch up with some of their obligations and the improvements effected by that means will more than offset any inconvenience which will result from a relatively smaller production. The general commercial outlook is bright enough and only depressing factors are due to the position of a few communities widely separated in which there is a small return from the crop.

Sublimity of Forgiveness.

George Sand: To forgive a fault in another is more sublime than to be faultless one's self.

SAY CRISIS IS OVER

EFFECTIVE REMEDIES APPLIED AT NEW YORK.

THE RELIEF HAS BEEN SPEEDY

Runs on Trust Companies Met With Sufficient Funds to Pull Concerns Safely Through.

New York, Oct. 27.—Calmness and growing encouragement were the dominant features of the financial situation when the great banking houses closed their week on Saturday, with all the great institutions of the city intact after having met the unprecedented demand of the past week. With this signal demonstration of the resisting powers of the banks, came the adoption of new and important measures to prevent a recurrence of acute strain.

Although the stock exchange and other sensitave points were free from extreme agitation, yet there were heavy withdrawals of cash from several banks and the trust companies, these withdrawals being for the most part by smaller depositors. All the institutions affected continued to pay out on demand up to noon, the usual hour of closing on Saturday.

First of importance in the remedial measures was that of the clearing house association in voting to issue clearing house loan certificates for the use of the balances at the clearing house. Plans were formulated to extend the benefits of the clearing house certificates to the trust companies as well as to the banks which are at present members of the clearing house association.

Another extremely important feature of Saturday's news was the announcement by the National City bank that it had engaged $5,000,000 in gold for import. It is believed by bankers and exchange brokers that this engagement is the beginning of what will probably be a continuous movement of gold to New York from abroad, in connection with the present financial conditions. It is stated that under the operations of the gold standard law the accumulation of gold in the treasury, including that held against gold certificates now stands at $928,000,000 which is the largest gold stock in the world. The clearing house banks of New York showed yesterday specie holdings of $196,426,000, of which nearly all was in gold, and legal tender holdings of $58,283,700. These items showed a decrease of $12,900,000 in the bank statement of yesterday as compared to that of a week ago, but the total reserve on hand stood at $254,709,700, which was only $1,233,300 below the legal requirement of 25 per cent.

The runs upon the Trust company of America and the Lincoln Trust company continued in very much abated form, but both institutions met all demands.

The drafts of country banks on their New York reserves were heavy, but not alarming, since at this period of the year such drafts are to be expected for the purpose of moving the crops.

The imposition of the ninety day rule in Rhode Island stopped runs there and matters assumed a normal phase. The stock market opened at little symptoms of serious agitation. an advance on Friday and showed London and other foreign points also gave reassuring advices.

Secretary Cortelyou had a conference with George W. Perkins of J. P. Morgan & Co. Mr. Perkins subsequently said:

"The atmosphere is fast cleaning up, as anyone can see."

Mr. Perkins was asked if he thought this would be the last day of the financial difficulty. He replied:

"I think it is."

James Stillwell, president of the National City bank, said:

"The situation has been saved by the action of the secretary of the treasury, who has been so ably assisted by the whole hearted co-operation of Mr. Morgan."

SUPERVISE JAP EMIGRANTS.

Hayashi Says Government Will Take Charge.

Tokio, Oct. 28.—A delegate from the Japanese residents of San Francisco interviewed Foreign Minister Hayashi yesterday and fully explained conditions in that city relative to the Japanese. He pointed out that the feeling for exclusion was decreed against undesirable immigrants alone and that American employers welcome honest Japanese laborers. He requested on behalf of his compatriots that the foreign officers limit emigration to 900 honest emigrants monthly through Seattle and San Francisco.

Minister Hayashi replied that at present it was advisable to limit emigration to half that number. He further assured the delegate that everything will be done to protect Japanese interests and emphasized the importance of stopping anything calculated to injure the traditional friendship of both countries. The government will hereafter, he said, supervise the class of emigrants.

Minister Hayashi, continuing, said that he hoped that after the return of Baron Ishii, the commissioner sent to America to investigate the subject, definite steps may be taken to find an amiable solution.

BACK GAVE OUT.

A Typical Case of Kidney Trouble and a Typical Cure.

Mrs. Chloe Page of 510 S. Pitt Street, Alexandria, Va., says: "My back hurt me terribly, I had sharp, shooting pains, changing to a dull, dragging ache. I could not stand for any length of time and my back hurt me when I sat down. My feet and ankles were badly swollen every evening, and my stomach was out of order. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of these troubles in 1902, and for five years I have had no return."

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THE NUMBER OF ANIMALS.

Recent Attempts to Tabulate the Beasts That Perish.

Every now and then some naturalist endeavors to make an approximate numerical count of known animal species. This kind of attempt is surely not without interest, but it must be acknowledged that its results are very uncertain. We are far from knowing all species, and there is yet a delightful prospect ahead for those who love systematic zoology and for zoologists who bestow mutual honors by giving each other's names to some animal hitherto unknown.

As Nurmann remarked to a recent meeting of naturalists at the museum, to which he presented his "Catalogues Mammalium," the species of rodents known in 1880 were only 970 in number; now they are 1,900. The number has thus, at least, doubled in 27 years. The number of living species of this creature now known is about 1,500, divided among 160 genera. This family is the most numerous of the class of mammalia.—Wissen fur Alle.

BABY IN TERRIBLE STATE.

Awful Humor Eating Away Face—Body a Mass of Sores—Cuticura Cures in Two Weeks.

"My little daughter broke out all over her body with a humor, and we used everything recommended, but without results. I called in three doctors, but she continued to grow worse. Her body was a mass of sores, and her little face was being eaten away. Her ears looked as if they would drop off. Neighbors advised me to get Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and before I had used half of the cake of Soap and box of Ointment the sores had all healed, and my little one's face and body were as clear as a new-born babe's. I would not be without it again if it cost five dollars, instead of seventy-five cents. Mrs. George J. Steese, 701 Coburn St., Akron, O., Aug. 30, 1905."

Double Protection.

"I wish," a lady recently said to her husband with what Punch discreetly terms "considerable emphasis," "I wish you wouldn't always sit on the piano-stool when we have company. Everybody knows you can't play a note."

"Neither can anybody else when I'm sitting there," returned the sage.—Youth's Companion.

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MINOR BANKS CLOSE

GENERAL FINANCIAL SITUATION IS ENCOURAGING.

ALL PROBABLY SOLVENT

Savings Concerns Certainly Are Sound —Stock Exchange Provided with Ample Funds for the Present.

New York.—Friday was another nerve-racking day, but the financial institutions of New York showed extraordinary power of resistance to the pressure put upon them. While it is true that several minor institutions have been forced to close their doors, yet two things should be said about them—first, that the amount involved was not so great as to exert any marked influence on the general situation, as these banks were located in residential quarters and did not come into touch with the larger financial institutions of the metropolis, and second, there is every reason to believe that these banks and trust companies are entirely solvent, and their difficulties will prove to be only temporary and due entirely to inability to secure ready cash on the gilt-edged securities in their vaults.

The institutions which closed their doors Friday, with the sums due depositors, were: The United States Exchange bank, Harlem, $600,000; International Trust company, about $100,000; the Borough Bank of Brooklyn, $4,000,000; the Brooklyn bank, $2,300,000; Williamsburg Trust company, Brooklyn, $7,500,000, and the First National Bank of Brooklyn, $3,500,000.

In the light of the general excitement the savings banks thought it wise to put into effect the rule requiring 30 to 60 days' notice for the withdrawal of deposits. There was not the slightest hint that any of the savings institutions was in anything but the soundest condition.

The most favorable incident of the day was that the stock exchange was provided with funds ample to meet its immediate necessities by the money pool headed by J. Pierpont Morgan, which sent about $15,000,000 to the exchange during the afternoon. The stock market had held relatively firm all day, but when the pool money was offered in the loan corner there was an immediate upturn of prices and the market closed strong at the best prices of the day.

Crisis Believed Over.

New Yerk. — As a result of Thursday's developments in the financial world there is every indication that the crisis in the banking and trust company situation has been safely passed. The Trust Company of America all through the day's banking hours paid out money to depositors as rapidly as possible and closed with all demands having been met.

A very favorable feature of the situation respecting this company was that it was able to make its payments with very little assistance, and another was that the company received over its counters in the morning hours in ordinary deposits more than $1,000,000.

Three Small Banks Suspend.

The day was marked by three noteworthy episodes. First and earliest in the day came the announcement of trouble in three minor state banks in Harlem—the Hamilton bank, the Twelfth Ward bank and the Empire City Savings bank. These banks transacted only a neighborhood business and their suspension of payment was absolutely without significance as bearing on the general situation. The Empire City Savings bank was controlled by a Tammany Hall politician, and its business operations were confined to a small area.

Although these banks were obliged to close because of lack of ready cash, State Bank Examiner Judson declared that all three were solvent and that their depositors would lose nothing.

The second episode was a run inaugurated against the Lincoln Trust company. The run was steady throughout the day, but the sums withdrawn were not large. It is an uptown institution, with a great many women depositors, and carried mainly personal household accounts. At the close of the day the company's officials announced that they were fully able to meet all obligations.

Colorado Statute Held Void.

St. Paul, Minn. — The United States circuit court of appeals Friday handed down a decision that the Colorado statute prohibiting any foreign corporation from prosecuting or defending a suit in that state unless it has paid an annual license of two cents for each $1,000 of capital stock is unconstitutional if literally interpreted as to any corporation engaged in interstate commerce.

Utes Kill Sergeant Baker.

St. Paul, Minn.—A special from Sturgis, S. D., says that Sergt. Baker, in charge of the distribution of rations to the Ute Indians on the Cheyenne river reservation, has been killed.

ADVICE TO VICTIMS

TELLS READERS HOW TO CURE RHEUMATISM AT HOME.

Directions to Mix a Simple Preparation and the Dose to Take—Overcomes Kidney and Bladder Trouble Promptly.

There is so much Rheumatism everywhere that the following advice by an eminent authority, who writes for readers of a large Eastern daily paper, will be highly appreciated by those who suffer:

Get from any good pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces of Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake these well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime; also drink plenty of good water.

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Everything Bad.

A prominent planter recently had occasion to visit some of his holdings in southern Arkansas. The land was situated several miles from a railroad, and it was necessary to finish the journey in a buggy. So he took a friend with him and started out.

After traversing several miles of sparsely settled country, they came upon a farmer plowing corn on the side of a hill. The planter, wishing to appear civil to his neighbors, stopped his horse and yelled at the man, who came to the fence, mopping his face with a red bandana.

"Good morning."

"Mornin', mister!"

"You live here, I suppose?"

"Yep."

"How's crops?"

"Fair to middlin'."

"That's a bad hill you're plowing."

"I know it. Bad hoss, pullin' th' plow, bad plow, bad everything."

"Why, you talk like you were the poorest man in Arkansas," laughed the planter.

"I ain't, though," was the response, as the young fellow smiled good-naturedly. "Another feller owns half o' this crop."

Omissions of History.

Henry VIII. had taken another wife.

"How many does that make?" he asked his private secretary.

"Six, your majesty," answered that functionary.

"Are you sure?"

"I have kept the count correctly, your majesty."

"Well, I'll stop at that," he said.

It was with some reluctance, however, that he kept his promise by dying before he had a chance to marry No. 7.—Chicago Daily News.

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THEY WON'T SHUT DOORS.

And They Will Ride Backward, Reports a Traveler of Englishmen.

Travelers returning from England tell of two habits of the people of that country which impressed them. One is the average Englishman's aversion to shutting the door behind him.

"I don't know how it is in the English houses," remarked one who returned recently from abroad, "for I was not in one of them, but I stayed in a hotel in London where there were a good many English people, and a dozen times daily I had to get up and shut a door to keep the draught away.

"It didn't make any difference whether it was a servant or a guest who went through, the door was left open. This was in the spring of the year, too, when the weather was chilly. I noticed the same thing in railway coaches and hotels of smaller towns."

The other English peculiarity is a preference for riding backward on trains. The Englishman will make for the seat with its back to the engine every time, plant himself down in it with every evidence of comfort and look wonderingly at anybody who picks out a seat facing the direction the train is going. Not once did one American traveling in England see a native choose a seat facing the front of the train unless there were no other seats.

HOME REMEDY FOR A COLD.

A Good, Common Sense Treatment, Anybody Can Easily Apply.

The best time to doctor a cold is when you feel it coming on. Do not delay, as you can often cure it in one night if taken in time. Keep in mind that a cold summer retards the crop—a cold hen never lays—a cold house is uncomfortable and a cold climate breeds colds—so when you start to cure your cold *warm up.*

Bathe the feet in hot water—take hot drinks of lemonade or composition tea—take a good laxative quinine tablet and go to bed and sweat. The most important treatment in doctoring a cold or sore throat is a good application on the lungs to avoid any chance of pneumonia. People used to apply camphorated oil, goose grease, etc., but the finest thing for this purpose is Hoff's German Liniment. This is a camphor cream, strong and penetrating, yet perfectly clean and does not soil clothing or bedding. It is a simple household remedy, is sold everywhere for twenty-five cents. Be sure to rub it in well and if throat is sore use as a gargle. The above treatment is inexpensive—in fact costs a good deal less than a good tombstone—and a neglected cold often leads to an untimely grave.

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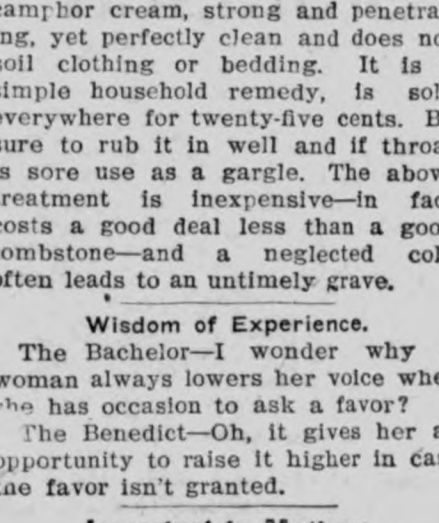

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School Notes.

Oscar Schuldt was at Garner Monday.

Esther Louden was absent on Tuesday.

Gertie Weiland was absent on Monday and Tuesday.

Sixth Grade are finishing their Elementary Arithmetic.

Ray Swartz was absent on Friday on account of work.

Helen Bloom was absent from school on Friday afternoon.

Reta Spooner was absent on Friday on account of sickness.

Clarence Lauden was absent Monday and Tuesday on account of sickness.

Lloyd Lau was absent from school Thursday afternoon and Friday on account of work.

On Saturday evening Fern Suckow celebrated her fourteenth birthday. In honor of this occasion she invited some 35 of her school mates.

The G. T. C. of the advanced room met with Amy Elder on Wednesday evening. All the members but one were present. After playing a number of games light refreshments were served. Then they wended their way home and did not even see the ghosts who were ready to scare them. Can anyone tell us who these ghosts were?

On Monday morning the scholars and teachers of the first and second rooms assembled in the advanced room where a short programme was delivered. The programme was as follows:

Song—Battle Hymn of the Republic.
Rec.—Donna Baumgartner.
Rec.—Herold Gruetzmacher.
Rec.—Minnie Fuller.
Story—Prof. Washburn.
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North Germantown.

Carl Wellemeyer was in Garner Monday.

Gast and Kraus finished their threshing last week.

Fred Klinge was shopping in Klemme on Friday.

J. E. Stille did some fencing on his farm last week.

Frank Steavens and family are vititing at the C. J. Lunn home.

Millard Lunn and Henry Haes visited friends near Ventura on Saturday.

Ferdinand Young is having a large hog house built with a cement floor.

Many are attending the roller rink at Garner pretty regular and are having a good time.

Mrs. Chas. Kettleson of Mason City, visited with her daughter Mrs. Wm. Haes over Sunday.

Several attended the play of "my boy Jack" at the Garner Opera House last week Tuesday.

Engineer Wm. Haes returned home last week Monday after threshing 50 days with Milo Brown,

Mr. Zimmerman the traveling salesman for J. I. Case threshing machine company and Milo Brown and Wm. Haes called on Gast and Kraus while threshing over west last week Thursday.

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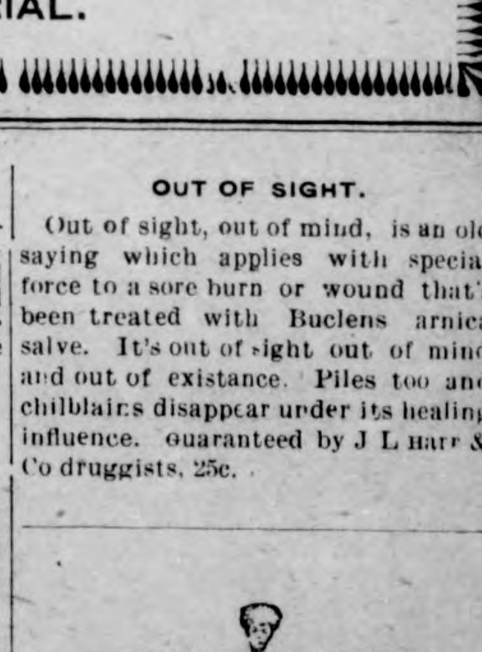

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Banquet in Commemoration of the 5th Anniversary.

On Tuesday Oct. 29th the stockholders of the State Savings Bank met in a banquet and all reported a sumptuous time. Most all of the stockholders with one or two exceptions were present. Music was furnished by the Garner Orchestra during the evening while the program was interspersed with music consisting of duets from Misses Gruetzmacher and violin solos from A. M. Griesemer with Chas. Diggs accompaniment. Mr. W. H. Ramsay of Garner acted as Toastmaster as well as giving the address of welcome. The following speakers were Miss Mabel Smith who delivered an address upon Effort and this surely was excellent. Miss Gertrude Parker followed with a recitation "The Polish Boy" and this also was an excellent selection and spoken in an able manner.

The last speaker being Mr. P. M. Griesemer giving an address entitled "Our Bank" and this also was a grand attempt. This was a very enjoyable occasion and one long to be remembered. The decorations of the Banquet hall consisted of carnations, roses and various other decorative emblems which made a grand appearance.

This banquet was given in honor of stockholders only and is the second annual banquet given by the State Savings Bank the first given a little over a year ago in honor of their departing Cashier Mr. H. A Sweigard and this the second annual in commemoration of the 5th anniversary.

We trust that our business men will from time to time see fit to give banquets and get together and have an enjoyable evening occassionally.

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Avery Center.

Mrs. Joe Costello visited at John Costello's Sunday.

The Misses Rhodes and the Misses Hartfelder and Tim Waddingham spent Sunday with Harry and Ima Behringer.

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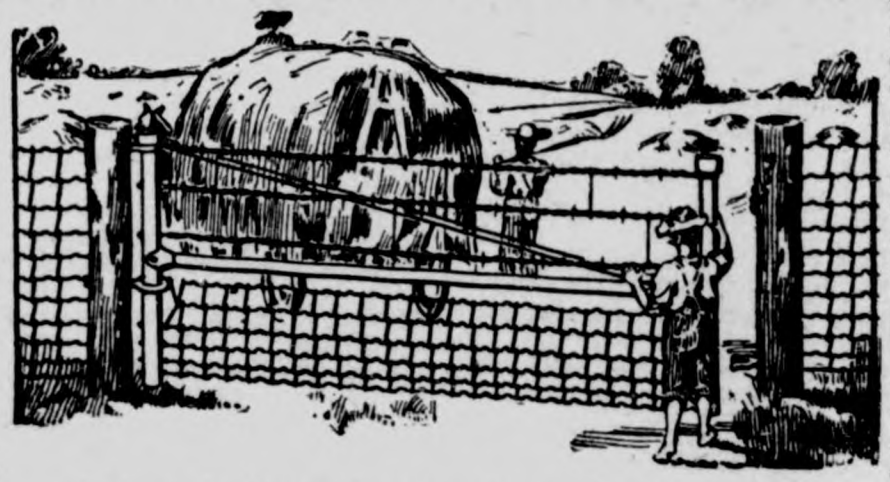

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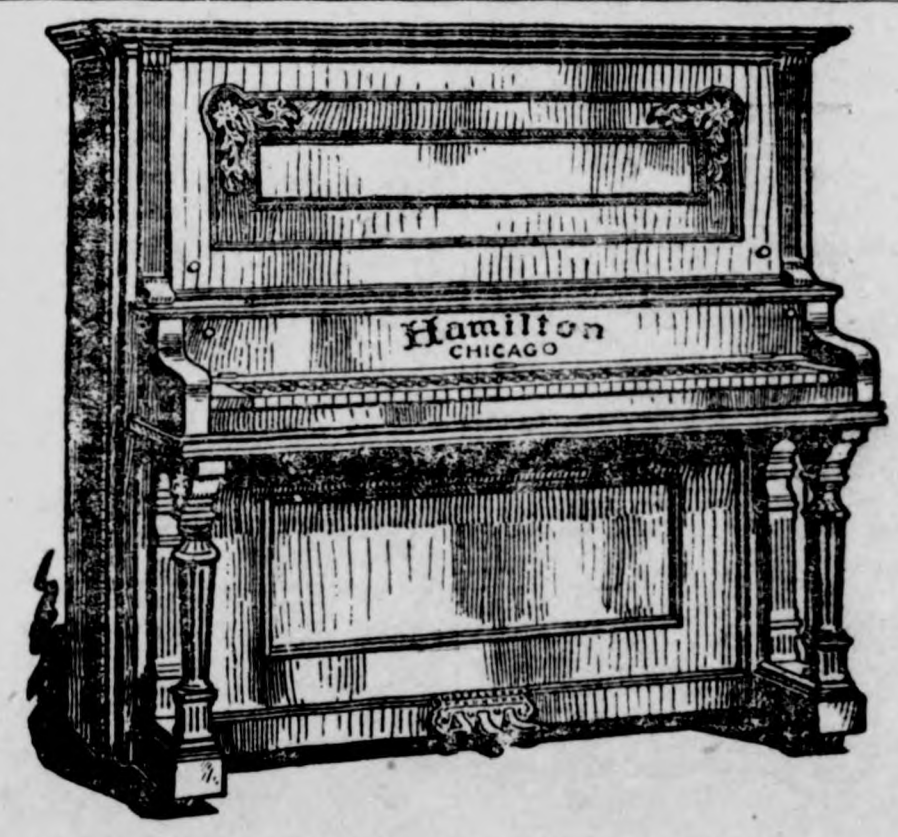

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The Klemme Times

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Klemme, - - Iowa

Fault-finding generates enemies.

A bear in camp is worth two in the canebrake.

The deepest grief finds no expression in words.

Faults in the poor are only eccentricities in the rich.

An automobile ran into the post office. Hence all the dead letters.

Lynching has a most deplorable effect—particularly to the gentleman lynched.

A Yarmouth man has married a girl named Dollar. Hereafter she will only be a better half.

The Zeppelin airship outdistanced a steamer. Most any airship would. It has the advantage of gravity.

It is a dull man who does not wait with more or less interest for the appearance of the "curveless woman."

Conan Doyle, with or without the aid of his friend, Sherlock Holmes, has succeeded at last in finding a wife.

A Chicago florist is growing dahlias equipped with thorns. No doubt he figures that his patrons will get stuck on them.

A policeman in Brooklyn recently reported a hard battle with a real live rattlesnake. They must serve strenuous liquids from the Brooklyn side doors.

The manufacture of glass eyes is said to be a growing one. However, this is not an indication that the stony stare will become more than usually fashionable.

Sweden is staying with the idea of snaking the America cup and what's more, she will send a steel yacht, not a wooden one as first announced, after it. More power to her!

New York can't get over the fact that her buildings are high. Every time a steeplejack paints a flagpole on top of one of them he's good for a front page story with pictures.

Prof. Haupt having decided that Solomon did not write the songs attributed to him, says the Washington Star, may now take up the question of who wrote "Laugh and the World Laughs with You."

A convention for the purpose of discouraging fish stories is expected to be held in New York in a short time. While it is not authentically stated, it is strongly suspected that fishermen will not attend.

It is probably true that the public welfare and safety do not call for the rigid enforcement of the law which requires the placing of exit signs over the doors in the interiors of the country churches. What they seem to need most is more general attention to the entrance signs outside.

It is reported that a man in Denver has married his mother-in-law. This may seem strange, but Edgar Allen Poe, who was somewhat hypercritical, once wrote a sonnet eulogizing his wife's mother. Still, the Benedict in question must have mixed up things considerably if his new spouse should happen to be a stepmother to her grandchildren.

The opinion of Mrs. Gilson, of Champaign, Ill., that the substitution of the Teddy bear for the doll will not mean a "diminution of the instincts of maternity," carries with it the weight of her position as president of the National Congress of Mothers. An additional argument for the substitution of bears is that it may help the young idea to shoot, beginning at the earliest possible period.

By way of variety, why not sing the praises of the peaceful fleets that plow the waters of the great lakes? asks the Detroit Free Press. They outnumber far the armored and towered crafts of destruction. They build and do not tear down. They symbolize life, prosperity and progress; not death or suffering. Theirs is a glorious and bloodless mission contributing ever to the strength and renown of the country.

Two Paris physicians are reported to have demonstrated that radium will remove birthmarks. The method is very simple—the application of a plain surface covered with a varnish containing radium—and it is said to be painless as well as radical in its removal of all trace of the marks without any disfigurement. If the report is correct it will cause radium to be recognized as a boon to the human race by a number of persons who heretofore have taken very little interest in it.

CASH TO BE PLENTY

INCREASE OF BANK NOTE CIRCULATION SEEMS CERTAIN.

MUCH GOLD ON THE WAY

Comptroller Ridgely's Plan Generally Approved by Bankers—Cortelyou Disposed to Help Cotton Movement.

New York. — Indications that the available supply of cash would be materially increased within a short time, both by imports of gold and the increase of the bank note circulation, and that the movement of cotton and grain crops would be facilitated in every way possible with the result of increasing our credits abroad, were the salient features of Thursday's financial situation.

It seemed to be recognized everywhere that the acute stage of the crisis was over and that all that remained was to obtain sufficient cash to resume currency payments upon a broad scale and thus to restore conditions prevailing before the crisis. The engagements of gold made in New York, Chicago and elsewhere, brought up the total import movement within the past week to $23,750,000. As the amount of gold will afford a basis of credit to four times the amount, or about $95,000,000, it will in itself afford much relief to the existing pressure.

Ridgely's Plan Liked.

The prompt response of the national banks throughout the country to the suggestion of Comptroller Ridgely that they should employ their United States bonds as largely as possible to secure circulation and substitute other bonds for those pledged against deposits of public money, promises a considerable increase in the available stock of currency. The estimates of an increase in the bank note circulation of $30,000,000 is considered well within the probabilities. It will require time, however, in some cases for the banks to obtain proper bonds to substitute for their United States bonds.

Mr. Vanderlip, vice president of the National City bank, made the fruitful suggestion that the savings banks would at once improve the general situation if they would sell their holdings of United States bonds to the national banks. Even in cases where they do not care to sell, it is believed that they will lend their bonds to the national banks, as has often been done in the past.

Helping Cotton Movement.

Interest continues to center in the movement of the cotton crop from New Orleans and other southern points, which is so essential to provide bills against the imports of gold. Secretary Cortelyou, according to Washington dispatches, was disposed to increase deposits of public funds in the southern banks as rapidly as such funds became available. This will supply the banks with the stock of currency so much needed to handle the cotton crop and will enable them to await with less embarrassment than otherwise the arrival of their cotton bills in Europe and the bringing back of the gold.

The committee of New Orleans bankers which is in Washington has suggested that the New York banks can ease the situation by giving the southern banks credit for checks in foreign banks, forwarded as soon as they receive telegraphic advices of the amounts. This will enable the southern banks to check against such balances in payment of collections and in making remittances to interior banks throughout the country.

To Reopen Oklahoma Banks.

Guthrie, Okla. — Four hundred bankers, representing the Oklahoma and Indian Territory Banking associations, agreed Thursday night on a plan to reopen all banks early next week.

San Antonio Bank Suspends.

San Antonio, Tex. — The West Texas Bank & Trust company of this city closed its doors under a temporary suspension of business Thursday and is now in the hands of the state commissioner of insurance and banking. The suspension is attributed to the tightness of the money market and the refusal of northern and eastern bankers to ship cash.

The West Texas Bank & Trust company is one of the principal banking institutions of San Antonio. According to G. B. Moore, president, the company will soon be in condition to resume business.

On Pilgrimage to Holy Land.

South Freeport, Me.—The yacht Kingdon, with about 60 members of the Holy Ghost and Us colony at Shiloh on board and a crew of 20, sailed Thursday for the Holy Land. Among the number was Charles E. Hollaid, who is known as "Moses" and who during the absence of the leader, Rev. Frank W. Sandford, has been in charge of the colony. It is understood many of the disciples will remain at one of the colonies in Palestine, where Mr. Sandford is supposed to be located.

THE BALLOON RACE.

As Viewed Every Day by Mr. Householder.

HELD FOR LETTER THEFTS

INFORMATION IS STOLEN FROM DISTRICT ATTORNEY SIMS.

Miss McLean, His Stenographer, and A. B. Gordee, Charged with Conspiracy.

Chicago.—Peeping through a skylight just above her desk, a federal secret service operative saw Miss Etta L. McLean, trusted stenographer, secrete in her stocking the stolen copy of a letter from United States District Attorney Sims to Attorney General Bonaparte.

Miss McLean a little later, having been arrested, produced the letter from the self-same receptacle, while in the office of her employer, Mr. Sims.

At the same time she confessed to having stolen another letter written to the attorney general several weeks ago. Both communications related to the John R. Walsh bank case. Miss McLean, in her tearful confession, implicated as her accomplice Alexander B. Gordee, with whom she has been living.

From the secret service detective who witnessed the stocking episode it was learned that Gordee had gone to Mr. Walsh's office in the Grand Central railway depot and, presumably, tried to negotiate for the sale of the first letter.

All this was brought out Friday afternoon at the hearing of Miss McLean and Gordee before United States Commissioner Mark A. Foote. They had been arrested by government officers on the previous evening. At the conclusion of the preliminary inquiry the two were sent to the county jail in default of $5,000 bonds.

The charge against the couple is conspiracy to steal and also against the woman the actual theft of the letters. For the conspiracy charge the penalty may be two years in the penitentiary and for the second charge the penalty may be five years, with the addition of a $10,000 fine in either charge.

BOLD FIGHT BY MUTINEERS.

Crew of Russian Destroyer Battle with Four Other Vessels.

Vladivostok. — An exciting little naval battle took place in this harbor Wednesday between the mutinous crew of a Russian torpedo boat destroyer and their loyal comrades. The mutineers were finally subdued, but not before a number of men had been killed or wounded.

The mutinous boat is the Skory, and she gave fight to the gunboat Mandschur, the destroyers Garsovoz, Smely and Serditz and the garrison of one of the harbor forts manned by the Twelfth regiment of artillery. The Skory soon was overwhelmed and she had to be beached to save her from sinking.

DYNAMITE IN TRUNK EXPLODES.

Blast in Pittsburg Depot Seriously Injures Two Men.

Pittsburg, Pa. — A panic among about 300 persons in the Union station was narrowly averted Friday when a terrific explosion occurred in the baggage room under the waiting room. A quantity of dynamite packed in a checked trunk was set off, presumably by concussion due to handling the trunk.

James Lyons, a baggage assorter, and David Chappell, a porter, were seriously but not fatally injured. Charles Flatch was arrested.

BANK CASHIER A SUICIDE.

Official of First National, Chariton, Ia., Kills Self.

Des Moines, Ia.—Frank Crocker cashier of the First National Savings bank, of Chariton, committed suicide early Thursday. His daughter found him dead in bed. He had taken morphine.

The bank is believed to be in good shape.

Worry over losses sustained in alleged use of Modern Woodmen funds is believed to be the cause. Crocker left a note saying:

"I can't bear this strain any longer."

Crocker was once grand treasurer of the Modern Woodmen of America, and held a national office in that order at the time of his death.

Chariton is a town of 5,000 inhabitants, 100 miles from Des Moines.

National Bank Examiner H. M. Bostwick is in charge of the bank. Crocker, before killing himself, addressed a note to Mr. Bostwick, whose visit was expected. This note explained briefly that the bank was overloaned and requested the examiner to take immediate charge. The bank has a capital stock of $50,000, a surplus of $50,000, and carried about $900,000 in deposits.

The other banks of Chariton are entirely unaffected by the closing of the First National. The Bank of Russell, a private institution of Russell, Ia., of which Crocker was president, also closed its doors temporarily.

MOUNTAIN BURIES VILLAGE.

Karatagh, in Bokhara, Is Overwhelmed by Landslide.

Tashkend, Russian Turkistan.—The little town of Karatagh, in the Hussar district of Bokhara, has been overwhelmed and completely destroyed by a landslide that followed the earthquake of October 21. According to the latest reports of the disaster, a majority of the inhabitants of Karatagh lost their lives.

The first reports of the casualties were exaggerated, the death list being placed as high as 15,000. Karatagh had about 2,500 dwellers, and there is reason to believe that about 1,500 were buried alive. Among those who survived the disaster are the governor of Karatagh and his mother.

Karatagh is remotely situated, and it takes a full week for news to get out from there, but according to one courier who has come through, an enormous section of the Karatagh mountain, which practically hung over the town, broke loose and thundered down upon the village, which is almost completely buried.

POLICE STATION IS BURNED.

Incendiary Fire Ruins the Headquarters in Buffalo, N. Y.

Buffalo, N. Y.—Police headquarters of this city was practically ruined Friday afternoon by fire discovered in the lavatory and which spread rapidly through the two top floors.

All of the 30 prisoners were removed in safety. This is the fourth time the building has been on fire within a few months.

Police records, the rogues' gallery and many important documents, including the original copy of Leon Czolgocz's confession of the assassination of President McKinley, were destroyed. The fire was of incendiary origin. Two companies of firemen were caught in the collapse of the roof and cupola and eight men were seriously injured. None will die.

HOME REMEDY FOR A COLD.

A Good, Common Sense Treatment, Anybody Can Easily Apply.

The best time to doctor a cold is when you feel it coming on. Do not delay, as you can often cure it in one night if taken in time. Keep in mind that a cold summer retards the crop—a cold hen never lays—a cold house is uncomfortable and a cold climate breeds colds—so when you start to cure your cold *warm up.*

Bathe the feet in hot water—take hot drinks of lemonade or composition tea—take a good laxative quinine tablet and go to bed and sweat. The most important treatment in doctoring a cold or sore throat is a good application on the lungs to avoid any chance of pneumonia. People used to apply camphorated oil, goose grease, etc., but the finest thing for this purpose is Hoff's German Liniment. This is a camphor cream, strong and penetrating, yet perfectly clean and does not soil clothing or bedding. It is a simple household remedy, is sold everywhere for twenty-five cents. Be sure to rub it in well and if throat is sore use as a gargle. The above treatment is inexpensive—in fact costs a good deal less than a good tombstone—and a neglected cold often leads to an untimely grave.

The Bright Firstborn.

They were discussing the law of entail—the English law bequeathing the bulk of the family property to the eldest son.

"There is 50 per cent. of logic in that law," said a physician, "and if the family property went to the firstborn, whether son or daughter, the law would contain 100 per cent. of logic. For the first born child is practically always the best—best in brain, in build, in beauty, in everything.

"Why is this so? It is because married people love one another more profoundly at the beginning than afterward; for love, like all things, grows old, grows weak, often dies.

"Mrs. Craigie—John Oliver Hobbes—was a first born child. So was Marie Corelli. So was Richard Mansfield. So were Joseph Chamberlain, Lord Kitchener, Max Muller, Henry Irving, George Meredith.

"Look back into the past, and we see again the prominence of the firstborn, among them Mohammed, Confucius, Raphael, Milton, Dante, Goethe, Byron, Shelly and Heine."

Mansfield's Rebuke.

A group of theatrical men were talking in New York about the late Richard Mansfield.

"Mr. Mansfield," said one, was a delightful humoroist, a splendid raconteur in society, but at the same time he had a certain proper and becoming sense of his own dignity, and it never paid to be unduly familiar with him.

"He was, as we all know, rather bald. He resented, from barbers, or friends, any allusion to his baldness.

"Well, one night at a party, a man came up behind this great artist, staggered him with a violent slap on the back, and exclaimed in a loud, jovial, familiar voice:

"'Hello, Dick. How are you? Every time I see you, you get balder and balder.'

Mansfield drew himself up. He sneered at the other.

"'Hello,' he said. 'I don't know who you are, but every time I see you you get ruder and ruder.'"

HER "BEST FRIEND."

A Woman Thus Speaks of Postum.

We usually consider our best friends those who treat us best.

Some persons think coffee a real friend, but watch it carefully awhile and observe that it is one of the meanest of all enemies for it stabs one while professing friendship.

Coffee contains a poisonous drug—caffeine—which injures the delicate nervous system and frequently sets up disease in one or more organs of the body, if its use is persisted in.

"I had heart palpitation and nervousness for four years and the doctor told me the trouble was caused by coffee. He advised me to leave it off, but I thought I could not," writes a Wis. lady.

"On the advice of a friend I tried Postum Food Coffee and it so satisfied me that I did not care for coffee after a few days' trial of Postum.

"As weeks went by and I continued to use Postum my weight increased from 98 to 118 pounds, and the heart trouble left me. I have used it a year now, and am stronger than I ever was. I can hustle up stairs without any heart palpitation, and I am cured of nervousness.

"My children are very fond of Postum and it agrees with them. My sister liked it when she drank it at my house, but not when she made it at her own home. Now she has learned to make it right, boil it according to directions, and has become very fond of it. You may use my name if you wish, as I am not ashamed of praising my best friend—Postum."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Mr. Barnes, American

By Archibald Clavering Gunter

Author of Mr. Barnes of New York, Mr. Potter of Texas, That Frenchman, etc.

A Sequel to Mr. Barnes of New York

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SYNOPSIS.

Burton H. Barnes, a wealthy American touring Corsica, rescues the young English lieutenant, Edward Gerard Anstruther, and his Corsican bride, Marina, daughter of the Paolis, from the murderous vendetta, understanding that his reward is to be the hand of the girl he loves, Enid Anstruther, sister of the English lieutenant. The four fly from Ajaccio to Marseilles on board the French steamer Constantine. The vendetta pursues and as the quartet are about to board the train for London at Marseilles, Marina is handed a mysterious note which causes her to collapse and necessitates a postponement of the journey. Barnes gets part of the mysterious note and receives letters which inform him that he is marked by the vendetta. He employs an American detective and plans to beat the vendetta at their own game. For the purpose of securing the safety of the women Barnes arranges to have Lady Chartris lease a secluded villa at Nice to which the party is to be taken in a yacht. Suspicion is created that Marina is in league with the Corsicans. A man, believed to be Corregio Danella, is seen passing the house and Marina is thought to have given him a sign.

CHAPTER III.—Continued.

"Yes, I've got the schooner Seagull, Mr. William Jameson, Glasgow, chartered for three weeks. Jameson is returning to Scotland and is very willing to lease the boat. We have cleared her for Naples. Crew of six men and mate, all Scotch. The captain, as I told you before, has gone to England, so your naval lieutenant must act as your navigator. She is found as to stores for crew, but as you have suggested, I have put ice and cabin supplies on board, according to the memorandum you gave me."

"Then I think we'll be able to live very comfortably for a couple of weeks," observes Barnes, meditatively, lighting a cigar.

"The Seagull has already dropped out of the Vieux port, where she was laying and she will be off the Corniche road as you directed. I'll have a boat on shore at the Roucas Blanc."

"Then the next thing is to get the ladies on board, and that, of course, we cannot do until after dark," remarks Burton. "You had best not be seen about here any more, Emory, but you had better be on board the Seagull when we arrive there, so as to turn the vessel over to me. See who arrives on the next steamer from either Bastia or Ajaccio, and if this Bernardo Saliceti turns up, notify me if there is any meeting between him and Danella."

"Yes, I'll shadow everything, even you," chuckles the sleuth, grimly. "By the by, here's Perrier's address in Nice. He is quite often there. You will find him, for a French mouchard, perfectly reliable."

"Engage two trustworthy men," said Barnes, "to follow our carriage on horseback this evening. I must take no chances with the ladies in our company." Then Barnes goes off to Lady Chartris' parlor to make some necessary financial arrangements with that lady.

Mr. Barnes has scarcely finished these and Lady Chartris has carried away his check delighted, when Maud bounces in upon him, her eyes big with excitement and mystery. "Gee, Marina is a case!" she whispers.

"Why?" asks Burton, glancing sharply at her.

"Why, getting a note from a man the second day she was married and crazy with fear her 48 hours' bridegroom will drop onto her little game."

Barnes gazes upon the infant prodigy and emits a low whistle. "You are certainly a hummer, Maudie," he remarks, solemnly.

"You bet!" assents Miss Chartris, who has just stepped in from an exciting interview with Marina that has run about in this way:

The beautiful Corsican bride, apparently having recovered from the first shock of the letter in the Marseilles depot, being dressed, at Enid's request, for her carriage excursion, seems now full of an excited yet morbid anxiety. Obtaining opportunity when Miss Chartris has entered her bedroom to give her a kiss, tender her condolences and get into the affair "with both feet," as the adolescent intrigante expresses it to herself, Marina whispers, a strange pathos in her eyes: "Maud, dear, you have come to give me that letter you picked up—the one I dropped on the floor of the railroad depot when—when I was overcome with the heat this morning."

"Jinks, that's a nice way of putting it—overcome with the heat? It was the letter knocked you," returns the Chartris infant, with a knowing wink.

"No matter what it was affected me," whispers the young Corsican lady, intensely. "The letter—I must have it at once! He—he must not see it!"

"I—I didn't pick it up!" mutters Maud, doggedly.

"I saw you! Even when my eyes were closing, I saw you! Give me the letter, child, or I shall have to ask your mother to get it from you for me!"

The horrible possibilities of such a demand impress themselves on Maud with distressing effect; she snivels: "Don't tell ma, she'd skin me."

"Then, the letter!" ejaculates Marina, wildly.

"Well, if you must know, I sold it to Barnes for two boxes of marrons glaces."

"Sold that letter? Ay de mi, if he shows it to my husband!" And Marina paces the floor in agitated dread.

"Don't torture me, miserable! I have brought too much misfortune on him already." Tears dim the orbs of the Corsican girl. "Tell dear Mr. Barnes that I must see him; that it is very important."

"Why, sure I'll do it, though I don't think he'll help you put up any job on your—"

"Put up any job? Another base insinuation from your childish lips and I'll tell your mother you had that letter concealed! Away!" Looking like a frenzied goddess, Marina opens her door and Maud speeds from it.

"Gee," remarks the young lady to herself, as she flits along the hotel passageway and notes Anstruther keeping watch outside his wife's door.

Her eyes are still big with suspected intrigue as she continues her conversation with Mr. Barnes by suddenly interjecting: "She wants to see you!"

"Who?"

"Marina, the bride, of course. She wants to give you a hint not to let the cat out of the bag to Edwin about the man whose letter made her faint."

Here, Miss Chartris, who has suddenly looked out of the window, trying to hide a telltale face from the piercing glance of her companion, ejaculates almost tremblingly: "Holy poker!"

"What's the matter?"

"Why, there's the man walking up the street who gave me the note that knocked Marina out of time—the one with the scar over his eye. He's looking up at our windows in the hotel!" Maud dodges back in a frightened way.

But Barnes is already cautiously taking cognizance from another window of the man whose scar identifies him in the throng of passersby on the Rue Noailles. The gentleman he gazes upon is, though actively built, lounging past with a pair of flashing eyes alertly yet intently fixed upon some window of the hotel near where Burton is standing.

Dressed in the deep mourning of southern France, a high Corsican hat lends picturesqueness to his costume. A certain family likeness suggests to Barnes that this man, though nearly 15 years younger, is the half brother of the dead Count Musso Danella. Suddenly the man responds to something he has seen in one of the windows of the hotel by a nasty, sneering grin.

"What did he see in the window?" thinks Barnes, and to Maud's astonishment bolts from the room, runs down the stairs of the hotel, and passes through the office into the street.

In the throng of the rather crowded Rue Noailles he fails to find this man he now feels quite certain must be Corregio Danella.

Then the American glances up at the windows of the hotel and at the third from that in which he had been standing, the one he knows is Marina's chamber, he sees the bride of Edwin Anstruther staggering away.

"Can it be possible that Edwin's wife has given this man some signal from her window that caused his triumph?"

A moment's consideration effaces this thought. "No woman can be more devoted to her husband than the bride of Edwin Anstruther. Whatever the agitated girl has done is intended for her husband's safety. What can that be?"

A second later, he thinks, it must have merely been some sign of woe or fear that had produced the triumph of Corregio Danella.

This reminds Barnes of Marina's request to see him. "I will find out from Mrs. Anstruther the contents of that devilish letter this astute distractor of matrimonial bliss sent her," he thinks, and steps rapidly back into the hotel.

Upon the second floor, finding Edwin still stalking about the passageway and keeping his watch upon his wife's chamber, Burton quite shortly states he has a suggestion or two as regards their yachting trip to make to Marina.

The consequence is that her husband soon after brings her into the parlor the party has secured for their general use. As he does so, Barnes notices something in the bride's manner to her husband that increases his alarm for her. In the morning, though Marina's eyes showed traces of the sufferings their owner had undergone, they were full of hope as they rested on her bridegroom. Now despair appears to have taken its place as her beautiful orbs linger lovingly yet sadly on the man she adores, and then seem to turn from him agitated by some hidden determination.

A moment after Anstruther says, in a loud tone intended for his bride's ears: "Take care of her while I do my packing," adding in a cautious whisper to Barnes: "See if you can find out what is really the matter with my darling. Some devilish thing must have happened to her at the railroad depot. She won't tell me. You discover."

Under these circumstances, Barnes is very eager to learn the balance of the note which had shattered the bride's nerves.

"Glad you're looking so fit, Marina," he remarks, lightly, for they have grown into the habit of addressing each other with the familiarity of coming relatives. "Maud told me you wished to speak to me."

"Why, certainly, Burton, I—you—you have read the letter that struck me down in the railroad station. I must beg you not to be cruel enough to even hint to my husband its contents.

"Why, of course. 'Tis best for Edwin, at present, at all events, to be in the dark," returns Barnes, groping darkly himself; adding assuringly: "You must pick up courage, my dear girl. You faced a greater trial only two days ago."

Her answer confuses and astounds her interrogator. "Faced a greater trial?" she says piteously. "Perhaps in one way." After this she gasps for a moment and suddenly cries: "Then you haven't read the letter."

"Read it—most of it. A portion of it hasn't come into my hands yet. Maud said you tore it up."

"Ah, thank God, you missed the last part. Then you might have told my husband and I could never have done it."

"Never have done what?"

"What you will not know till it is done!"

"You'd better tell it to me so that I may advise you," he suggests.

But the beautiful bride pacing the chamber, her hands pressed to her brow, suddenly pauses in front of him and says: "No, I'll be my own counsellor in this matter. I'll fight the dread fight out with myself. I'll try and—"

Her distracted manner adds to Barnes' fear, not of her love and devotion to Edwin, but of her judgment in some project she keeps concealed. He says, imperatively: "You must tell me."

"No, tis between my conscience, my God and my husband. Only tell Edwin, tell him, in case—"

"In case what?"

"Oh, you know the cruel things that may happen in such a blood feud which is again revived, now worse than ever. In case I pass from my husband's sight, tell him that I always loved him; that—that I didn't believe. Should I do something he regrets, he condemns, ask him to forgive me; it was because I loved him better than—than my own soul!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"See if You Can Find Out What is Really the Matter with My Darling."

62,000 TONS OF CURRANTS.

Britons Seem to Be Exceptionally Fond of This Fruit.

Our great-grandmothers, although they had to pay a very high price for dried currants, considered them quite indispensable to the compounding of those pies, furmities and florentines which were the pride of every housewife. Domestic catering must have been an arduous undertaking in those days, for currants and other dried fruits were not to be procured out of London except once a year, at the annual fair of the local market town. The royal dish of plum porridge, which it was the privilege of the archbishop of Canterbury to serve to a newly crowned sovereign, was composed largely of currants, the fruit being stewed in strong beef soup enriched with red wine and red sack. Now that the order has changed and simplicity is the keynote of the highest class cookery, we Britons have trebled our appreciation of the homely and wholesome currant; and although florentines and plum porridge are dishes of the past, no less than 62,000 tons of currants go every year to the making of bread cakes, pastries and puddings to tempt the British appetite.—Ladies' Pictorial.

If He Had a Million.

"Say, Moike, if yez had a million dollars given ye to-day, phwat wud yez do first?" "Sure, an' I'd go to the Palace hotel and engage a room, an' I'd have wurrud with the clerk to call me at five o'clock in the morning." "Why, phwat wud yez do that fur?" "Ah," said Mike, with a complacent grin, "whin he tould me to get up I'd say: 'Oh, go to the divvle; I don't have to!'"—Judge's Library.

Royalty at Servants' Ball.

The princess of Wales takes much interest in the annual New Year's eve servants' fancy dress ball at Sandringham, to which the guests are permitted to bring some of their friends.

BEST EVER WRITTEN

PRESCRIPTION WHICH ANYONE CAN EASILY MIX.

Said to Promptly Overcome Kidney and Bladder Afflictions—Shake Simple Ingredients Well in Bottle.

Mix the following by shaking well in a bottle, and take in teaspoonful doses after meals and at bedtime:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. A prominent physician is the authority that these simple, harmless ingredients can be obtained at nominal cost from any druggist even in the smaller towns.

The mixture is said to cleanse and strengthen the clogged and inactive Kidneys, overcoming Backache, Bladder weakness and Urinary trouble of all kinds, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease.

Those who have tried this say it positively overcomes pain in the back, clears the urine of sediment and regulates urination, especially at night, curing even the worst forms of bladder weakness.

Every man or woman here who feels that the kidneys are not strong or acting in a healthy manner should mix this prescription at home and give it a trial, as it is said to do wonders for many persons.

The Scranton (Pa.) Times was first to print this remarkable prescription, in October, of 1906, since when all the leading newspapers of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg and other cities have made many announcements of it to their readers.

Grieg as a Schoolboy.

Grieg was not a pattern schoolboy. In a description of his days at school he wrote: "Knowing that by arriving late I would not be allowed to enter the class until the end of the first lesson, I used, on wet mornings, to stand under a dripping roof, until I was soaked to the skin. The master then sent me home to change my clothes, but the distance being long this was equivalent to giving me a dispensation! You may guess that I played this prank pretty often, but when at last I carried it so far as to come one day wet through, though it had hardly rained at all, they became suspicious, and kept a lookout. One fine day I was caught, and made an intimate acquaintance with the birch!"

Liquor She Floated In.

On their arrival in New Zealand, according to London Tit-Bits, a party of English people drank the health of the vessel which had brought them safely to their destination. One of the gentlemen who was asked to join in this ceremony replied: 'No, I am a teetotaller; but I'll willingly drink success to the ship in the liquor she floats in." A friend disappeared and returned with a glass of water. After a complimentary apostrophe to the ship, the recipient tossed the water off at once, but immediately spluttered: "Ugh—ah—oh—this is—oh—what on earth is this?" "That?" said his friend. "Why, you've drunk success to our noble ship in the identical liquor she floats in."

Terms That Seem Strange.

There are many puzzling differences between Scottish and English law terms. For instance, bankruptcy is in Scotland "an act of sequestration," a solicitor is either a "writer" or a "law agent," the argument in a case is the "debate," and assizes is the jury, a wrongdoer is a "delinquent," an idiot—in Scottish law—is "a fatuous person," and a burglary is (with true Scottish caution), "housebreaking with an aggravation." Finally, an author is, in Scotland, not a person who writes, but the vender or seller of real property, from whom the title to it is derived.

Mutilate Art Treasures.

Authorities who have in charge some of England's ancient treasures try to discourage the habit of carving initials on these relics. A fine of $15 was recently imposed on a man who had chipped his name in letters six inches high on one of the stones in the "Druids' Circle" near Keswick. Close to the giant stone globe at Swanage a special slab is provided for the harmless reception of the names of all who are addicted to this self-advertisement. On popular Alpine summits names are left on cards in emptied wine bottles.

Will Not Supply Pigs.

Bacon curers are usually among the most prosperous firms in Belfast, but they have had to warn the farmers throughout the north not to kill any more pigs until the strikes are settled for it is impossible to handle the carcasses. Business has thus been diverted to other Irish bacon-curing centers, although the majority of farmers have simply respited their pigs and are making no attempt to supply the market. Danish bacon factories will thus profit.—London Standard.

Special Cut Price Sale.

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North Germantown.

Fred Haupt was in Garner Monday.

James Lunn is picking corn for John Engstler.

James Carr bought up some cattle on Route 3 the first of the week.

Mrs. Watts who lives on the Lemke farm near Hayfield is reported very sick.

Elmer Haes departed for Grafton Monday where he will attend school during the winter.

Several from here attended the party at Wm. Brouwer's last Friday and all reported a good time.

Mrs. C. J. Lunn and daughter Sarah called on Mrs. Fred Reihm Sunday to visit the young farmer who arrived Oct. 28.

Mrs. Aug. Kropp accompnied by Mrs. Ernest Upmeyer departed for her home Monday near Mainard, Minn. after spending a month with her parents Wm. Bredlow and wife and other relatives. Mrs. Upemeyer will visit with her son Ernest at the same place.

EARLY RISERS
The famous little pills.

German M. E. Church Items

Ida Schwichtenberg is visiting with her grandma.

Mrs. Jno. Josten visited at Arnold's on Tuesday.

Both S. S. are preparing a Cantata for Christmas.

Grandma Schwichtenberg has been nursing a very sore eye.

JohnGriewe delivered potatoes in and around Klemme on Tuesday.

Mrs. M. Meyer returned to her home near Farmersburg on Monday.

Misses Clara and Anna Griewe left for Redfield, S. Dak. on Saturday morning to visit with Miss Schurmeyer.

Mrs. Aug. Kroppand children left for their home at Maynard Minn. on Monday morning after visiting a few weeks with her parents.

Estella Klaus, Conference Sec. of the Banner Bearer Society, will arrive on Thursday evening to visit the Klemme and Germantown auxiliary.

The Klemme "Standard Bearers meet on Thursday with Sarah and Mary Ludeke and at Germantown on Friday evening with Etna Suckow.

Rev. Wessel left on Monday to visit several places on the Galena District in interest of the "Deaconess Work." He was at North and South La Crosse, Church, Sherrill, and Dubuque.

A RELIABLE REMEDY FOR CROUP.

Mrs S Rosinthal of Turner, Mich. says: We have used Chamberlain's cough medicine for ourselves and children for several years and like it very much. I think it is the only remedy for croup and can highly recommend it. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

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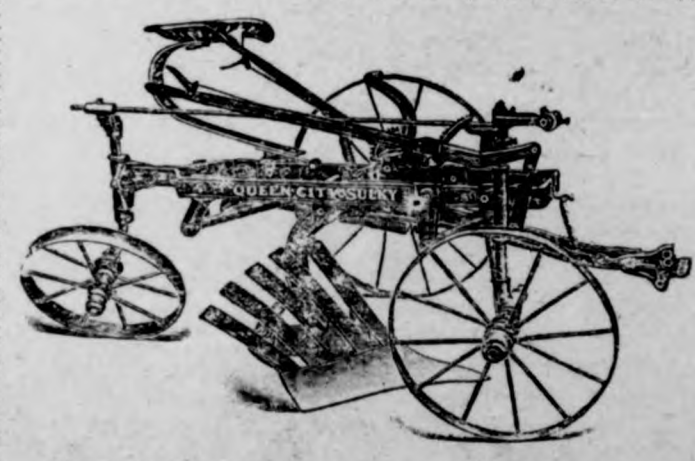

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LOCAL NEWS

Change of ad. State Savings Bank.

Glasses fitted and satisfaction guaranteed at J L. Harr & Co.

Chapped hands are quickly cured by applyin: Chamberlain's salve. Price 25c. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

Mrs. J. Josten has a special cut price sale on her millinery goods. Read her ad.

We have just received a new lot of Linoleum, 6 and 12 feet wide. G. F. Schuler. tf

Geo. Waterman's team took a run through main street Thursday. No damage done. except damaging the wagon.

The following were at Garner this week Thursday· Mrs. C. W. Wiles and Clara Wiles, Meta Stork, Mrs. Haskin, Miss Reinhardt and Mrs. M. Thompson.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the peope without a penny cost the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists every where as Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Sold by All Dealers.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

T. M Hamilton, Goodell.
John Jordan, Jefferson, Okla.
L. A. Heuer, New London, Wis.

It is deliciously palatable, agrees with the weakest stomach, contains the most soothing, healing, strengthing and curative elements. Makes you well and happy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. L. Harr & Co.

A pleasant surprise was given to J. Bock, Jr. and family on Monday evening of this week. It was Mrs. Bock's birthday. Their neighbors poured in from all directions and helped them celebrate the occasion. A social evening was spent and refreshments were served, after which all departed home at a late hour.

The postmaster of Gasconade, Mo. Daniel A. Rugh says of DeWitt's kidney and blacder pills, I am doing so well and improving so fast in health I cannot say too much for your Kidney and bladder pils. I feel like a new man. DeWitt's kidney and bladder pils are sold by J L Harr & Co.

Do not forget to read ad. of State Savings Bank.

Clara Wiles was at Garner Tuesday between trains.

Sheriff Suurballe of Garner, transacted business here Thursday.

Otto Baumgartner, brother of J. F. drove down from Miller Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Lawhorn who has been visiting at Belmond, returned Monday

G. F. Schuler has in stock the celebrated Ostermoor Mattresses. Price $15. tf

Gruetzmacher Bros. received one car load of feed and one car load of salt on Tuesday.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve penetrates the pores thoroughly cleanses and is healing and soothing. Good for piles. Sold by J L Harr & Co

Harry Ell had the misfortune to mash one of his toes this week which will lay him up for a few days.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nissen of Dows, visited with relatives between trains Saturday last week.

I ain't feeling well to day,
Something wrong I must say;
Come to think of it, that's right
I forgot my Rocky Mountain Tea last night. J. L. Harr & Co.

Henry Lau, our implement man, returned Thursday from a business trip at the following places: Moline. Davenport, Cedar Rapids and Iowa Falls.

There is nothing better for stomach troubles than Kodol which contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Kodol is offered on a guarantee plan for the relief of heart burn, flatulence, sour stomach belching of gass nausea and all stomach troubles. So at times when you don't feel just right when you are drowsy after meals and your head aches or when you have no ambition and you are cross and irritable take a little Kodol. It digests what you eat. It will make you healthy. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

NOTICE—All those knowing themselves to be indebted to the undersigned are requested to settle up at once, either by cash or bankable notes.

H. L. Schuldt.

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some little candy cold tabets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing preventics for they are not only safe but decidedy certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the sneeze stage preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis. lagrippe etc. Hence the name Preventics. Good for fevarish children. 48 preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5c. Sold by All Dealers.

It's lots of bother to send to a catalogue house for stuff, have to pay cash in advance and sometimes one can't wait two weeks until the goods arrive and again oftimes they substitute and send the wrong article. Wellemeyer has certainly got Sears Roebuck beat on sewing machines. See his new ad. You see what you get and then pay—no waiting. Look it up in your catalogue.

You can't be well if you have weak unhealthy tired out stomach. Neither can you feel good if by some little irregularity in eating you have caused the stomach to get out of order. These little stomach troubles are signs of indigestion which many and very often does turn into a very often does turn into a very bad case of dyspepsia. Don't allow this to go on a single day without doing something to overcome it. Take some good reliable and safe digestant as Kodol. for Dyspepsia. Kodol is the the best remedy known to day for heart burn, belching and troubles arising from a diordered digestion. It is pleasant to take and affords relief prompt. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

It pays to read the ad. of State Savings Bank.

Mrs. M. Haskin and daughter returned from Freeport, Ill. last week Saturday.

G. F. Schuler carries in stock at all times Axminster Velvet and Brussel rugs. Size 9x12 feet. tf

Mrs. C. Nissen left Monday evening for Dows, where she will make her son Joe and family a visit.

Harry Behringer says he is going to get a burgular alarm on his pocket-book. Mr. Bloom says it is a wise plan.

Aug. Lau & Son shipped one car load of hogs Sunday morning, part of the car was loaded here and part at Goodell.

PAY UP.—Those owing me on account for machinery and twine are requested to pay up at once.

H. Lau & Son.

Asa Gibbs & Son sold to G. Schroeder & Son 100 head of sheep. "Butch" went with them to Chicago Sunday morning.

When the baby is cross and has you worried and worn out you will find that a little Cascas Weet the well known remedy for babies and children will quiet the little one in a short time. The ingredients are printed on the bottle, Contains no opiates. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Hallow'een passed off rather quietly, not a party was given as far as we are informed. A few of the smaller boys and a number of men were out on mischief bent. The former met their "Waterloo" as they were about to enter the school house and ring the bell, so their plans came to an end. The men succeeded quite well in putting up some of our public men in effigy and labeled them in large letters so no one needed to rake his brains to recognize them. But seemingly no one seemed to appreciate their decorations the next morning but they themselves. They stood long and fast, with a sort of innocent grin on their faces, admiring their heroic deeds. They were not aware that others had watched their movements the night before and knew nearly every man implicated. Now, we believe in letting the boys have a little fun as long as they do not destroy property, but when men, who owe much of their sustenance to the good-will and sympathy of the community and ought to be at home with their families, joins in such personal depredations, it appears to us just a little below the dignity of good citizenship, at any rate it shows poor taste. Furthermore we would call it more of a "slam" on the parties who done the deed than on the parties whom were represented. The old saying is "There's a long road which has no turn" and some day some of these men will meet their own "Waterloo" whether sooner or later.

A tickling cough from any cause is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's cough cure and it is so thoroughly harmless and safe that Dr, Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to very young babes. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub, furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's cough cure. It calms the cough and heals the sore sensative bronchial membranes. No opium no no chloroform nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract that helps to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the doctor uses 'The Sacred Herb'. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Take no other. All Dealers.

Entire Change of ad State Savings Bark.

Watches and jewelry at J. L. Harr & Co. All goods warranted. tf

Misses Esther and Nellie Lau returned from their Clayton county visit last week Thursday.

Do you wish to buy a good farm cheap? If so write A. U. Quint, 608 Observatory Building Des Moines, Iowa. 2w

Constipation, Indigestion, drive away appetite and make you weak and sick. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea restores the appetite, drives away disease, builds up the system. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. L. Harr & Co.

Mrs. H Mauss and daughter of Rake, Iowa visited with T. Blank and family and other relatives, returning last week Saturday.

When the stomach heart or kidney nerves get weak then these organs always fail. Don't drug the stomach nor stimuate the heart or kidneys. That is simply a makeshift. Get a prescription known to druggists every where as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The restorative is prepared for these weak inside nerves. Strenghten these, build them up with Dr. Shoop's restorative tablets or liquid and see how quickly help will come. Free sample test sent on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine. Wis Your health is surely worth this simple test. All Dealers.

BILLIOUSNESS AMD CONSTIPATION.

For years I war troubled with biliousness and constipation which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once and strengthen the digestive functions helping the system to do its work natually—Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by J L Harr & Co.

For Sale.

A few registered Short-horn bull from ten to sixteen months old. Four miles east of Garner.

12-8 Hall Bros.

LINGERING COLD.

Withstood other treatment but quickly cured by Chamberlain's cough remedy.

Last winter I caught a severe cold which lingered for weeks, says J Urquhart of Zephyr, Ontario. My cough was very dry and harsh. The local dealer recommended Chamberlain's cough remedy and guaranteed it so I gave it a trial. One small bottle of it cured me. I believe Chamberlain's cough remedy to be the best I have ever used. This remedy is for sale by J L Harr & Co.

Notice to Farmers.

We the undersigned have this day turned our live stock business of Klemme over to the Town Council and the Rock Island R. R. Co. We will only take in hogs at Klemme on Tuesday and Saturday of each week, but we buy hogs at Goodell six days in the week and receive them every day in the week.

Aug. Lau & Son.

HE FOUGH AT GETTYSBURG.

David Parker of Fayette, N. Y. who lost a foot at Gettysburg writes: Electric Bitters have done me more good than any medicine I ever took. For seueral years I had stomach trouble and paid out much money for medicine to little purpose until I began using Electric Bitters I would not take $500 for what they have done for me. Grand tonic for the aged and for female weaknesses. Great alterative and body builder, sure cure for lame back and weak kidneys. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. druggists. 50c.

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you have any old iron to sell I will be pleased to buy it. I will pay 30c per hundred in cash. Anyone having a load on hand, notify me.
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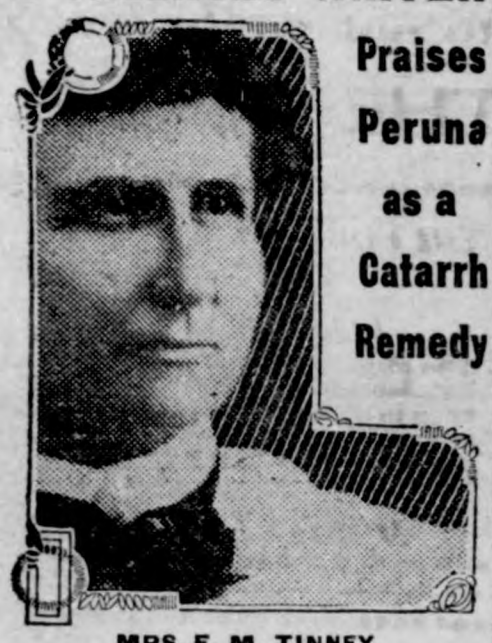

MRS. E. M. TINNEY

Praises Peruna as a Catarrh Remedy

Mrs. E. M. Tinney, story writer, 325 E. Nueva St., San Antonio, Tex., writes:

"During 1901 I suffered form nasal catarrh, which various other remedies failed to relieve.

"Six bottles of Peruna, which I took, entirely cured me, the catarrh disappearing and never returning.

"I therefore cheerfully recommend Peruna to all similarly afflicted."

Mrs. Ellen Nagle, 414 4th street, Green Bay, Wis., writes:

"I have often heard Peruna praised and it is more widely known here than any other medicine, but I never knew what a splendid medicine it really was until a few weeks ago when I caught a bad cold which settled all over me.

"The doctor wanted to prescribe, but I told him I was going to try Peruna and sent for a bottle and tried it.

"I felt much better the next morning and within five days I had not a trace of any lameness or any cough.

"I consider it the finest cough remedy."

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IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

CHARITON CASHIER SUICIDE.

Could Not Bear Up Under Threatened Disgrace.

Chariton.—Rather than make a fight to carry his bank through a serious situation, or face the disgrace that might attend, Cashier F. R. Crocker of the First National bank of Chariton committed suicide at his residence.

Among the various letters written by Mr. Crocker, while preparing to kill himself, was one addressed to National Bank Examiner H. M. Bostwick of whose coming he knew. This letter was delivered to Mr. Bostwick on the morning after the suicide; its contents are not known to the public, but it set forth briefly that the bank was in difficulty and asked the examiner to take charge at once. In consequence, the First National Bank of Chariton is closed, and it will remain closed pending a thorough investigation of its affairs. The Bank of Russell, a private institution with a capital of $25,000, of which Cashier Crocker was president, is also closed pending this investigation.

However, the other banks of Chariton will continue in business as usual. Their affairs are in the best condition and they have not even adopted the rule of limiting the withdrawal of deposits or otherwise taking the precautions adopted by banks generally. They have enough money to take care of their needs. Business men and the large depositors here understand their complete solvency and there has been no interruption of business whatever. The Chariton Savings bank, which was closely connected with the First National bank, was likewise open all day and did business as usual. Its officers expect to continue business the same way, meeting all demands upon them.

Crocker's death was discovered by his closest friend, C. R. Kirk. Late the previous day Crocker wrote a note asking Kirk to come to him early the next morning. This was given to a bank clerk with the request that it be delivered as soon as possible in the morning. Mr. Kirk feared some tragedy when he received the note, and he hastend to the Crocker residence, arriving before the children had arisen. Without disturbing them Mr. Kirk made his found the banker dead in bed with way to Crocker's room, where he an empty morphine bottle lying near by.

On a dresser in the room were found notes for his wife and son, who were both in Chicago, and to othe members of the family. In these notes he said that he could not "carry his burden any longer." but what the burden was has not been disclosed.

Davenport.—The directors and attorneys for the Modern Woodmen of America have gone from their offices in Rock Island to Chariton to look into the affairs of Cashier Crocker of the First National bank, who committed suicide there. The funds of the order to the amount of $350,000 were deposited with the Chariton bank. Crocker formerly having been head banker of the Woodmen, a bond of $1,300,000 protects the order.

Chariton.—The belief is growing in Chariton that Cashier F. R. Crocker of the First National bank was driven to his suicide more by his own personal financial failure than by any serious impairment of the bank's resources. While it was not generally known, Mr. Crocker was deep in speculation in stocks and bonds of various kinds and those who were close to him believe that his losses of late were large. They may not have affected in any way the bank's condition, but they did affect him personally, and personally he was obligated heavily in many directions, especially as manager of the large Mallory estate.

DICKINSON IS FREE.

Long Murder Trial Results in Unpopular Verdict.

Des Moines.—H. B. Dickinson, charged with ruining and enticing intoa conspiracy, resulting in the death to a conspiracy, resulting in the death dora girl, is a free man. The twelve men who have been listening to the evidence in the criminal court for the past two weeks returned a verdict of acquittal. Dickinson hastened to the jury box to shake hands with the jurors as they hurried from the court house.

The verdict came as a surprise to many and is generally unpopular throughout Des Moines. The jury's verdict, however, frees Dickinson from guilt in connection with the death of the motherless girl, and immediately after it had been rendered he announced his intention of remaining in Des Moines. Dr. Gadd, whose name has appeared prominently in the case, is yet to be tried for alleged conspiracy, resulting in the death of the unfortunate young girl.

J. S. POLK IS DEAD.

Des Moines Capitalist Passed Away After Long Illness.

Des Moines.—Jefferson S. Jolk, organizer and president of the Des Moines City Railway company, for fifty-two years a leading citizen of Des Moines, and one of Iowa's wealthiest men, died at his resident, 2000 West Grand avenue, on the 3rd.

While his death was not unexpected, owing to the critical phase which his last illness early assumed, the announcement came as a surprise and a sad shock to Des Moines people.

The indirect cause of Mr. Polk's death were injuries sustained by a fall near his home two years ago. While passing a wagon he stepped on a rope that was dragging behind. His feet were jerked out from under him and he was thrown violently to the pavement. At the time he suffered for some time. Since then he has never enjoyed the excellent health that he had known all his life. His extraordinary physical strength bore up well, however.

His last illness was of about two weeks duration.

Jefferson S. Polk was born in February, 1830, near Georgetown, Ky. He attended the common schools of that day and subsequently entered Georgetown college, where he graduated. Deciding to fit himself for the practice of law he entered the law office of P. L. Cable of Georgetown, and subsequently for many years was prominently identified with the Chicago & Rock Island railroad. In 1855 he determined to come west and came to Des Moines when 23 years old with no capital but a good education, his college diploma, ambition, energy, and perseverance, and opened an office on second street with Judge Casady.

He became one of the leading lawyers of Iowa, and in 1864 formed a partnership with F. M. Hubbell. This firm financed many of the big enterprises of Des Moines and central Iowa, and for twenty-one years was the leading firm of capitalists in the state.

After the dissolution of this firm, Mr. Polk purchased the street railway from the Turner interests and began developing the system. After perfecting this property, he began to work out his long cherished ideas of interurban roads and the Inter-Urban Railway Company was organized.

In 1867 Mr. Polk aided F. M. Hubbell and others in organizing the Equitable Life Insurance company of Iowa, but for many years he had not been identified with it.

MACKOWN IS LUCKY.

New Trial is Granted Famous Webster City Prisoner.

Webster City.—At the conclusion of nearly four hours of argument, Judge C. G. Lee of Ames granted a new trial in the case of the state of Iowa against George Mackown, charged with the serious crime of setting fire to Webster City's biggest industry, the $100,000 Northwestern Felt Shoe factory.

The defendant's victory, however, was by a hair's breadth, for the court said in reviewing the case: "This matter is one that has given the court great concern. Circumstances point clearly to the commission of a crime, but the defendant's connection with it has not been established in my mind beyond a doubt, and the court feels that the ends of justice would not be conserved by pronouncing a penitentiary sentence upon the evidence submitted."

INDICT WATER WORKS MEN.

M'Arthur and Berg Both Held by Dubuque Grand Jury.

Dubuque.—The grand jury, after nearly four weeks' deliberation, returned nineteen indictments. The most prominent bills returned were those against Arthur McArthur, formerly superintendent of the municipal water works of Dubuque, and Peyson Berg, collector, on charges of embezzlement.

Both McArthur and Berg have confessed, the former to a $12,000 shortage, the latter to several hundred dollars. It is believed that the full amount of the shortage will never be revealed.

McArthur is out on $10,000 bail and Berg on $1,000.

The expected indictments against the former trustees of the plant were not returned.

LEROY WARE IN JAIL.

Corydon.—All of the indictments against Roy Ware for fraudulent banking have been continued. This means that Ware will have to lie in the Wayne county jail until next March, as his bondsmen have surrendered him to Sheriff Merrick and at the January term of court Judge Evans presides, and he being interested in the Seymour bank's affairs cannot hear the cases. All of the civil cases connected with the failure of the bank were also continued and will now go over until the next March term of court, when Judge Towner comes back to Wayne county.

She Did Not Fear Death.

An old lady on her seventy-third birthday once said, "I do not mind getting old, and I do not fear death, but I live in constant fear of paralysis."

"For some time I have been wanting to tell you of the great good your wonderful Sloan's Liniment is doing here," writes Mr. James F. Abernethy, of Rutherford College, N. C. "In fact, all your remedies are doing noble work, but your Liniment beats all. In my eight years' experience with medicine I find none to go ahead of it, having tried it in very many cases. I know of one young man, a brick-mason, who suffered from a partial, yes, almost complete, paralysis of one arm. I got him to use your Liniment, and now he can do as much work as ever, and he sings your praise every day. I get all to use it I possibly can and know there is great virtue in it. I have helped the sale of your noble remedies about here greatly, and expect to cause many more to buy them, as I know they can't be beat."

Slight Misunderstanding.

They had been engaged just seventeen minutes by the clock, yet for the last three-seventeenth of that period there had been a proud, scornful look upon her fair face that was calculated to wither the orange blossoms.

"I can't imagine, dear," he said, sadly, "what has come over you so suddenly. I simply asked if you were romantic, when—"

"Oh, George, forgive me!" she exclaimed, with a convulsive sob, as she threw her arms about his neck, "I thought you asked me if I was rheumatic."

A Value.

"Nonsense," said the high financier, 'we did not sell a worthless franchise."

"But such is current report," ventured the interviewer.

The high financier made a gesture of impatience. "Young man," he returned, severely, "if you got hold of any old franchise that you could unload for two millions, would you regard it as worthless?"

No reply being possible to this, none was made.

Sheer white goods, in fact, any fine wash goods when new, owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equally satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, withqut thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work.

Finance.

"Sammy," said a Germantown mother recently to her youngest-born, "When you divided those seven pieces of candy with your brother did you give him four?"

"No, ma'am," replied Sammy, "I knew they wouldn't come out even, so I ate one before I began to divide."—Harper's Weekly.

Strong Indications.

"Do you think the intentions of young Gotrox are serious?" asked the anxious mother.

"I'm sure they are, mamma," replied the pretty daughter. "Why, only last night he laughed heartily at one of papa's alleged jokes."

By following the directions, which are plainly printed on each package of Defiance Starch, Men's Collars and Cuffs can be made just as stiff as desired, with either gloss or domestic finish. Try it, 16 oz. for 10c, sold by all good grocers.

Knew What Was Coming.

Wife—Well, I declare. Here's an old school friend of mine who has just made a fortune.

Husband—All right, my dear. Go ahead. Tell me that you might have married him.

Give Defiance Starch a fair trial—try it for both hot and cold starching, and if you don't think you do better work, in less time and at smaller cost, return it and your grocer will give you back your money.

So Impolite.

"Oh!" gasped Caesar, as he felt the thrust of Brutus' dagger. "How rude of you to cut an old friend!"

Signs of Long Life.

"Bacon took a deep interest in longevity and its earmarks," said a physician, "and Bacon's signs of long life and of short life are as true to-day as they ever were.

"You won't live long, Bacon pointed out, if you have soft, fine hair, a fine skin, quick growth, large head, early corpulence, short neck, small mouth, brittle and separated teeth and fat ears.

"Your life, barring accidents, will be very lengthy if you have slow growth, coarse hair, a rough skin, deep wrinkles in the forehead, firm flesh, a large mouth, wide nostrils, strong teeth set close together, and a hard, gristly ear."—Minneapolis Journal.

Seems Probable.

"Ma, didn't the heathens have a god for everything?"

"Yes, my child.'

"Well, who was the god who ruled over kitchens?"

"I don't just remember; but I think it was the great god Pan."

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FOR EXTRA SESSION

PRESIDENT'S POLICY TOWARD TRUSTS TO BE PUSHED.

FINANCIERS MAKING DEMAND

Fear of Stampeding Public at Time When Country Is Sound May Deter Action.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 3.—It was learned here yesterday from most reliable sources that President Roosevelt is now being urged to call an extra session of congress to deal with the financial situation. The request comes from, and represents the judgment of the conservative leaders in the financial world who have represented the present situation as one compelling action of a character which will affirmatively eradicate all ground for suspicion of American industrial methods.

The president has been assured from most reliable sources that there will be no opposition on the part of the great industries of the country to the enactment of the necessary laws to carry out his ideas of federal control to the extent which he has expounded them in his recent public utterances. These assurances are made at this time to avert what has been represented as the most dangerous situation which has confronted the country during an extended historic period, that is, the seeming growing lack of confidence based on known irregularities in business methods in some quarters, and no sure and speedy means of separating the good from the unsound.

To this end, it is suggested that the president set congress to the task first, of making such amendments to the financial laws as will result in a maximum of flexibility with the minimum of basic change in the monetary system. Next and perhaps most in importance is that the president embody his suggestions on corporation control into sufficient recommendations for enactment into law. In this connection the president's attention has been directed to what he said at Provincetown, Mass., Aug. 20, last:

"I believe in national incorporation law for corporations engaged in interstate business. I believe furthermore, that the need for action is most pressing as regards those corporations which, because they are common carriers, exercise a quasi-public function and which can be completely controlled, in all respects by the federal government, by the exercise of the power conferred under the interstate commerce clause, and if necessary under the post road clause of the constitution.

"The national government should exercise over them a similar supervision and control to that which it exercises over national banks. We can do this by proceeding farther along the lines marked out by the recent national legislation.

"Almost every big business concern is engaged in interstate commerce and such a concern must not be allowed by a dexterous shifting of position, as has been too often the case in the past, to escape thereby all responsibility either to the state or nation.

To meet his views, the president then suggested amendments to the Sherman anti-trust law, and the addition of a criminal clause to that and the interstate commerce regulations The benefit of having federal legal machinery to detect and eradicate unwholesome business methods at this time was said to be desirable.

That the president has given the request for an extra session careful consideration is indicated by those who have been asked to tender their advice in the matter. That the information as to existing conditions is not alarming has been the continuing assurance which has come from the government's careful observations. With this in view, the president has been told that the call for an extra session of congress might have the reverse effect from that desired by those who are urging such action; that it would tend to emphasize in the public mind any apprehension of unfavorable conditions which do not exist.

Failing in obtaining an extra session, those who have made the appeal for it have presented an alternative, or an additional request that the president make a public statement of the assurance he feels in the sound condition of the public. This too, has met with a measure of opposition from the administration's advisers. Both suggestions are still matters of consideration, although no information whatever is obtainable regarding either directly from the White house.

OUTLAW DALTON PARDONED.

Governor Hock After Interview Frees Ex-Banlit.

Topeka, Kas., Nov. 3.—Emmet Dalton, the noted ex-bandit, was last night pardoned by Governor Hoch. The governor had requested Dalton to come to Topeka, and the prisoner made the trip from Lansing alone. After a conference with Dalton, Governor Hoch handed him the parchment that made him a free man. Then he shook hands with Dalton and declared his belief that he would become a useful citizen.

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The minister was having Sunday dinner with one of his brother parishoners. Suddenly the 8-year-old daughter of the house spoke up.

"O, Dr. Still, will you please say the prayer for rain tonight, so it will pour tomorrow?" she urged.

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You are further notified that the said petition will come on for hearing on the 16th day of December, A. D., 1907 at an adjourned session of the Board of Supervisors to be holden at the Court House in Garner, Iowa, on said date.

You are further notified that all claims for damages or compensation must be filed in the office of the County Auditor not less than FIVE (5) days before the day set for said hearing and also that you may appear and resist the granting of the said petition if you see proper so to do and that, unless you do, the said lands will be drained as provided by the laws above referred to and you and each of you will be forever barred from objecting thereto or claimins damages or compensation on account thereof.

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MARRIED.

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The beautiful and spacious home of the Doctor was decorated with autumn leaves and roses. A novel arbor with swinging bell formed the alcove under which the ceremony was performed. The celebration occurred at high noon.

Miss Hulda Gruetzmacher of Klemme, Iowa, played and her sister Miss Esther rendered in a charming manner the wedding song "O promise me," after which Mendelsohns wedding march was brilliantly rendered to the strains of which the bridal party marched to their places under the alcove. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. B. W. Soper who used the impressive ring service of his church.

The bride was beautifully attired a pure white dress carrying a bouquet of American Beauty roses. The groom looking very pleasing wore the customary garb of the bridegroom.

Immediately after the ceremony the company adjourned to the dining room where an elaborate four course breakfast was served. The table being tastefully decorated with smilax and roses.

Dr. Bradshaw takes from us one of our choicest young ladies Miss Herz is a general favorite with all whom know her. She has been prominent in church work where she had charge of work amongst the children of the Junior League which her education at Charles City College eminently fitted for her.

Just a year ago Miss Herz left for Vivian, S. D. where she took up a claim. Here Miss Herz became acquainted with the Doctor and friendship resulted in the wedding of today.

Dr. Bradshaw has been practicing his profession of dentistry as well as holding down a claim. He is a graduate of Northwestern University and is a gentleman of marked ability.

Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were in attendance at the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw will depart for their future home at Vivian, S. Dak., in a few days where they will commence housekeeping. The Press joins the many friends in extending congratulations for a long life of happiness and prosperity.—The Butler County Press.

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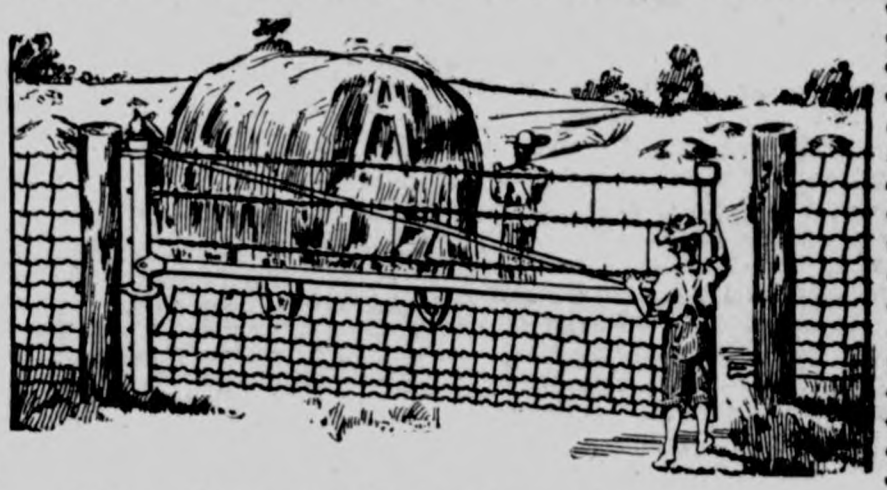

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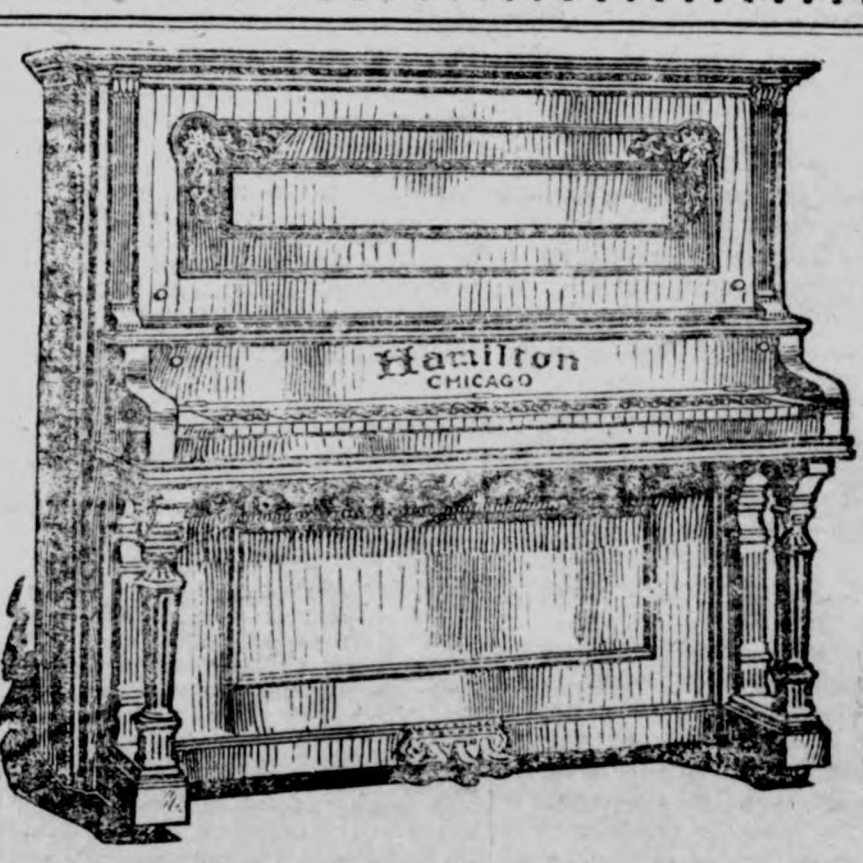

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The "Co-ed" Peril.

The president of Tufts' college warns the trustees that coeducation must be abandoned if the institution is to attract male students. Young men, he says, are showing a decided preference for men's colleges, where they are undisturbed by feminine association. Only by the segregation of the women students in a department of their own, President Hamilton thinks, can the drift away from Tufts be checked, and the college of letters prevented from soon becoming a girls' school. The warning is interesting, as following by just a year the adoption of the plan of sex segregation at the University of Chicago. Are college youths becoming fearful of mollycoddling influences at coeducational institutions? asks the New York World. At least there were no mollycoddles in the Cornell boat at Poughkeepsie, nor on the Michigan and Wisconsin university elevens. Doubtless the main cause is a discontent with the invasion of their ancient domain by women in numbers which threaten soon to reduce the male students to a minority. In ten years the growth of the great coeducational colleges has been phenomenal, Cornell increasing its numbers from 1,800 to 3,399; Michigan adding 1,800, and Wisconsin 1,400. At the University of Chicago the college population almost trebled, advancing from 1,881 to 5,997. Tufts itself jumped from 500 to 1,160. Meantime the strictly women's colleges have grown greatly, Smith, which this year has a freshman class of 500, increasing from 850 to 1,375, and Vassar doubling its numbers. The gain is suggestive when contrasted with the increase of 111 at Williams, 227 at Princeton, 135 at Bowdoin and 21 at Amherst.

Water Power Going to Waste.

The newly-created inland waterways commission is going to teach the people a lot of things about the most valuable mineral in the world—a mineral of which, because it is plentiful, we are more wasteful than of anything else, throwing it away wholesale, and exhibiting a stupid neglect of its possibilities of usefulness. So writes Rene Bache in The Technical World Magazine. The mineral in question is water. Everybody drinks it, and most folks use it for bathing. The latter employment is considered by many non-essential, but as a beverage it is so far indispensable that, if wholly deprived of it, all of mankind on the earth—not to mention the fowls of the air and the beasts of the field—would perish in about four days. The crops, too, are made to grow by the same beneficent fluid, which, incidentally, furnishes power on an enormous and steadily-increasing scale for manufacturing purposes. To the harnessing of their rivers the southern states mainly owe their recent industrial rejuvenation.

The cost of living is increasing not merely in the United States but abroad, and largely because of the arbitrary action of producers and dealers in advancing prices. The matter has become serious in some quarters, notably in countries where the wage scale is low. In Italy the public authorities are beginning to take matters in hand. The city government of Rome proposes to step in and fix a maximum price for all provisions, imposing penalties for violation of the regulations. Municipal ownership in any form is something to be wary of, but if such control takes the shape of checking extortion that adds vastly to the hardships of the people a great many may be inclined to condone the procedure.

Constitutional government is becoming so popular that it begins to look as though no country with any pretense of being up to date will be content to remain without it. Even so conservative an old lady as the dowager empress of China has been seized with a desire to follow the fashion and has promised her people a constitution. Persia, hitherto reckoned among the most non-progressive of nations, is assured a constitution, the shah having signed an edict to that effect. If Russia's czar does not wish to be helplessly behind the times he will have to hasten to grant a constitution to his subjects. Why not try it, even if dumas are not always as subservient to the royal will as might seem advisable to the sovereign?

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

FORTY INJURED AT AMES.

Northwestern Freight Train Crashes Into Interurban.

Ames.—Ten people were seriously injured and a whole carload of forty or more miraculously escaped death in a crossing accident between a Northwestern freight train and an interurban car on the electric line between Ames and Iowa State college.

Through an error, both the freight train and the electric car were given the right of way over the crossing, which is at the intersection of curves on both lines. The engine of the freight train struck the electric car almost in the middle, throwing it forty or fifty feet, where it was stopped and almost entirely demolished by the crossing watch tower, which was moved from its foundation by the impact. The forty or more passengers in the car were thrown about violently and practically all of them suffered minor or serious injuries.

Those most seriously injured were:

Miss Esther Livingston, student, injured internally.

Prof. H. G. Bell, leg broken and injured internally

—— Connor of Ames, skull fractured and jaw broken

Motorman James Robinson, injured internally.

F. M. Hanson of Jefferson, Ia., secretary Greene County Y. M. C. A., leg injured

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith, students, badly bruised.

Miss Bertha Williams, student, face cut.

S. Creel, Mexican student, hand cut.

M. Cruz, Filipino student, hand cut.

It is expected that all will recover.

Both the electric car, which was on its way to the college from Ames, and the freight train, which was north bound from Des Moines, received signals from the man in the crossing tower that the tracks were clear. The two tracks cross each other on a curve at this point, and two water tanks further obscure the view. Not until it was too late did the motorman or the engineer realize that an accident was imminent, but their efforts to stop were in vain. The engine struck the electric car squarely as it was about half way across the railroad track with an awful impact.

SIOUX CITY JOURNAL BURNS.

Plant Destroyed with a loss of $100,000.

Sioux City.—The plant of the Sioux City Journal was ruined by fire on the morning of the 6th, causing a loss of $100,000. The fire was started by a carrier boy throwing a lighted match among waste paper in the mailing room.

As soon as the fire was found to be under headway and the possibility of getting out the morning issue of the paper wa checkered the Tribune plant, owned by J. C. Kelly, was offered to George D. Perkins and he accepted the use of the presses and machinery. In three hours the Journal was upon the street as usual with a full account of the happenings.

The Journal is one of the largest newspaper plants in the state of Iowa and carried very heavy stock of supplies for county officers in the matter of blank books, cabinets and books necessary for the conduct of business.

The insurance amounted to between $55,000 and $60,000 and Mr. Perkins says he expects to have a new plant installed within thirty days.

BANK ROBBERS ARE FOILED.

Barnum Bank Safe Wouldn't Yield Its Treasures.

Fort Dodge.—At an early morning hour, robbers attempted to rob the bank at Barnum, located nine miles west of this city.

The large outer doors of the safe were blown off by nitroglycerin, but the inside door guarding the money chest resisted all attempts, and the job was abandoned, the burglars leaving no clue behind.

Nearby, asleep in a delivery wagon, was a man named Walker, representing the Paton Tea company, who was awakened by the heavy detonations, but he harbored no ambition to win a Carnegie medal, so he remained under cover.

Two strangers, one a confirmed cigarette fiend, alighted from the Sioux City train the evening before, and they have not been seen since.

J. H. Eastman, the cashier, found the interior of the bank wrecked upon coming down in the morning and at once notified the sheriffs of the surrounding counties.

Nose Bleed May be Fatal.

Mason City.—Alarmed over continuous hemorrhage of the nose, Edward Hebrank, a machinist of this city, was taken to the hospital at Rochester, Minn., for treatment. So severe has been the hemorrhage that it was feared he would bleed to death. No remedy could be found to stay the trouble. The patient was so weakened that he had to be carried to and from convevances

KILLED BY FALL FROM TRAIN.

Missouri Valley Young Man Meets Untimely End.

Council Bluffs.—John Wilkinson, Jr., son of John Wilkinson, foreman of the Northwestern machine shops at Missouri Valley, died from injuries sustained by falling from a fast train.

Young Wilkinson and three young friends had been to Denison. They boarded the train in the return trip hurriedly and rode standing in the vestibule. As the train neared Missouri Valley, Wilkinson opened the door and leaned out, evidently to see how near they were to the depot, when he lost his balance and fell. The train was running at least fifty miles an hour at the time.

When the train reached the depot, Wilkinson's companions ran back to where Wilkinson had fallen, barely reaching him in time to save him from mutilation from another train, grasping the body and pulling it from the track as a fast freght brushed by them.

Wilkinson was terribly injured. He hit some obstruction which tore a great hole in his head and side. While one of the boys remained with Wilkinson the others gave the alarm, when an engine and coach were sent up the track and Wilkinson hurried to the hospital. He never regained consciousness. He was a popular young man and was employed with his father.

FALLS 132 FEET TO DEATH.

Harry H. Grahl Drops Eleven Stories at Des Moines.

Des Moines.—Harry H. Grahl, one of the best known metal construction contractors in Des Moines and Iowa, fell eleven stories down the elevator shaft of the new Fleming block at Sixth and Walnut streets on the 9th. Death was almost instantaneous.

The accident was probably the result of leaning too far over the top of the shaft without being firmly secured and slipping. He struck the top of the elevator cage, which was standing at the main floor, with terrific impact, crushing the plank platform on top and bending the iron bars in the top of the cage.

Mr. Grahl evidently fell headforemost all the way, as he struck on his head and shoulders. His features were not distorted, but many bones were broken and the back of the skull crushed.

Mr. Grahl had gone to the top of the building to inspect some finishing work which two of his employes were working upon. After giving them some instructions, he started to take some measurements in the pent house, the small structure over the top of the elevator shaft, for a platform that was to be put in. He was on top of the ceiling of the eleventh floor and working with a six-foot rule. Evidently he leaned too far over the open shaft and slipped. No one knows, as no one saw him fall.

OTTUMWA MINERS WALK OUT.

Were Paid the Lump Coal Scale to Which They Object.

Ottumwa.—As a result of a disagreement between the operators and miners of the Star mine an altercation took place between Paul and George Tovrca and three miners, upon meeting on South Market street, in which George Lester sustained a broken leg and Sherman York a broken nose.

The cause of the difference existing between the mine owners and the miners is said to be the result of a demand made by the miners for a test to be made by the operators for paying the men on a mine-run basis instead of the lump coal basis as at present. This demand the operators refused and the men went out in a body, claiming that the proportion of slack and nut coal was too much, compared to that of the lump coal, to make lump the basis of wages, and asked for a test to determine which was the more suitable basis.

STOCKS RUIN BANKER.

Chariton People Tell of Crocker's Heavy Plunging.

Des Moines.—Information comes from Chariton that Frank R. Crocker, who committed suicide the night before the government took charge of his First National bank of that city, sunk between $1,000,000 and $1,500,000 in trying to bolster copper and Reading railroad stocks in which he had invested heavily.

It is said in Chariton that all of the Modern Woodman funds, amounting to $300,000; his own estate, amounting to $400,000; all of the cash in the bank on hand and in other banks, which amounted to perhaps $200,000, and considerable more went into the maelstrom of speculation.

It is estimated that the creditors of the Chariton bank will get between 40 and 60 per cent of their claims. A receiver will be named for the institution within a short time. H. D. Copeland of Chariton probably will be appointed.

ANOTHER INTERNATIONAL BALLOON RACE.

JOSEPH H. CHOATE CHOSEN

ELECTED PRESIDENT OF CIVIL SERVICE REFORM LEAGUE.

Resolutions Adopted Commending Roosevelt and Urging Congress to End Patronage Distrbution.

Buffalo, N. Y. — The annual meeting of the National Civil Service Reform league practically ended Friday afternoon. A brief informal session will be held Saturday, after which the delegates will visit Niagara Falls.

Joseph H. Choate was elected president and resolutions were adopted commending President Roosevelt for "determined and effective enforcement of civil service laws and rules," and expressing satisfaction that congress gives evidence of stronger support of the principles of the merit system.

The resolutions urge congress to take further steps to relieve its members entirely from the "unprofitable labor of distributing patronage," and urges the president and congress to provide for competitive classification of assistant postmasters, pension examining surgeons and fourth-class postmasters; also to provide that all other postmasters and all collectors of customs and internal revenue shall be appointed by promotion, thereby abolishing the present practice of appointing inexperienced persons.

The president is urged to "make such amendments to the civil service rules as will reduce to the minimum the practice of making special exceptions thereto." The policy of placing Indian agents in charge of an appointee classified under the competitive system is approved.

HITCHCOCK BACK ON STAGE.

He and Wife Weep When Audience Cheers Him.

New York. — Raymond Hitchcock, who gave himself up to the authorities Wednesday, reassumed his role at the Astor theater Wednesday night and was given a demonstrative welcome. The actor looked haggard and ill, and his voice was uncertain as he spoke his lines. Meantime, his wife, who plays opposite him, was in tears and with difficulty followed her cue.

At the end of the second act the comedian stepped to the front of the stage and in a tremulous voice said: "I want to thank you all for your applause and encouragement. I hope I shall always deserve it."

Upon Mrs. Hitchcock's second entrance the action called upon her to shake her husband's hand. As they stood there with hands clasped the cheers were deafening, and for a moment both performers seemed unable to continue. Then Miss Zabelle placed her unengaged hand on her husband's shoulder and kissed him. At this Hitchcock broke down completely and there were a good many wet eyes in the audience, too.

To Drop Their Quarrels.

Managua, Nicaragua. — Presidents Zelaya of Nicaragua, Davila of Honduras and Figueroa of Salvador were in conference Wednesday at Amapala for the purpose of consolidating peace in Central America. They agreed to forget past differences and declared that fraternal relations existed mutually and that previous treaties of friendship were in force.

New College Buildings Dedicated.

Kankakee, Ill.—The new buildings of St. Viateur's college, built to replace those destroyed by fire two years ago, were dedicated at Bourbonais Grove, a suburb of Kankakee.

GREAT FIRE IN SUPERIOR.

Flames on Docks Destroy Property Valued at $4,000,000.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 9.—Fire which originated in elevator "A" of the Great Northern railroad in Superior, containing 600,000 bushels of grain, spread quickly, and before it was got under control destroyed property valued at $4,000,000.

The elevator was owned by the Great Northern railroad but was leased to the A. D. Thomson Grain company of Duluth. The sparks soon ignited the Grand Republic mill on Tower Bay slip, the great Lakes Dredge & Rock company dock and the Duluth-Superior Storage company which contained the finishing plant of the Webster Chair company.

The fire started at the southwest corner of the elevator "A" dock and before it was noticed had communicated to the elevator. An alarm was turned in and four fire tugs responded, but owing to the intense heat they were driven out of the slip and devoted all their energies to saving the adjoining property. The steamers W. A. Parent and W. A. Rogers were in the elevator "A" slip loading wheat and the latter was to take out 300,000 bushels of wheat Saturday. The steamers Utica, Alva and Chili were on the opposite side of the slip at a merchandise dock and were pulled out by tugs to save them from destruction.

The following structures were destroyed: Two Great Northern elevators, Minkota flour mill and elevator, Freemall mill and elevator, Grand Republic mill and elevator, Commander mill and elevator, 20 dwellings, and several small warehouses lining the bay front.

GAVE HIS LIFE TO SAVE TOWN

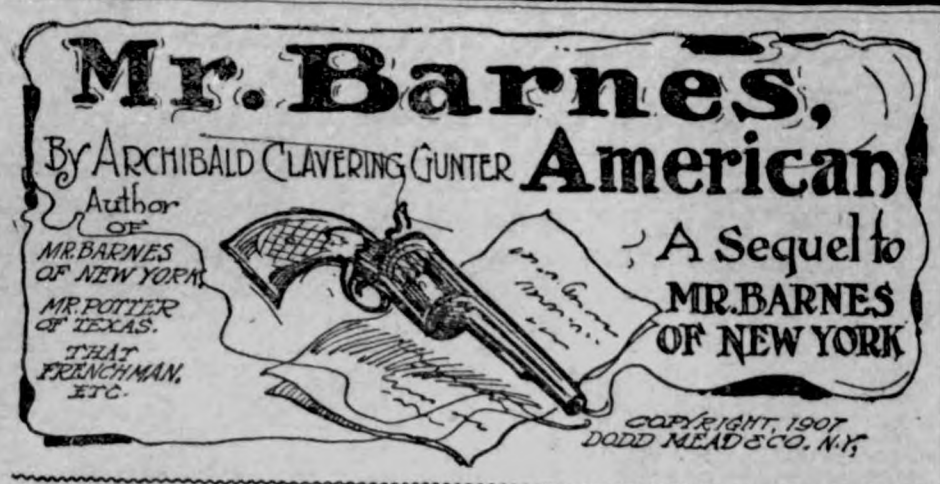
Heroism of Mexican Engineer in Explosion at Nacozari, Ariz.

Douglas, Ariz. — The death list as a result of the Nacozari explosion Thursday is now placed at 14 or 15, all Mexicans, beside John Chisholm, aged 13, who was riding on the train when the explosion occurred.

A train on the narrow gauge railroad to the Pilares mine in some way caught fire. In the train were two open cars heavily loaded with explosives, and the fact that the concentrator and a good part of the town of Nacozari were saved from ruin was due to the bravery of the Mexican engineer of the train, Jesus Garcia. Realizing that to cut out the burning cars and escape on the engine would expose the town to probable destruction, he called to the rest of the crew to jump and started to run the train away from the town. He had taken it about a half mile when the explosion occurred and he was blown to atoms. It is reported that another member of the crew stayed with him and was killed. The heavy death list is due to the fact that the explosion occurred just as the train was passing a section house in which were a number of section men.

Convicted for Suicide Pact.

Liberty, Mo.—The jury in the case of Jesse B. Webb, charged with the murder of Inez Walkup, with whom he had been living, brought in a verdict of manslaughter in the fourth degree Thursday, fixing the punishment at eight years in the penitentiary. The couple had entered into a suicide pact and Webb declared that the woman shot herself, while the state sought to prove that Webb shot her and then slightly wounded himself. The tragedy occurred in a hotel room in Liberty.



SYNOPSIS.

Burton H. Barnes, a wealthy American touring Corsica, rescues the young English lieutenant, Edward Gerard Anstruther, and his Corsican bride, Marina, daughter of the Paolis, from the murderous vendetta, understanding that his reward is to be the hand of the girl he loves, Enid Anstruther, sister of the English lieutenant. The four fly from Ajaccio to Marseilles on board the French steamer Constantine. The vendetta pursues and as the quartet are about to board the train for London at Marseilles, Marina is handed a mysterious note which causes her to collapse and necessitates a postponement of the journey. Barnes gets part of the mysterious note and receives letters which inform him that he is marked by the vendetta. He employs an American detective and plans to beat the vendetta at their own game. For the purpose of securing the safety of the women Barnes arranges to have Lady Chartris lease a secluded villa at Nice to which the party is to be taken in a yacht. Suspicion is created that Marina is in league with the Corsicans. A man, believed to be Corregio Danella, is seen passing the house and Marina is thought to have given him a sign. Marina refuses to explain to Barnes which fact adds to his latent suspicions. Barnes plans for the safety of the party are learned by the Corsicans. The carriage carrying their party to the local landing is followed by two men.

CHAPTER III (Continued).

"Confide in me!" The American's voice is commanding. "If you don't I am compelled to tell your husband of this letter. We can't let you tear yourself into nervous flinders and not know how to aid you." To this he adds, hoping by flippancy to lighten her heart: "Edwin will soon make those pretty lips speak."

"Never, though I adore him!" she cries hoarsely. "I cannot—I will not—it is so craftily, so fiendishly cruel, it strikes my husband and all our future happiness. It is worse than if they killed me as they will some day. They hope to slay not only our bodies, but to destroy even Edwin's love for me before I die."

Barnes thinks how his own immediate wedding to Enid Anstruther has been subtly thwarted by the letter he carries in his pocketbook which he guesses came from the same man. He now knows that his love for his affianced is being assaulted as well as the honeymoon happiness of these two just mated.

"For the sake of all of us you must speak," he commands.

The answer of the Corsican bride mystifies the American more than ever. She says nobly, yet doggedly: "For the sake of my husband, I am silent."

"Then you compel me to tell Edwin of the letter," he says shortly.

As Barnes speaks, the bridegroom enters, and woman's tact destroys his opportunity.

She throws herself enthusiastically but coquettishly into the arms opening for her and cries, half playfully, half tearily: "Edwin, in the railroad depot I received a note that produced my nervous agitation. Mr. Barnes thinks it wise I tell you its contents. I don't. Now, of course, if you say so, I must do as you tell me. I am an obedient wife." She puts her arms caressingly round Edwin's neck and whispers: "Shall I?" then gives him a tempting little kiss.

"Hang it, Barnes," answers Anstruther, under these allurements, "I have too much trust in my darling to want to read her letters."

"You're a very bright girl to have your husband so soon in subjugation," remarks Burton, gloomily. "But, Marina, in such a vital matter, I warn you to beware of playing your enemies' game."

"Pooh," answers Edwin, "what do you, a bachelor, know about women, anyway?" Then he jeers in sailor bluntness: "You and Enid didn't hant up a minister to-day. You are not so enterprising a fellow as I thought you, Barnes, for I am quite certain that I saw consent in my sister's red cheeks and drooping eyes."

At this, Marina utters a subdued yet ghastly sigh, which is destroyed by the kiss of her young husband, and the unfortunate Burton goes silently away.

By himself, reflecting upon his betrothed's manner to him that has been growing colder and more distant each minute since he has tacitly refused to immediately make himself lord of her trusting loveliness, he cogitates morosely: "Am I not playing our enemies' game also in not wedding Enid?"

But it is too late for a minister now. Their carriage is already at the door to take them away first for a little drive on the Prado to destroy suspicion, then when evening darkness falls upon the land, to the Corniche road, where the boat will be waiting to put them on shipboard.

Barnes carefully inspects his pistols again. Besides these, he has only a walking cane to take with him. As he picks his stick up, Miss Maud Chartris flies in to him, excitement and dismay on her face.

"What do you want—more marrons glaces?" he asks, savagely.

"Why, Marina and Enid say they are only going out for a drive on the Prado, and they have both got their hand-satchels with them."

"To keep their jewelry safe from bellboys," mutters Barnes. "Besides, those satchels have powder puffs in them, I imagine."

"Then—you're—you're not going away now?" This last very nervously.

"Does this look like it?" says Burton, tapping nonchalantly his boot with his cane. "Enquire at the office and see if I've paid my hotel bill."

This Emory by arrangement will settle later.

"Oh—then it's all right!" A great relief ripples the Chartris girl's face. She swishes her two blonde pigtails merrily about.

"Certainly, it's all right, Maudie. Au revoir, till breakfast," and Mr. Barnes goes away with Edwin to take the ladies down to the open barouche that is awaiting them. At the hotel entrance Edwin places both his bride and his sister in the carriage and seats himself in front of them, looking as carefully to the rear as if he expected a white squall. Barnes springs into the barouche, whispers some orders to the driver and they roll away.

Gazing on the carriage as it rolls away, Maud says contentedly to herself: "Cracky, I was scared Burton was going before I told it to him," then adds contentedly: "Gee, I'm as smart as a diplomatist," as she fishes a fourth piece of paper out of the bosom of her frock. "If I'd sold all that letter to Barnes at the first jump, I'd have been out of stock in trade." So Miss Chartris goes up to a bread and butter tea with her governess quite contentedly and munches marrons glaces surreptitiously over her lessons for the two succeeding hours. Then the carriage not returning with the driving party, the intrigante grows anxious. She sneaks down to the hotel office and whispers to the clerk: "Have they come back yet? You know, our friends—Mr. Barnes of New York and his party?"

"Not yet, Mademoiselle, though I believe their carriage has returned."

"Their carriage returned?" Maud darts nervously to her mother's parlor.

"Why are you rushing in upon me, you horrid child?" cries her mother, angry at being interrupted.

"Oh, ma, I thought you'd like to know. Miss Marston says I had such a good lesson in arithmetic."

"Very well, tell Miss Marston to give you another and a longer one."

"Yes, but it's too late now. It's ten o'clock and Mr. Barnes and Enid and the rest haven't come back. When do you expect them, ma?"

"I don't expect them."

"What?" Maud's eyes roll in a dazed way.

"They have gone away."

"Where?"

"To London, I imagine."

Maud flies from the room and alone in her own chamber sobs, groans and rends her hair, muttering: "Oh, I could have sold Barnes the other part of Marina's letter for lots, and now he's gone away and it ain't worth tuppence."

She is about to go despairingly to bed when curiosity mingling with her disappointment, she ejaculates: "I wonder what it is, anyway," and goes to studying the little quarter of a sheet of letter paper she has drawn from the bosom of her frock.

It is a mixture of French and Italian. She cannot entirely decipher the foreign handwriting; indeed, she can scarcely understand it.

But some passages in it produce such a terrible effect upon the child's nerves that after she has gone to bed she tosses about and sleep will not come to her. Suddenly her very pigtails seem to stiffen with terror; she rises half out of bed and mutters to herself: "Oh, what do they mean by killing her, if she does; and killing her husband, if she doesn't?"

Then Barnes and His Party Drive on Again.

CHAPTER IV.

"Suspect Everybody!"

As Barnes seats himself in the carriage, it dashes past the numerous magnificent cafes of the Rue Noailles and turns into the wide Rue de Rome, the horses keeping up a smart gait. They flit between the elms and plane trees with which this beautiful avenue is planted, and passing the Obelisk, enter the even broader Prado.

Under ordinary circumstances, the four would enjoy their carriage exercise greatly, but when sudden death hangs over one and every sense is strained to guard against the intangible, pleasure is necessarily far distant. In addition, the two written communications sent, Barnes now is satisfied, by Corregio Cipriano Danella, are doing some nasty yet very subtle work upon at least three of the members of the party.

Marina, though her beauty attracts the eyes of many who roll by her in carriages, appears to have but one thought, the safety of her husband.

Several times she glances apprehensively at the horsemen who canter after their carriage, keeping always at discreet distance.

Marina's nervousness quickens Barnes' searching eyes that now seem to be everywhere. If a beggar approaches and takes off his hat, demanding alms, he is watched as carefully as if he were a rattlesnake coiled to spring. If another carriage rolls too closely by them, every man in it is regarded by the American as if he were a road agent in disguise.

As they drive on Enid's eyes blaze like blue stars. Her manner is daintily ethereal, yet she laughs almost heartily as a lame and blind beggar who had stood demanding alms in front of their approaching equipage, suddenly opens his sightless eyes and springs aside agilely with his paralyzed legs to avoid being run down by their reckless coachman. Still, when the crowd of carriages near the Chauteau des Fleurs compels their coachman to draw rein, her eyes grow resolute to meet any unknown danger that may come upon them.

Perhaps this is produced by the two men on horseback attracting her attention.

"Who are they?" she whispers.

And Edwin adds: "I have been keeping a weather eye on those two devils."

Marina only gazes at them and shudders. Her slight hand clings to her husband's sleeve. Her agitation is so great Barnes is compelled to explain that Emory has engaged the men for their protection.

"You think our danger is so imminent as all this?" asks Anstruther.

"I think it wise to take every precaution." Barnes turns his eyes upon the men, but the gloom of approaching night has become so deep that their faces are now absolutely indistinguishable.

Then Barnes and his party drive on again and the American's eyes rest appealingly on his beautiful fiancee as she sits opposite to him, but hers do not answer the tenderness of his glance. In fact, they grow colder under his appeal. Her manner seems to say: "You had your golden opportunity, laggard. It will be a long time before you obtain another."

Meantime they are approaching the Mediterranean. The equipages grow less numerous upon the avenue which they had filled out half an hour ago.

"Do you think it is too early to put the girls on the yacht yet?" whispers Edwin.

"Yes, not dark enough," and Barnes directs the coachman to take the narrower drive called the Mazargues and go past the race course, reaching the Corniche road.

All the time the two horsemen jog on behind them at a discreet distance. The sea breeze freshens, the night deepens and they reach the Corniche road that skirts the sea. All other equipages have left it. Here Barnes changes their course and they return in the direction of the city towards the Roucas Blanc.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

AIR FAMINE AND ITS EFFECTS.

People Slow in Recognizing Importance of Pure Air.

As buildings are now constructed and overheated, many people have to spend at least a part of their waking hours in a fetid atmosphere, says a writer in The Delineator. But there is no excuse for sleeping in such an atmosphere. We spend one-third of our lives in sleep; we also breathe more deeply when asleep than when awake, and we should sleep in the open air, or as near to it as possible. Walk through a residence street at night and look at the bedroom windows; they are all tightly closed. Occasionally one is a stingy three or four inches down from the top. This is done by some advanced individual to let out the bad air. If all the bad air went out of that room there would be no air left. There should be no bad air in a bedroom. Every window and door of the bedroom should stand wide open every night in the year. The air should be the same inside as outside. While asleep the lungs should be connected with outside air just as they are when we walk the street. Sufficient covering should be used to keep the body warm at night just as we put on sufficient clothing to keep it warm when we go outside. Only the face is exposed under both conditions.

Hand Weaving by Cripples.

Consul Albert Halstead reports that a number of charitable people in Birmingham about five years ago started a small hand-loom factory to provide a useful and remunerative employment for crippled girls. Many of the delicate fabrics are artistically hand woven in silk, serge and flax, and the results are most attractive. The product of the factory, which is also a school in hand weaving, is acquiring a reputation for artistic merit and quality, and the enterprise is now paving its way. It seems to the consul as if this Birmingham charity should be of interest to people in the United States who desire to help in making cripples self-supporting and at the same time in procuring textiles of an attractive kind.

Depends on How He's Dressed.

In the blackest and coldest storms the soul of the brave man can be bright and warm.

GOLD FOR THE WEST

CHICAGO BANKS RECEIVE GOOD PORTION FROM EUROPE.

NERVOUSNESS DISAPPEARING

Gold Shipments for Last Week Amounted to $51,123,000—Rate Is Very High.

New York, Nov. 10.—The only disquieting tone on the stock exchange yesterday was the withholding of the published accounts of the bank clearing statement till after the closing of the stock market. This caused some nervousness, but later gave way to a firmer tone. The deficit for the week based upon a five day basis, because of a holiday, was not lower than had been expected all along.

Prominent financiers believe that the worst is over and that the disquieting features of the market during the past two weeks will disappear. The money stringency is giving way to more liberal cash receipts and in several western cities payments by banks are being made in cash on demand. There is no worry in Wall street as to the future.

The continuous raise of the European rate of discount does not effect the American market very materially and gold shipments for the week just closed are now $51,123,000.

Chicago bankers are on the ground to secure a good portion of this and the demand in the west for gold is steadily increasing. London is receiving its supply of American gold eagles from Paris and Berlin.

Additional currency is being added to the circulation daily and it is confiently expected that before another two weeks the panic will be as good as forgotten.

NOT EQUALED SINCE 1873.

London's 7 Per Cent Rate New Thing for This Generation.

New York, Nov. 10.—The advance in the Bank of England rate to 7 per cent carried the rate higher than it had been at any time since the fall of 1873. In October of that year, owing to disturbances here and on the continent, the Bank of England put its rate to 7 per cent and some weeks later again advanced it, the maximum rate reached that year being 9 per cent. There was a rapid decline from this high point, however, and by the beginning of 1874 the rate was again down to a normal rate—4½ per cent.

The 9 per cent of 1873 was not the highest rate ever fixed by the Bank of England. Seven years earlier, in 1866, a 10 per cent rate prevailed for several weeks.

The advance in the French bank rate makes less of a record than is established by the English rate. The 4 per cent rate fixed by the Bank of France on Friday was last in force in 1899 during the Boer war. This is the second time the Bank of France has put up its rate this year, having previously advanced it from 3 per cent to 3½ per cent.

The earlier advance this year was the first change in the French rate in about seven years, the rate having stood at 3 per cent from 1900 until last spring.

DULUTH HARD HIT BY FIRE.

$3,000,000 in Elevators and Mills Is Destroyed.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 10.—Fire which started in the Great Western elevator at Superior Wis., about 9 o'clock last night was finally gotten under control after having destroyed the elevator, three flour mills, forty homes and 700,000 bushels of grain. Two scows, a derrick and two tugs were also destroyed. The loss is estimated at $3,000,000.

One man who entered the plant of the Duluth-Superior Storage company to rescue a tool chest, was not seen again and it is feared he perished in the flames.

The total loss is figured at $2,268,000, including about $750,000 in wheat. The losses are:

Great Northern elevator A and power house, $1,250,000; Grand Republic mill, $150,000; Freeman mill and elevator and Minnesota mill and elevator, $500,000; Webster Manufacturing company, $100,000; Republic elevator and contents, $225,000; Great Lakes Dredge and Dock company, $25,000; Great Northern Merchandise docks, $10,000; Whitney Bros., marine contractors, $3,000; Superior Shipbuilding company, $500; small dwelling houses, $5,000.

All the concerns except Whitney Bros. had insurance covering a large portion of their losses.

CARUSO IS BARRED.

New York, Nov. 11.—The opinion prevails here that Caruso will not be permitted to enter the United States. He having been arrested and convicted on a criminal charge, the general opinion seems to be that the federal authorities can and probably will proceed against him. It is not believed that the plea that he is under contract to work in America will avail.

It is rumored that the tenor has interested the Italian government in his case, and has provided himself with official documents which will prevent his being detained or deported. It is known that Herr Conreid of the Metropolitan opera house will do all in his power to keep the services of the great singer, notwithstanding the monkey-house incident.

Special Cut Price Sale.

Our beautiful dress hats at great cut prices. Street hats at low prices. Childrens headwear at reduced prices. Childrens hoods a regular assortment selling from 15c to $1 45. Childrens caps at cut prices from 15c and up. A fine line of new sofa pillows, laundry bags, stamped goods, silks and velvets at reduced prices. Velvets 90c for 75c. Silks, ribbons, corsets at cut prices. Tapestry paints and materials

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Ell Center.

Fred Wacker has been hauling tile from Klemme.

Cora Lawhorn spent Saturday night at Hod Lawhorn's.

A daughter arrived at the Jacob Bock home last week.

Mrs. Hod Lawhorn called on Mrs. Joe Lawhorn last Thursday.

There was a dancing party at the home of Mrs. Baack last Friday evening.

Mrs. Haskin of Klemme, visited a few days last week with Mrs. Charley Lawhorn.

Charley Cramer the mason of Garner, was doing some work for Charley Lawhorn last week.

Weak Kidneys

Weak Kidneys, surely point to weak kidney Nerves. The Kidneys, like the Heart, and the Stomach, find their weakness, not in the organ itself, but in the nerves that control and guide and strengthen them. Dr. Shoop's Restorative is a medicine specifically prepared to reach these controlling nerves. To doctor the Kidneys alone, is futile. It is a waste of time, and of money as well.

If your back aches or is weak, if the urine scalds, or is dark and strong, if you have symptoms of Brights or other distressing or dangerous kidney disease, try Dr. Shoop's Restorative a month—Tablets or Liquid—and see what it can and will do for you. Druggist recommend and sell

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

"ALL DEALERS"

German M. E. Church Items

Hugo Neef spent Saturday and Sunday at home with his grandma returning Monday morning.

The Germantown Standard Bearers will hold a special meeting in the church Friday evening.

A "Win one Society," has been inaugerated to do personal work and we trust much good will result from the same.

A series of gospel meetings will begin at the Germantown church Sunday evening and continue at least two weeks.

F. C. Griewe was home Sunday and Monday to refresh the acquaintance with his home and family. He is now canvassing in Kossuth Co.

F. W. Georg of Wisconsin, surprised his parents father and mother Georg and his sister Mrs. L. Sampson this week by droping in on them after an absence of 18 years.

We are glad to have T. Blank home again after an absence of several months as foreman of a working crew near Armstrong. There is, "no place like home," when winter sets in.

Have you noticed the reports in the various papers lately of the remarkable improvements in the south and east in favor of temperance and prohibition and how the liquor dealers are alarmed?

Chas. Schuldt, one of the pioneer settlers of German township, died Wednesday morning at his bome in Garner. The funeral services will be held in Garner Friday afternoon and interment in the Germantown cemetery.

Clara and Anna Griewe returned Saturday evening from their Dakota trip. They report a nice visit with Miss Schuermeyer and were quite favorably impressed with the country but they prefer old Iowa.

Mr. Carter of Freeport, Ill. visited with his step daughter, Mrs. Ludeke a few weeks. He departed Tuesday evening for Reinbeck where he will spend a week before returning to his home Mary Luedeke accompanied him to Reinbeck where she will visit a week before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hartwick of Giard, Iowa were summoned to the bed side of the latter's brother Fred Arnold last Friday who was very low at that time. Tho' he has recuperated a little since then and his pains have left him, he is still in a precarious condition and the out look for his recovery are very slim.

The Klemme League spent a pleasant evening at the home of E. H. Lenz in a social gathering Tuesday. The Ludeke boys were kind enough to convey a whole hay bed full of town peopie out and back. A short musical program was carried out after which each one was called on to tell a story. All sorts of stories followed, humerous, pathetic, witty serious, short and long. Paul Griesemer received the prize as the best story teller. Minnie Lenz was awarded the prize for the best collection of pictures. A very good lunch was served by our committee and after a closing song all wended their way home in due season.

THE YOUNG FOLKS

Will have many a **"GOOD TIME"** this winter.

Parties, sociables, weddings, receptions, singing school and school exhibitions; not to mention Thanksgiving day, Christmas and New Years.

There will be

Something Doing Every Night.

Each young man will want

A LOOSCARF LI ON COLLAR

These are the best 4 ply collars and are the latest in cut and style.

A NEW NECKTIE

We have just received a big bunch of ties especially for Thanksgiving day.

A "Reefer muffler"
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Then you will be ready for the Frolic.

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HELLO! That's business. Car load of poultry wanted every week. A good many ask us do you buy poulty? Why ofcourse we do and at top market price. We also sell farm machinery and standard stock food which we guarantee. Try our Queen City High-lift plows. Furs and hides wanted

In the District Court of Iowa in and for Hancock County.

In the matter of the Application of John L. Harr, a Registered Pharmacist, for permit to buy, keep and sell intoxicating liquors. } December Term 1907. Notice.

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the application of the undersigned, John L. Harr, a registered pharmacist, No. 4143, doing business under the name of J. L. Harr & Company in the town of Klemme, County of Hancock and State of Iowa, praying for permission to buy, keep and sell intoxicating liquors for lawful purposes only in the building situated on Lots One and Two (1 and 2) Block Eleven (11) in the town of Klemme, Hancock County, Iowa, will be on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Hancock County, Iowa, on or before the 28th day of November, 1907, and that said matter will come on for hearing in said District Court at the December term thereof, to begun and held at the Court House at Garner, Hancock County, Iowa, on the 9th day of December, A. D., 1907.

Dated Nov. 11th, 1907.

JOHN L. HARR, Applicant.

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A RELIABLE REMEDY FOR CROUP.

Mrs S Rosinthal of Turner, Mich. says: We have used Chamberlain's cough medicine for ourselves and children for several years and like it very much. I think it is the only remedy for croup and can highly recommend it. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

Goodell and Vicinity.

Bachman's visited at Haupt's on Sunday.

Nellie Griggs started her school in Dist. No. 5 on Monday.

Tim Waddingham and Harry Behringer were Meservey visitors Sunday.

Frank Fishel of Iowa Fall, was visiting with W. L Sherwood and wife last week.

A SIGNIFICANT PRAYER.

May the Lord help you make Bucklen's arnica salve known to all, writes J G Jenkins of Chapel Hill, N C. It quickly took the pain out of a felon for me and cured it in a wonderfully short time. Best on earth for sores burns and wounds. 25c at J L Harr & Co. drug store.

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LOCAL NEWS

Read Wellemeyer's "Cat ad."

Do not forget State Savings Bank change of ad.

Glasses fitted and satisfaction guaranteed at J L Harr & Co.

Mrs. C. C. Suckow and Miss Emelia Lenz were at Garner last week Saturday.

Chapped hands are quickly cured by applyin Chamberlain's salve. Price 25c. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

Mrs. C. Nissen returned from Dows last week Friday where she has been visiting with her son Joe and family

C. H. Wiegmann marketed eight hogs to Aug. Lau & Son Saturday which weighed 4260 pounds and brought him $187.44. That is going some.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the peope without a penny cost the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists every where as Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Sold by All Dealers.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

Mrs. Geo. Schaefer, Garner.
H. Griewe, Klemme
H. Ihde, Klemme

It is deliciously palatable, agrees with the weakest stomach, contains the most soothing, healing, strengthing and curative elements. Makes you well and happy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. L. Harr & Co.

NOTICE—All those knowing themselves to be indebted to the undersigned are requested to settle up at once, either by cash or bankable notes.

H. L. Schuldt.

The postmaster of Gasconade, Mo Daniel A. Rugh says of DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills, I am doing so well and improving so fast in health I cannot say too much for your Kidney and bladder pils. I feel like a new man. DeWitt's kidney and bladder pils are sold by J L Harr & Co.

H. Freie and daughters Lillie and Lydia drove to Web-ter City last week Saturday where they will visit with J. Braund and family.

I ain't feeling well to day,
Something wrong I must say;
Come to think of it, that's right
I forgot my Rocky Mountain Tea last night. J. L. Harr & Co.

Dr. Zinn was at Garner on Tuesday.

It is up to you to read that ad of State Savings Bank.

FOUND—A summer lap robe, enquire at Times office.

J. L. Harr made a business trip to Britt on Wednesday

Miss Redding of Mason City, visited among friends here last week Saturday.

We can fit that sewing machine of yours with needles and shuttles at Schuler's. tf

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve penetrates the pores thoroughly cleanses and is healing and soothing. Good for piles. Sold by J L Harr & Co

G. Yahnke left for Bufialo Center on Tuesday for a visit with his sons Fred and Albert.

When the baby is cross and has you worried and worn out you will find that a little Cascas Weet the well known remedy for babies and children will quiet the little one in a short time. The ingredients are printed on the bottle. Contains no opiates. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

PAY UP.—Those owing me on account for machinery and twine are requested to pay up at once.

H. Lau & Son.

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some little candy cold tabets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing preventics for they are not only safe but decidedy certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the sneeze stage preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis, lagrippe etc. Hence the name Preventics. Good for fevarish children. 48 preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5c. Sold by All Dealers.

Fred H. Haupt who has been in the northern part of Minn. returned home last week Saturday.

There is nothing better for stomach troubles than Kodol which contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Kodol is offered on a guarantee plan for the relief of heart burn, flatulence, sour stomach belching of gass nausea and all stomach troubles. So at times when you don't feel just right when you are drowsy after meals and your head aches or when you have no ambition and you are cross and irritable take a little Kodol. It digests what you eat. It will make you healthy. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The passenger going north due here at 1:50 p. m. changed time Sunday and is now due at 1:45. See time card.

A tickling cough from any cause is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's cough cure and it is so thoroughly harmless and safe that Dr, Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to very youg babes. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub, furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's cough cure. It calms the cough and heals the sore sensative bronchial membranes. No opium no no chloroform nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract that helps to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the doctor uses 'The Sacred Herb'. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Take no other. All Dealers.

A new lot of picture molding just received at Schuler's. Bring in those pictures you have stored away and have them framed. tf

You can't be well if you have weak unhealthy tired out stomach. Neither can you feel good if by some little irregularity in eating you have caused the stomach to get out of order. These little stomach troubles are signs of indigestion which many and very often does turn into a very often does turn into a very bad case of dyspepsia. Don't allow this to go on a single day without doing something to overcome it. Take some good reliable and safe digestant as Kodol. for Dyspepsia. Kodol is the the best remedy known today for heart burn, belching and troubles arising from a diordered digestion. It is pleasant to take and affords relief prompt. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Read it—State Savings Bank ad.

Watches and jewelry at J. L. Harr & Co. All goods warranted. tf

All glass set free of charge if brought to the store of G. F. Schuler. tf

R. Friedman of Goodell, transacted business in Klemme Saturday of last week.

LINGERING COLD.

Withstood other treatment but quick ly cured by Chamberlain's cough remedy.

Last winter I caught a severe cold which lingered for weeks, says J Urquhart of Zephyr, Ontario. My cough was very dry and harsh. The local dealer recommended Chamberlain's cough remedy and guaranteed it so I gave it a trial. One small bottle of it cured me. I believe Chamberlain's cough remedy fo be the best I have ever used. This remedy is for sale by J L Harr & Co.

For Sale.

A few registered Short-horn bull from ten to sixteen months old. Four miles east of Garner.

12-8 Hall Bros.

BILLIOUSNESS AMD CONSTIPATION.

For years I war troubled with biliousness and constipation which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once and strengthen the digestive functions helping the system to do its work natually—Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by J L Harr & Co.

School Notes.

John Weiland started to school on Monday.

Clarence Larsen was absent all of last week.

Six were absent from Miss Lenz's room last Friday.

Twenty-seven scholars are enrolled in Miss Smith's room.

Preparations are being made for a Thanksgiving Program.

Norma Muehlmeier is absent this week on account of toothache.

The Advanced room are learning memory gems for opening exercise.

Esther Lauden has been absent the last two weeks, cooking for the corn huskers.

The scholars of the Intermediate room have just finished learning the poem, "The frost is on the pumpkin."

Monday morning the scholars of the advanced room elected Helen Bloom to be their organist for the next two weeks.

Constipatiou, Indigestion, drive away appetite and make you weak and sick. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea restores the appetite, drives away disease, builds up the system. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. L. Harr & Co.

HE FOUGH AT GETTYSBURG.

David Parker of Fayette, N. Y. who lost a foot at Gettysburg writes: Electric Bitters have done me more good than any medicine I ever took. For seueral years I had stomach trouble and paid out much money for medi cine to little purpose until I began using Electric Bitters I would not take $500 for what they have done for me. Grand tonic for the aged and for female weaknesses. Great alterative and body builder, sure cure for lame back and weak kidneys. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. druggists. 50c.

A change of ad State Savings Bank.

W. R. Bloom shipped one car of hogs Sunday morning.

W R. Bloom and W. S. Glanville shipped one car of cattle to Chicago Sunday morning. They were a fine bunch.

When the stomach heart or kidney nerves get weak then these organs al ways fail. Don't drug the stomach nor stimuate the heart or kidneys. That is simply a makeshift. Get a prescription known to druggists every where as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The restorative is prepared for these weak inside nerves. Strenghten these, build them up with Dr. Shoop's restorative tablets or liquid and see how quickly help will come. Free sample test sent on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis Your health is surely worth this simple test. All Dealers.

MARRIED.

On Saturday evening, Nov. 9, Mr. L. O. Turgasen our popular station agent and Miss Sadie Kluckhohn of Klemme were united in marriage by Rev. A. Muehlmeier.

The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Kluckhohn at 5 o'clock p. m. and was witnessed by the members of the family. The groom and bride were attended by Mr. Frank Kluckhohn and Miss Clara Wiles After the important words were spoken all were invited to the dining room and certainly all did due justice to the excellent supper prepared by Mrs. Kluckhohn.

The happy couple left on the evening train for a short wedding trip to Dows, Iowa where they were the guests of our passenger crew and they certainly did themselves justice in showing them a good time.

Miss Kluckhohn is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kluckhohn and is one of Klemme's fair young ladies.

Mr. Turgasen is a young man of ability in his profession, having succeeded C. E. Manby our former agent and has been with us the past year and half.

The Times wishes to express congratulations, wishing them sunshine throughout their wedded life.

A HARD DEBT TO PAY.

I owe a debt of gratitude that can never be paid off, writes G S Clark of Westfield, Iowa, for my rescue from death by Dr. King,s new discovery. Both lungs were so seriously affected that death seemed imminent when I commenced taking New Discovery. The ominous dry hacking cough quit before the first bottle was used and 2 more bottles made a complete cure. Nothing has ever equaled new discovere for coughs, colds and throat and lung complaints. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. druggists. 50c and $1. Trial bottle free.

Avery Center.

Wm. Shaver had a dance Tuesday night.

Geo. Wellemeyer formerly of Klemme, was doing Goodell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd of Meservey, moved to the Old Town Friday.

John Lister of Illinois, spent Sunday with his sister Mrs. L. E. Avery.

T. A. Monaghen contracted business at Garner and Meservey last week.

Corn picking is in full blast this week but we do not hear the rattle of the golden ears against the bang board that the poets and editors tell about, it is more like throwing a pancake against a mud fence this year.

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HERE'S A NEW DEFINITION.

And Many There Are Will Say Senator Platt Was Right.

A rather cynical joke has been recently credited to Senator Platt.

The senator, on his last visit to the Manhattan Beach hotel, allowed a pretty little girl, a western millionaire's daughter, to be presented to him.

The little girl, in the course of one of her many chats with the aged statesman, said:

"Tell me, won't you, senator, what political economy is?"

"Political economy, my dear child," Senator Platt is said to have replied, "is the art of never buying more votes than you actually need."

BABY'S ECZEMA GREW WORSE.

Hospitals and Doctors Could Not Relieve Him—But Cuticura Remedies a Speedy, Permanent Cure.

"Eczema appeared when our baby was three months old. We applied to several doctors and hospitals, each of which gave us something different every time, but nothing brought relief At last, one of our friends recommended to us Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. A few days afterwards improvement could be noted. Since then we have used nothing but Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, and now the baby is six months old and is quite cured. All that we used was one cake of Cuticura Soap and two boxes Cuticura Ointment, costing in all $1.25. C. F. Kara, 343 East 65th Street, New York, March 30, 1906."

Martins' Revenge.

A correspondent tells the story of two house martins' nests built against an attic window of a farm, to which the birds came for several successive years. Last spring, however, before they arrived, a sparrow took up her abode in one of the nests.

Shortly after the martins returned as usual, and one day the farm people noticed that the hole of the nest which the sparrow occupied had been blocked up. Next morning a boy climbed up to ascertain the meaning of this, and not finding any outlet broke away part of the nest, to find the poor little sparrow dead on her eggs.

The house martins had walled her up for daring to take possession of their house.—Country Life.

Shy One Fare.

Inspector Johnson, of the Columbus Railway company, tells the following story of one of his new conductors:

The inspector had boarded a car on one of the East Side lines and glancing at the register, noticed that there were nine passengers on and only eight fares. He touched the conductor on the shoulder, a green man from the country, and said:

"You are shy one fare. There are nine people on the car and only eight fares collected."

"By gosh," said the conductor, "that's right," and hastily grabbing the bell cord, he stopped the car and yelling at the passengers ordered one of them to "git off."—Columbus Despatch.

PLEASANT SUMMER.

Right Food the Cause.

A Wis. woman says:

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BIG KENTUCKY FLOP

BLUE GRASS STATE GOES REPUBLICAN, CHOOSING WILLSON AS GOVERNOR.

JOHNSON IS REELECTED

Defeats Congressman Burton for Mayor of Cleveland—Hearst Party Is Soundly Whipped by Tammany in New York.

Washington.—Six states elected governors Tuesday and eighteen cities mayors. Even for an "off-year" the election was unusually devoid of features, but Kentucky furnished a sensation by swinging into the republican column by pluralities of the state candidates ranging from 5,000 to 10,000. The republicans also carried the city of Louisville by 3,500 majority for their mayoralty candidate. Results of the governorship elections were as follows:

Kentucky—A. E. Willson, republican; estimated plurality 14,000.

Massachusetts—Curtis Guild, Jr., republican; plurality, 104,357.

Maryland—Austin L. Crothers, democrat; plurality, 4,341.

Rhode Island—J. H. Higgins, democrat; plurality 2,307 with all but one district in the state heard from.

New Jersey—J Franklin Fort, republican; estimated plurality 7,000.

Mississippi—E F. Noel, democrat. The democrats had no opposition, the election being a mere formality.

Besides the election for governor a state treasurer was chosen in Pennsylvania. John O. Sheatz, republican,

Mayor Tom L. Johnson.

being elected by 142,000 majority over his democratic opponent.

Results of the mayoralty elections were as follows:

San Francisco, Cal.—E. R. Taylor, Dem. and Good Government league.

Cleveland, O.—Tom L. Johnson, Dem.

Cincinnati, O.—L. Markbreit, Rep.

Louisville, Ky.—J. F. Grinstead—Rep.

Toledo, O.—Brand Whitlock, Ind.

Salt Lake City, Utah—John S. Bransford, antimormon.

Tammany Again Tastes Gore.

New York. — The election in Greater New York has been largely favorable to the democrats. New York county (Manhattan and the Bronx) went overwhelmingly for Tammany, Thomas F. Foley for sheriff, the head of the ticket, having a plurality of 26,723 over M. F. Ihmsen, Independence league and republican, in a comparatively light vote. The fusion between the republicans and the Independence league was a failure, except in the cases of a few minor officials.

Tom Johnson's Plurality 9,313.

Cleveland, O. — Complete returns give Tom Johnson (Dem.), for mayor, 48,339; Theodore E. Burton (Rep.), 39,026. Johnson's plurality is 9,313. The entire Democratic ticket was elected with the exception of police clerk.

The city council will stand 25 Democrats to 7 Republicans.

Following the reelection of Mayor Johnson, the Cleveland Electric Railway company resumed selling tickets at the old rate of 11 for 50 cents. For a month prior to the election the company sold tickets at the rate of seven for 25 cents, upon which basis it asked a renewal of its franchise. Mayor Johnson was elected upon a straight three-cent platform.

Whitlock Wins in Toledo.

Toledo, O. — Mayor Brand Whitlock and the entire independent ticket was elected here by majorities running from 7,000 to 2,000. R. A. Bartley, Republican candidate for mayor, polled a good vote.

Pros Win in Illinois.

Springfield, Ill. — Prohibitionists are jubilant as a result of Tuesday's election in Illinois, 16 counties so far as known having put themselves on record for the exclusion of the licensed saloon. This was the first test of the new local-option law made in counties not under township organization, and the result was a distinct jolt to the liquor element. Seven counties went absolutely dry.

NOT HOLDING ON TO MONEY

NEW YORK BANKS TRYING TO SUPPLY THE COUNTRY.

Aiding West and South—Gold Imported from Europe Well Distributed.

New York.—The leading New York banks were exerting themselves actively Friday to meet the demands of their country correspondents and depositors for currency. They declare that the suggestions made from several western sources that they are not meeting legitimate demands for currency from the west are entirely unfounded and that they are, on the contrary, taking every practicable measure to aid the west and south.

One of these large banks, with several thousand correspondents, has depleted its reserve by about a quarter during the last few weeks to supply currency where it is most needed, and has made large shipments to banks in San Antonio, Galveston, Memphis, Mobile, Atlanta and other southern points. The country banks have been allowed to draw down their balances to a point which affords in many cases hardly more than enough to meet the drafts sold in the ordinary course of business. They have brought paper for rediscount to their New York correspondents in large amounts and the principal difficulty of the New York banks has come from the demand for currency to be shipped against the balance created by these rediscounts.

It is admitted that the cotton movement is seriously checked by the lack of small bills and silver to pay the small growers and by the inability of the southern banks to handle the immense volume of business accumulating at southern points. The grain shipments are in better shape, owing to the gold secured by the banks of Minneapolis for paying cash in New York on grain bills.

The stream of surplus gold pouring into New York has not been halted here to meet local demands, but is being allowed to flow through the financial arteries of the United States and relieve the needs of agriculture and other industries generally. Gold importers state that nearly all of the $21,000,000 which has already reached here will soon find its way to every quarter of the country.

SANTA FE FINED $330,000.

Road Found Guilty of Rebating Receives Its Punishment.

Los Angeles, Cal. — Judge Olin Wellborn in the United States district court Thursday fined the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe company $330,000 for rebating. The fine was what the court denominated "an intermediate penalty," the maximum which might have been assessed being $1,320,000 and the minimum $66,000.

The Santa Fe company was convicted on October 11 last by a jury in the federal court of granting rebates to the Grand Canyon Lime and Cement company of Arizona. It was found guilty of all the 66 counts charged in the indictment after but an hour's deliberation. The rebates which were given on shipments of lime and cement from Nelson, Arizona to Los Angeles, ranged in amounts from 35 cents to $15.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Following close upon the heavy fine imposed upon the Santa Fe Railroad company by Judge Wellborn in the federal district court United States District Attorney Lawler announced Friday that he would proceed aat the coming January term of court to prosecute the road upon the remaining indictment of ten counts charging rebating.

FORMER BANKER IS SENTENCED

F. J. Tygard of Butler, Mo., Given Five Years in Penitentiary.

Kansas City, Mo.—F. J. Tygard president of the Bates National bank of Butler, Mo., when it failed September 20, 1906, was sentenced Wednesday to five years in the penitentiary by Judge McPherson in the federal court. The conviction was on the charge of misapplying funds of the bank.

Mr. Tygard is past 70 years of age and is practically paralyzed. He pleaded guilty to the charges and was given the minimum sentence. Judge McPherson intimated that if application was made for pardon it might be favorably considered on account of the prisoner's age and condition.

EARTHQUAKE AT UNALASKA.

Submarine Disturbances Cause New McCullough Peak to Subside.

San Francisco.—Capt. Tilton of the whaler Herman, which arrived in port Friday morning from the Arctic, reports that a terrific earthquake occurred at Unalaska about a month ago and that McCullough peak, which was created by an earthquake nearly a year ago and extended over 3,400 feet above the sea, has dwindled to almost nothing as a result of submarine disturbances.

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Mrs. Anna Beebe, River and Monroe Sts., Anoka, Minn., says: "I had to sit in a chair day after day unable to move about on account of rheumatic pains in my back, hips and legs. I was short of breath and my heart would flutter after the least exertion. I had dizzy spells and bearing down pains and the kidney secretions were much disordered. I thought I would not live long, but since using Doan's Kidney Pills I am a different woman, can do my own work and have no fear of those troubles returning."

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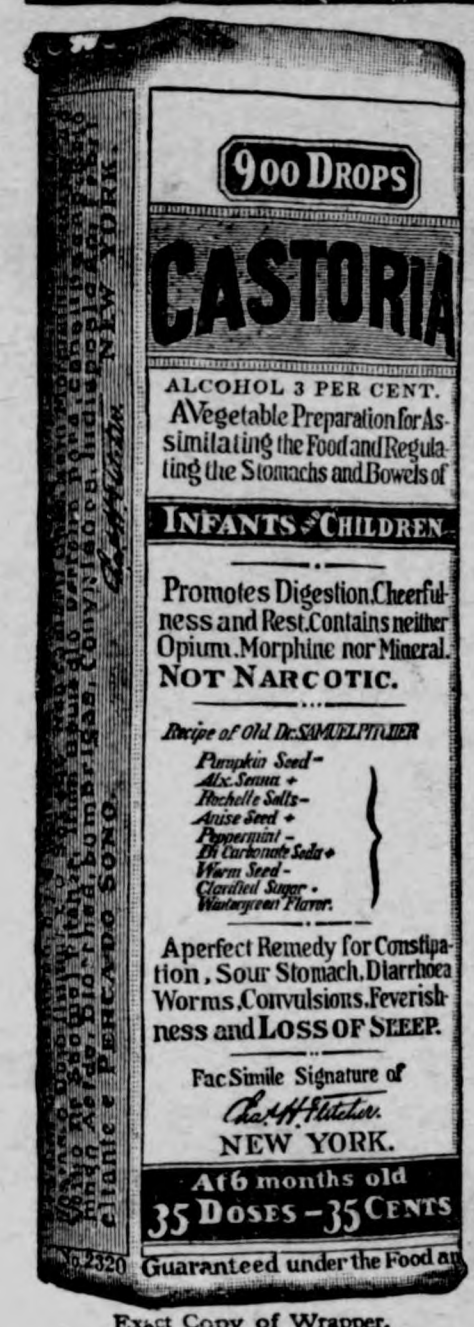
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There is no peanut candy better than that made by the Chinese. The sugar and water are not boiled to the "crack," but to the "ball" degree evidently. A slight flavor of lemon peel may be given. The peanuts are added and the soft mass turned into a receptacle which contains a deep layer of little white sesame seeds. More seeds are scattered over the top, and these adhere to the hot candy. When cool it is cut in squares or diamonds with a very sharp knife, for if a knife be dragged over it the candy would pull out of shape.

Peanut Candy.—A homemade peanut candy may be made from three pounds of sugar and a pound and a half of peanuts. Allow one pint of water for the sugar and boil it. As soon as it comes to a boil put in the peanuts and a large teaspoonful of pure cream of tartar. Have a very moderate fire and let it cook until when you lift the wooden spatula you use for candy-making the nuts and syrup will run off easily from it. Have a baking pan well oiled or buttered. When about cold invert the pan and let the sheet of candy fall upon the table. Turn it over and with a sharp knife cut it into strips, or if not so particular, just knock it smartly and break it into irregular pieces. Other nuts may be so used.

Pecan Pralines.—Pecan nuts should be made into pralines with brown sugar. Choose the best dark brown sugar and boil it with a little water until it spins a thread. Then put in the nuts and turn into rings, or drop in circles the size of a cooky on paper. If they do not come off easily, a little moistening of the paper on the reverse side will make them loosen.

If you have an old-fashioned grocer who has good molasses barrels, get the sugary deposit in them. Perhaps some baker may have this, but molasses in the good old way is not easily had since modern mills and trusts came into vogue and rapid methods have driven out old slow ways. People get syrup in cans and molasses does not play the part it once did. Sorghum will not answer for the old recipes in confectionery or ginger bread or steamed puddings.

Cocoanut, when shredded, or brazil nut sliced may be added to white sugar pralines. Boil the sugar and water until it will spin a thread and may be cooled and stirred until it will drop out a creamy mass, but not so stiff but that it will spread easily, and cool in firm cakes.

Sauce for Desserts.

A plain vanilla ice cream, a corn starch pudding, or a minute tapioca becomes a fancy dessert when served with chocolate custard sauce. Beat one egg with on-fourth cup sugar until well incorporated, add a pinch of salt and one cupful hot milk, beating constantly to prevent the egg cooking; melt one-fourth ounce chocolate and one-eighth cupful sugar with two tablespoonfuls hot water in basin of hot water until it becomes glossy; then add to the milk and eggs and cook in double boiler until custard coats the spoon; when cool add one-fourth teaspoonful ground cinnamon.

Improved Mush.

To improve the flavor and quality of grated or ground mush heat sifted meal on a shallow pan or two pans, if necessary, in a moderate oven till it is deliciously parched, yet not scorched brown or the least blackened. Then stir into boiling water sufficiently salted. This is less liable to be lumpy or pasty; also cooks sooner than raw meal.

Walnut Waffles.

One scant cup brown sugar, two eggs, one teaspoon baking powder four heaping tablespoons of flour three-fourths cup chopped walnuts Drop by teaspoon on buttered tin These are fine.

The Ninny.

There is a species called ninny. The individuals of this class have an answer for everything; they will tell lies sooner than hold their tongue.—Balzac.

Bride Cake.

One cup sugar, one-fourth cup butter, creamed together, one-half cup cold water, one and one-half cups flour, one-half teaspoon soda, one teaspoon cream tartar. Last add beaten whites of two eggs and one teaspoon vanilla. Beat all two minutes before baking.

To one pint of quince juice, made as for making jelly, add one pint of sugar; boil to a thick syrup, but not enough to jelly; strain and seal in bottles. Good with buckwheat cakes.

WHEN MONEY WAS SCARCE.

Practically Unobtainable During Period of Missouri's History.

"However scarce money may be at times at the present," said an old Missourian, "the oldest inhabitants will recall when it was almost unobtainable and other commodities had to be used as media of exchange. The wolf's scalp was worth a dollar because it was a state bounty upon the death of a wolf, and venison hams and deer skins also had a purchasing value. Skins of the fur bearers were likewise abundant and valuable. When the first sheriff of Audrain county, in 1837, went to Jefferson City to deliver the county revenue, he met an old friend on the way who, needing money, wanted to borrow the actual coin part of the county's revenue. The good-hearted sheriff lent it to him and went on to the capital and delivered only the scalps. By the time of the next settlement the loan was repaid and the sheriff made his next settlement complete. No note or other obligation than the mere word was given."—Columbia Herald.

TO PRETENDERS.

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Mary Knew.

Little Mary's father had been teaching her to walk properly. "Walk slowly and turn out your toes," he admonished her.

While she was undergoing this teaching she attended Sunday school one day. The golden text was, "Teach me to walk honestly." After reciting it several times, the teacher asked:

"Who knows what that means?"

"I do," replied little Mary. "Walk slowly and turn out your toes."

HOME REMEDY FOR A COLD.

A Good, Common Sense Treatment, Anybody Can Easily Apply.

The best time to doctor a cold is when you feel it coming on. Do not delay, as you can often cure it in one night if taken in time. Keep in mind that a cold summer retards the crop—a cold hen never lays—a cold house is uncomfortable and a cold climate breeds colds—so when you start to cure your cold *warm up.*

Bathe the feet in hot water—take hot drinks of lemonade or composition tea—take a good laxative quinine tablet and go to bed and sweat. The most important treatment in doctoring a cold or sore throat is a good application on the lungs to avoid any chance of pneumonia. People used to apply camphorated oil, goose grease, etc., but the finest thing for this purpose is Hoff's German Liniment. This is a camphor cream, strong and penetrating, yet perfectly clean and does not soil clothing or bedding. It is a simple household remedy, is sold everywhere for twenty-five cents. Be sure to rub it in well and if throat is sore use as a gargle. The above treatment is inexpensive—in fact costs a good deal less than a good tombstone—and a neglected cold often leads to an untimely grave.

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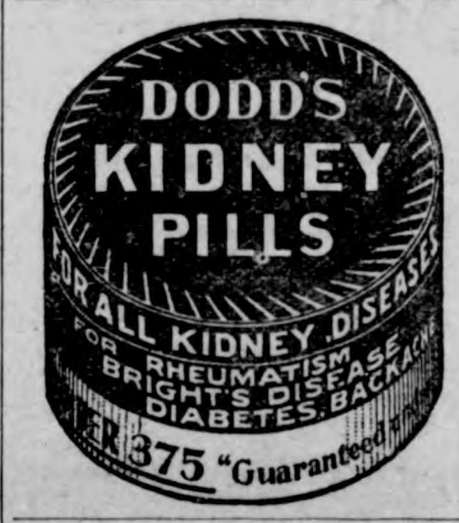

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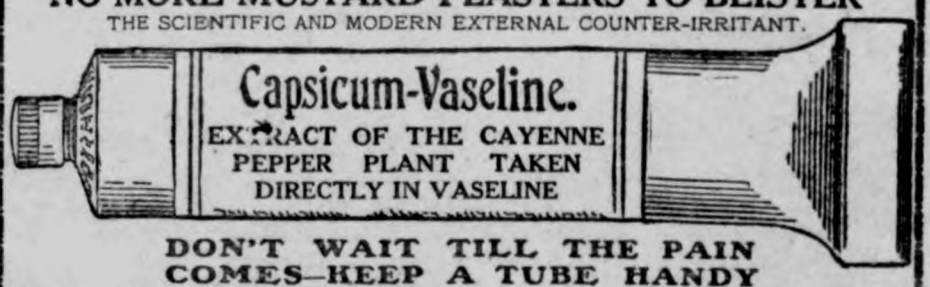

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In Barz's Addition to Klemme.

Block one 1, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4 in block two 2, block three 3, block four 4, block five 5, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, in block six 6, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6 seven 7, eight 8, in block 7, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, nine 9, ten 10, eleven 11, twelve 12, in block eight 8, block nine 9, block ten 10, block eleven 11, block twelve 12.

In Klemme's Addition to Klemme.

Lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4 five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, nine 9, ten 10, eveven 11, twelve 12, thirteen 13, fourteen 14 in block one 1, block two 2, block three 3, block four 4, block five 5, block six 6, block seven 7, south half of block eight 8, block nine 9, block ten 10, south half of block eleven 11, south half of block twelve 12, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7 in block thirteen 13, lots one 1 two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6 in in block fourteen 14, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8 in block fifteen 15, block sixteen 16, block seventeen 17, block nineteen 19, block twenty 20, block twenty-one 21, northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter (ne ne ne) of Section 31, 95, 23 and 1 acre in northeast quarter of the northeast quarter (ne ne) of Sec. 31, 95, 23; Out-lot No. 1, east half out-lot No. 2, west half out-lot No. 2, 1 acre in northwest corner out-lot No. 3, north half of the northeast quarter of out-lot No. 5, north half of northwest quarter of Out-lot No. 5, north half of the north half of Out-lot No. 7.

In the Original Town of Klemme.

Lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4 in block one 1, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, in block two 2, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, in block five 5, lots one 1, two three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, in block six 6, block nine 9, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, nine 9, ten 10, eleven 11, twelve 12, thirteen 13, fourteen 14, fifteen 15 in block ten 10, lots one 1, two 2, three 3, four 4, five 5, six 6, seven 7, eight 8, nine 9, ten 10, eleven 11, twelve 12, thirteen 13, fourteen 14, fifteen 15 in block eleven 11, lots one 1 two 2, three 3, four 4, six 6, seven 7 in block twelve 12.

In Gruetzmacher Bros. & Hanson's Sub-division of Out-lot Six 6 of H J Klemme's Addition to Klemme.

Lots one 1, two 2, three 3 in block one 1, lots one 1, two 2, six 6, seven 7, eight 8 in block four 4, lots seven 7, eight 8 in block five 5 all in Hancock county, Iowa.

You are hereby notified that there has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of Hancock county, Iowa, a petition asking the Board of Supervisors of said county to establish a part of the above described lands in a Drainage District and order the same drained in accordance with Chapter Two (2) Title X of the Code of Iowa and all laws amendatory or additional thereto on the grounds that the same are in part too wet for cultivation, subject to overflow and in the opinion of the petitioners the public health and convenience, utility and welfare will be promoted by the draining thereof, which said petition was accompanied by a bond as provided by said law which has been duly approved and filed; That the Board of Supervisors appointed an Engineer to make a preliminary survey thereof and the Engineer has filed his report showing the survey and recommending the establishment of all of the above described land in a drainage district and the draining thereof.

You are further notified that the said petition will come on for hearing on the 16th day of December, A. D., 1907 at an adjourned session of the Board of Supervisors to be holden at the Court House in Garner, Iowa, on said date.

You are further notified that all claims for damages or compensation must be filed in the office of the County Auditor not less than FIVE (5) days before the day set for said hearing and also that you may appear and resist the granting of the said petition if you see proper so to do and that, unless you do, the said lands will be drained as provided by the laws above referred to and you and each of you will be forever barred from objecting thereto or claimins damages or compensation on account thereof.

Witness my hand and official seal this 25th day of October, A. D., 1907.

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The Klemme Times.

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50 Head of Stock 50
Consisting of

4	Horses	4
18	Cattle	18
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German M. E. Church Items

The revival meetings started out Sunday evening with a large attendance.

Etna Suckow spent part of last week in Garner the guest of Mrs. Wm. Schaper.

Rev. W. H. Klaus will preach in Klemme Sunday morning. Come out to hear him.

The first quarterly meeting has been postponed two weeks. It will therefore be on Dec. 8.

The Klemme League will give a program in the church on Thanksgiving day in the evening.

The K. K. Society met Monday evening at the home of Henry Griewe and had a delightful time.

At a family gathering Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lau had their baby baptized naming it Leona Hilda.

With a few exceptions our people are through picking corn, but most of the cribs are empty. With such high prices for grain and so many to buy grain it will be a hard year for most of them.

Our Germantown church seems to have a strong attraction. So much so that our trustees are doing their best to keep some visitors out. These are of the striped kind that do not use best of perfume.

In the pastor's study you can find a lot of picture books such as the children expect for Christmas. These were bought at from 30 to 50 per cent. of their former price and you can get them at this price.

Quite a number of our people attended the funeral of Chas. Schuldt last Friday. Mrs. Schuldt has broken up her house hold and will make her home in the future with her nieces, Eliza and Estella Klaus of Colesburg.

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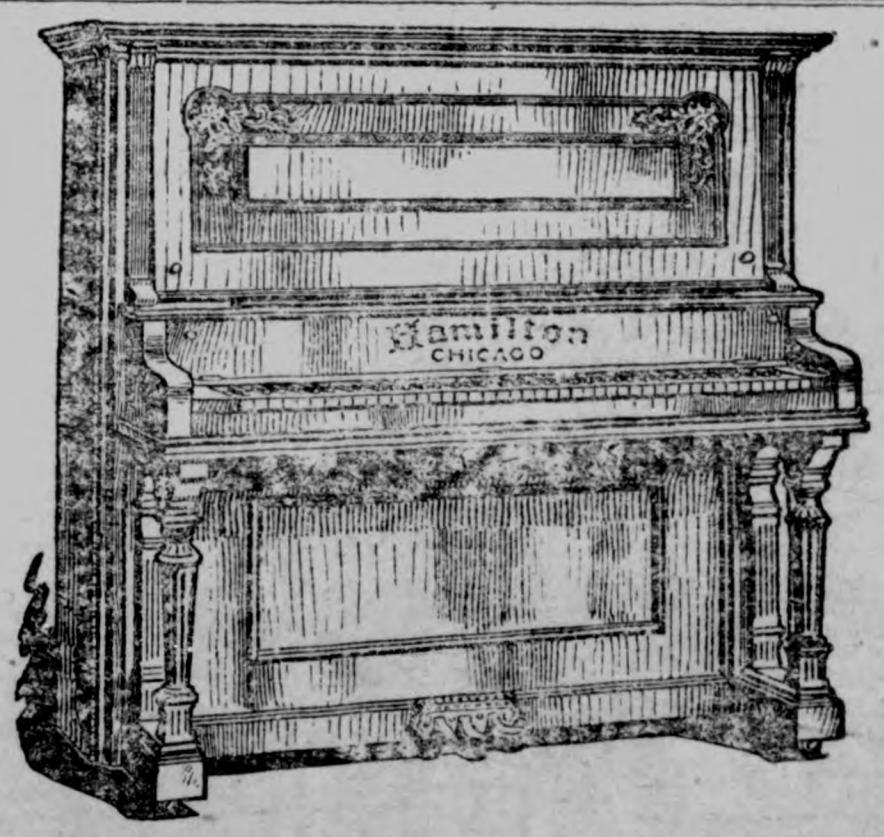

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Klemme, - - Iowa

CONFESSES HE WAS A SPY

ENSIGN ULMO, OF FRENCH NAVY, ADMITS GUILT IN COURT.

Anti-Semitic Paper Asserts Magistrate Has Proof of German Admiral's Complicity.

Paris.—Ensign Ulmo, who was arrested last month at Toulon charged with being a spy, confessed his guilt Thursday when confronted in court with the original of a telegram which he had filed at Toulon, addressed to an agent of a foreign power.

The dispatch had been written in a disguised hand and was not signed, but before handing it in to the clerk Ulmo absent-mindedly made a correction in his own handwriting and gave his own name to the clerk in compliance with the regulations requiring the name of a sender of a telegram.

Ulmo told the magistrate that the foreign power in question had refused his offers to sell information on the ground that the price he asked was too high.

The Libre Parole declares that the connection of Admiral Siegel, the German naval attache here, who has just been recalled, with Ensign Ulmo, has been established by documents which are now in the hands of M. Leydet, the examining magistrate, who is inquiring into the charges against Ulmo. The paper adds that their correspondence was carried on through Hebrew intermediaries, but that a personal meeting between Ulmo and Siegel occurred in Paris last August, and that Siegel's recall was due to the fact that he was compromised.

WALSH'S SIDE IS STATED.

Attorney Ritsher Makes Openin Speech for Accused Financier.

Chicago. — Assistant United States District Attorney Fletcher Dobyns completed his statement of the case of the government against John R. Walsh, on trial for alleged misapplication of funds of the defunct Chicago National bank, of which he was president, at noon Thursday. In the afternoon Attorney E. C. Ritsher of counsel for Walsh made his opening speech in defense of the financier.

In the course of his address Mr. Ritsher said it was probable that it would be charged by the prosecution that loans in excess of 10 per cent. of the capital stock had been made to certain companies. He said that this was a violation of the banking laws, but did not constitute a criminal offense. Nearly every bank violated the rules, he said, and violations were countenanced by the comptroller.

Here he was interrupted by Attorney Dobyns. Mr. Dobyns objected and was sustained by Judge Anderson, who said:

"I can't see why one violation of the law excuses another. Even if all of the banks violate this section that cannot be pleaded here."

SHIPYARDS TO BE CLOSED.

American Shipbuilding Company Begins Laying Off Its Men.

Cleveland, O.—At a meeting of the directors of the American Shipbuilding company here Thursday it was decided to retrench, in view of the uncertainty of the general financial condition, by shutting down practically all of its plants along the great lakes at once and deferring the usual dividend upon the common stock of the company.

At Lorain, where 1,800 men are employed, 1,000 were discharged, and Friday night most of the remaining 800 will be let go. At Bay City, Mich., 400 men were let out. The Detroit and Wyandotte yards will not be closed for the present. At South Chicago and at Superior, Wis., hundreds of men will be taken from the payroll.

INDIAN BATTLE TALE FALSE.

Denied by Superintendent Shelton, of Ship Rock Ute Agency.

Ute Agency, Ship Rock, N. M.—Superintendent Shelton, of the Ute Indian agency at this place, positively denies the report sent out from Durango Col., that another battle took place Tuesday between the disaffected Utes and the United States troops. The report had it that six Indians were killed by the soldiers. Superintendent Shelton further states that all of the disaffected Utes are now under arrest at Ship Rock.

Train Kills Father and Son.

Greencastle, Ind.—Harry Waters, aged 45, and his son Walter, aged 22, were struck by the fast mail train on the Vandalia Friday and instantly killed at the village of Almeda, two miles east of here.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

VAST FORGERIES EXPOSED.

Losses to Depositors in Chariton Bank Will Be Heavy.

Chariton.—Not only did the late cashier, F. R. Crocker, of the failed First National bank, abstract and speculate with its funds, but it has been disclosed that he made false entries in its books and perpetrated systematic forgeris to such an extent that it will be impossible for weeks to determne how much, if anything, the bank's depositors will receive. Moreover, the belief is growing that Crocker's alleged surety bond to the Modern Woodmen of America to protect $250,000 of its funds loaned to him, was a forgery in part at least.

The first report of the receiver of the defunct bank has not been made public in Chariton as yet, but it is in possession of the controller of the currency at Washington, who made known the above important facts in a letter to a depositors says it is impossible now to determine how much the depositors will receive but adds that the depositors will not be paid in full and that their loss will be very heavy.

For some days there have been rumors that the bond furnished to the Modern Woodmen of America to secure the $350,000 loaned to Crocker is of a doubtful character. Head Banker McNider of Mason City has the instrument in his possession, but he has thus far refused to make public the names of the signers. Some of the men who are accredited with signing the bond declare that their signatures are not genuine; still others declare that though they were on Crocker's bond during his term of head banker, they did not stand surety for his subsequent relationship with the Modern Woodmen. A few have seen the instrument in Head Banker McNider's possession, and they also cast doubt upon its character. In any event enough is known to justify the statement that there will be a fight in the courts if the Woodmen undertake to collect from the alleged guarantors.

Much interest is taken here in the news that Mrs. Mallory and the Thayers, the real backers and owners of the bank, are on their way home from their foreign trip. They are returning from the Mediterranean on the same steamer that took them there, and they arrive in Chariton late this month.

The Bank of Lacona at Lacona, which had $20,000 of its deposits in the First National bank here, is in the hands of a receiver. Willard Beem of this city having been placed in charge. Mr. Beem was until a year or so ago assistant cashier of the First National. This institution is expected to pay out.

In connection with the affairs of the Russell bank, which was owned by Crocker and Brandon, Mr. Brandon has declared that he will use his personal fortune to make good its losses. This bank has good resources of $56,000; its deposits amounted to $110,000, $60,000 of which had been loaned to the First National bank.

BANKER'S WIFE WAS HURT.

Mrs. E. C. Lane of Guthrie Center Meets Severe Accident.

Guthrie Center.—Mrs. E. C. Lane, wife of E. C. Lane president of the First National bank of this city, met with a serious accident while she and her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Mahan, were driving near the business part of the city. The horse became frightened and ran away, throwing Mrs. Lane out of the buggy. She struck on her head and was picked up unconscious. It was feared at first that she was fatally injured; an examination however showed no broken bones. The attending physician thinks she will recover. Mrs. Mahan remained in the buggy until the horse was stopped and escaped injury.

Vaccination Suspension.

Ames.—The college authorities are much worried over the smallpox situation here, there being eleven well developed cases among the students at the present time. Ten people are isolated in a pest house on the college farm, a few suspect cases are being watched, and one known case is under quarantine in the Second ward of Ames, which is two miles away from the college. This patient is also a college student. The faculty has taken determined steps to prevent an epidemic and after its meeting a proclamation was issued by President Storms declaring that all students and members of the faculty must be vaccinated or show evidence of recent successful vaccination.

Drank Acid By Mistake.

Cedar Falls.—Albert V. Wood, aged 28, died from drinking carbolic acid by mistake. He became unconscious immediately and died after an illness of two hours.

Shot His Big Toe Off.

Cascade.—Bernard Dowd, aged 12 years, shot off his big toe while "fooling" with an old shotgun.

DEMAND AN ACCOUNTING.

Action Begun to Compel Official to Explain Accounts.

Des Moines.—Coincident with issuance of a writ by Judge McHenry, ousting Mrs. Jennie Huegle from, and reinstating Z. C. Thornburg in, the office of county superintendent of schools, in compliance with a recent decision by the supreme court, to which the case was taken on appeal by Thornburg, preliminary steps were taken for an action against Thornburg and his bondsmen, demanding he be required to make an accounting for funds expended by him while an occupant of the office. The original notice, prepared by Attorney Warren Walker, is signed by E. V. Boudinot, as plaintiff, and charges Thornburg with misappropriation of approximately $2,000 and non-accounting for $418, for the latter of which an expert accountant was unable to discover vouchers on file.

The suit will be filed in equity that apportunity may be given the plaintiff to go into the details of sundry deals which he clearly regards as not strictly "on the level".

CEMENT PLANT IS ENLARGED.

Capacity of Mason City Institution is 5,000 Barrels Daily.

Mason City.—The surprise of the stockholders at the final meeting of the first annual session of the members of the Northwestern States Cement company was the report of the president, W. F. Cowham, that instead of a mill capable of turning out 2,500 barrels of cement in a day, the mill as it now stands will turn out 4,500 to 5,000 barrels.

The reason for this enlargement is the abundance of raw material here which is easy of access. Operation of the mill started on the 16th. The first train load of clay was brought in from the beds about two miles distance, the dryer started and the grinders. In a few weeks these ground materials will be mixed and burned and reground, which is then the commercial cement.

Defective Switch Cause of Wreck.

Des Moines.—Thomas H. Boylan, clerk of the state board of railroad commissioners, has returned from Ames, where he investigated the cause of the recent accident between a Northwestern train and an electric car, resulting in the injury of a number of people. He finds that the interlocking switch was out of order because it was being repaired. As a result the derailing device for the electric car did not work. Mr. Boylan refuses to express any opinion as to who he thinks was responsible for the accident. A large number of damage suits will grow out of the wreck.

Boy Drowns in Mill Race.

Nashua.—The 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chet Rowe was drowned in the millrace at Greenwood mills on the Little Cedar river. The boy had been with his father after the cattle and on his return home it is supposed he wandered to the millrace and fell in, going under the ice. The body was found there shortly after. All means of resuscitation were applied, but without avail. Mr. Rowe operates the mill and also runs a dairy. The boy was an only child, and their grief at his tragic death is unconsolable.

Sew Knee Cap With Wire.

Marshalltown.—Jose Hougnon, a prominent and well to do French farmer living near St. Anthony, submitted to a delicate operation, whereby his right knee cap, fractured in an accident, was wired together with silver wire. The surgeons claim that he will have full use of the leg as soon as a recovery is effected. Hougnon was thrown by a fractious colt, and fell in such a manner as to badly fracture the patella.

Magowan of S. U. I. Dead.

Iowa City.—Prof. C. S. Magowan, for twenty years with the engineering department of the State university of Iowa, died here on the 14th. He was in poor health for over a year. He was recently granted $1,500 temporary disability from the Carnegie fund. He returned from Colorado where he went in search of health, a few weeks ago.

Run Down By A Street Car.

Marshalltown.—J. R. Morris, a well known manufacturer of the city, secretary and general manager of the Marshalltown Drop Forge company, was run down by a Third street car and sustained a badly fractured right shoulder and other severe bruises. Morris, who is a little deaf, failed to hear the car.

Railroad Good to Widow.

Burlington.—Mrs. May E. Meyers, the widow of the late Wm. H. Meyers, the baggageman who was killed in the Rock Island wreck at Morris recently, has secured a settlement of $5,000 damages from the company.

HIS FIRST SAMPLES DISTRIBUTED.

LOUISVILLE WALKS AGAIN

SECOND STREET CAR STRIKE IN SEVEN MONTHS.

Partial Service Furnished Without Much Disorder—Hundreds of Strike-Breakers Arrive.

Louisville, Ky. — For the second time in seven months Louisville is suffering from a street car strike, the 850 union employes of the Louisville Railway company having walked out early Friday morning.

The first day of the strike, however, was not marked by anything approaching the disorder that attended the strike last April, and when the partial service furnished during the day was discontinued at nightfall only 20 arrests had been made, virtually all of them for "disorderly conduct," which charge covered mainly the throwing of an occasional brick or jeering at the nonunion men.

The company operates, on a normal basis, between 600 and 700 cars. It was announced by the officials that when service was suspended Friday evening they had 40 cars running. Only about a dozen cars were run during the morning, and only a few passengers were carried during the day. The service was suspended in order to give the police a rest, the entire force having been on duty for over 24 hours.

Five hundred strike-breakers arrived during the day from Chicago and Indianapolis, and 200 more were expected. Adding to these the 200 nonunion employes who did not go out, the company officials claim they have almost a full force and will give practically a normal service. The strikers claim to have won over a number of nonunion men during the day. All talk of mediation or conciliation has been abandoned and the affair is regarded as a finish fight by the public as well as by the strikers and company officials.

ILLINOIS PROPERTY VALUES.

Results of Work by State Board of Equalization.

Springfield, Ill. — The state board of equalization, which has been in session ten days after the limit allowed by law, adjourned Wednesday morning. The report of the railroad committee shows a total assessment of railroads in Illinois to be about $100,000,000, an increase of $5,000,000 over 1906. The assessment on capital stock of corporations in the state is $10,608,100, about $2,000,000 less than the assessed valuation for 1906. This is explained by the fact that the tangible stock of Chicago corporations has been assessed at a much higher valuation by the local assessors than last year.

In 1907 the total equalized value of personal property in Illinois is $246,819,650. The total equalized value of lands is $371,904,086. The total equalized value of lots is $499,898,662. The equalized value of personal property, lands and lots in 1907 is $1,138,622,398, compared to $1,015,653,662 in 1906.

Sabbath Breakers Indicted.

Kansas City, Mo.—The grand jury Tuesday night returned 149 additional indictments against persons charged with violating the state law which forbids labor on Sunday. The indictments are against 88 persons, 14 of whom are charged with selling intoxicants on Sunday. All the indicted persons will be arrested and compelled to give bond within 48 hours.

FRANTZ SULKS IN HIS TENT.

Oklahoma Governor Refuses to Help Install His Successor.

Guthrie, Okla.—Frank Frantz, governor of Oklahoma territory, would not participate in the ceremonies Saturday incident to the inauguration of Gov.-elect Charles N. Haskell and the Democratic state ticket.

His attitude became known when the executive committee in charge of the affair invited him to appear in the first carriage in the parade at the side of his successor. He refused emphatically. Urged to take some part in a feature of the inauguration, he insisted that he did not wish to be connected in any manner with the ceremonies.

The governor's attitude was the result of charges made during the recent campaign for state officers by Haskell. The territorial executive took particular exception to a speech delivered at Shawnee, in which the Democratic gubernatorial candidate made a personal attack on his rival.

AFTER A "GROCERS' TRUST."

Colorado Attorney General Attacks an Alleged Combine.

Denver, Col.—Attorney General William H. Dixon began an action under the common law in the Denver district court Thursday with a view to breaking up the so-called grocers' trust, operating in Colorado.

The Retail Merchants' Association of Colorado and its branches in 63 cities and towns of the state, the Denver Jobbers' association, the Denver Retail Grocers' association and about 20 jobbers are named as defendants and injunctions are sought to restrain them from arbitrating, from fixing prices and from refusing to sell supplies to retail grocers unless they charge the prices fixed by the alleged trust. The complaint alleges that the prices of foodstuffs have been maintained 20 per cent. higher than they would have been if there had been no trust.

HARRIS SUED FOR $20,000.

Ex-Treasurer of Pennsylvania Accused of Accepting Bribe.

Pittsburg, Pa.—The most surprising of the many sensations which have developed since the failure of the Enterprise National bank of Allegheny, in 1905, occurred Wednesday when Thomas Rinaker, receiver of the defunct institution, entered a suit in assumpsit in the United States district court against ex-State Treasurer of Pennsylvania Frank G. Harris, claiming $20,000 with interest from October 23, 1903.

This sum, it is charged, was paid Harris by Cashier Clark, of the bank, as a bribe for his part in permitting the promoters of the Pennsylvania Development company to use the funds of the Enterprise bank and the state.

Bryan Says He Will A

Lincoln, Neb. — Throug
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William Jennings Bryan
will not seek nor ask fo
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desire of the rank and
party that he should have
accept it cheerfully.

Toledo Woman Burned t

Toledo, O.—Mrs. George
aged 25, died at a hospital
day night of burns receiv
plosion at her home.

Mr. Barnes, American

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SYNOPSIS.

Burton H. Barnes, a wealthy American touring Corsica, rescues the young English lieutenant, Edward Gerard Anstruther, and his Corsican bride, Marina, daughter of the Paolis, from the murderous vendetta, understanding that his reward is to be the hand of the girl he loves, Enid Anstruther, sister of the English lieutenant. The four fly from Ajaccio to Marseilles on board the French steamer Constantine. The vendetta pursues and as the quartet are about to board the train for London at Marseilles, Marina is handed a mysterious note which causes her to collapse and necessitates a postponement of the journey. Barnes gets part of the mysterious note and receives letters which inform him that he is marked by the vendetta. He employs an American detective and plans to beat the vendetta at their own game. For the purpose of securing the safety of the women Barnes arranges to have Lady Chartris lease a secluded villa at Nice to which the party is to be taken in a yacht. Suspicion is created that Marina is in league with the Corsicans. A man, believed to be Corregio Danella, is seen passing the house and Marina is thought to have given him a sign. Marina refuses to explain to Barnes which fact adds to his latent suspicions. Barnes plans for the safety of the party are learned by the Corsicans. The carriage carrying their party to the local landing is followed by two men. One of the horseman is supposed to be Corregio. They try to murder the American. The cook on the yacht—a Frenchman—is suspected of complicity in the plot.

CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

"You can wager your grog money, Barnes, you'd be happier if you'd spliced before taking this cruise," observes Anstruther, sotto voce to his friend. "You'd have a bride with you, like me. Now, no danger of pirates boarding us, Marina and I can forget care for a few days in—in love."

"You may, I cannot," remarks Burton, grimly.

"Ah, Enid's a little offish, is she? Won't come up even and say good-night," grins the sailor. "Didn't like your not accepting what was offered you, eh? When you get a chance take it, my hearty, especially with girls. Now if you'd hunted up the minister, as I recommended to-day, you wouldn't have to stow yourself away on the cabin settee to-night."

This sea-dog suggestion is so disquieting that poor Burton paces the deck and sighs.

The boat has now returned, and as the men scramble on deck, Edwin demands: "Did you put your passenger on shore at Bandol?"

"Aye, aye, sir, but the loon went up the dock as cautious as if he feared land sharks."

This revives in Barnes' mind Emory's warning, "Suspect everybody!"

The vessel is soon under way again. He paces the deck smoking his cigar and thinking: "No one can board us in all probability unobserved. We are safe here with the Scotch crew and the Scotch mate." Suddenly the cigar drops from Barnes' fingers; with a start he mutters to himself: "By heaven, no Scotchman ever concocted that filet mignon and that creme d'asperge. There's one man on this boat I must keep my eye upon."

"Thinking of land sharks," laughs Anstruther, slapping him on the back.

"No," answers Barnes, shortly, "I was meditating on our French cook!"

CHAPTER V.

"For the Love of Heaven Don't Kill the Cook!"

To this rather astonishing announcement the young English naval officer says: "By Jove, the beggar did give us a good dinner."

"Too good!" remarks Barnes, gloomily.

"You wouldn't say that," replies Edwin, "if you had been knocking round the orient on wardroom commons for the last year. What do you mean by 'too good?' No cook is too good."

"And yet I'd feel easier," is Burton's comment, "if the fellow had given us lob-scouse, plum-duff, roast beef and dishes a plain Johnny Bull cook would have been apt to concoct. I don't propose to blindly trust anyone with foreign associations. They may be all right, and they may not. So I'm going to investigate this fellow."

"If you find anything suspicious about him," replies Anstruther, grimly, "I'll put him ashore if he can make salt horse taste like broiled chicken."

Acting on this, by a few deft questions to the members of the watch on [illegible] Barnes discovers that the nautical [illegible]ef's name is Felix Leboeuf. "It's as I twang it," remarks Gillie, who is standing at the wheel giving the information. "Coswhite, Mr. [illegible]on's regular cook, went along with him to the auld country, and this chap only come aboard to-day to take the place i' the galley."

"Oh, a new arrival?"

"Aye, sir, and the men dinna like 'er muckle. Thae loon puts garlic i' lob-scouse."

Mr. Barnes laughs slightly, strolls forward and takes a look into the cook's galley. The fires are out and the regular snoring that issues from it shows the Frenchman is asleep upon his cook chest. "I don't think I'll trouble him to-night," sleepily thinks the American, hesitating to disturb the rest of an artist who had given him such a dinner, "but to-morrow morning I'll have a chat with Monsieur of the dishpans."

The next morning the sun rises brightly on the Mediterranean; its waves are silver. The yacht's course during the night has placed the little pleasure craft well out upon the open sea, Corsica to the southeast of her.

Apparently, the night's rest has increased the ladies' vivacity and the certainty of no danger being near them has improved their spirits.

"Everybody hungry, I hope!" cries Barnes cheerfully, notwithstanding his greeting from his fiancee has been rather formal as they sit down to a delightful breakfast sent in by the artist of the galley and served by the Scotch steward.

Apparently the pleasant meal produces almost frivolity in Miss Anstruther; she cries enthusiastically:

"Suspect Everybody!" Lingers in His Mind.

"And coffee with the aroma of Mocha, and this omelette worthy of the Maison Dore! I feel as if I were in Paris. We have a great man in the galley, my brother."

"Yes, the fellow forward could put appetite into anyone," assents Barnes, assisting Edwin to do duty on the beefsteak.

"If we could arrange that we run about from one little harbor to another, I think the cruise could be made quite enjoyable," remarks Enid, struggling to be vivacious, but, catching an abrupt gleam of passion in her betrothed's face, her eyes that might even now have been his bride's eyes, grow suddenly haughty, though the young lady's fair lips emit some hidden sighs as she attempts the remainder of her breakfast.

Some little time after, chancing to glance up from his work with his knife, the sailor husband stays his eating as he places honeymoon eyes upon his bride. For Marina is asking nervously: "Any signs of pursuit during the night?"

"Pursuit?" sneers the tar. "Do you think our friend Cipriano Danella has a couple of revenue cutters in commission to run us down? The Seagull is quick enough to show her heels to most sailing craft. Besides, how can he tell what course we've taken? On the water we are safe. When we land the climax of this affair begins." Then the sailor suddenly exclaims: "My heavens, what's the matter, dear one?" for at her husband's last suggestion, Marina, though she utters no word, has grown of a sickly pallor.

"Nothing," stammers the bride, hiding her face from his glance by picking up her table implements, "only I am not a very good sailor, therefore this delightful cuisine has no charm for me."

As the young Corsican lady rises from the table the English girl gets up also; she seems to be anxious to end her contiguity to a betrothed whose reproachful glances at her cold and rather haughty face have grown embarrassing.

"Would that I dared to take Marina over the surges of the Atlantic to England," mutters the young husband moodily, as Enid and his spouse disappear into their staterooms.

About this time the mate, Mr. Graham, puts his head down the companionway and announces that Frenchy the cook, is jabbering for something that none of them can make out—some folderol or other for his work.

This gives Barnes the opportunity that he wishes of examining the only foreigner on board. He steps up the companion ladder and strolls forward. Monsieur Leboeuf, a dapper little Frenchman in immaculate white apron and cook's cap, his moustache bristling ferociously and his black eyes blazing, is savagely smoking a cigar outside his galley. Barnes offers him a cigarette and thanks him for the two delightful meals he has furnished them.

"Ah, you speak a little French," cries the little Gaul. "C'est magnifique! Not a man understands ven I demand ze implements of my art."

"But you have been on English yachts before?" remarks the American, diplomatically.

"Mais, oui, vith my Lord Edgarton and vith Monsieur Ogilvie ze Scotch. They had ze big steamboats. Their stewards spoke ze language of la belle France. But on zis leetle vessel no one understands ven from zem I demand ze proper implements of my profession, so at once I must be put on shore to buy une couloire. If it is not to me, I cannot steam the pouding a l'Angais, my masterpiece."

Mr. Barnes discovers that Leboeuf wishes a colander.

"All right, you want some holes in a tin pan." The pistol shot steps into the galley. "Will this one do?"

A moment after he has climbed out and hung it on the end of the main boom which runs well out over the stern of the schooner. Producing his revolver and standing amidship, the American calls out to the ladies below not to be frightened at the reports as he is going in for pistol practice. Then he makes the tin pan his target and very shortly the Frenchman is screaming in astonishment: "Diable, an artist vith ze shoot! Sacre bleu, my initials, F. L. in round holes all in ze bottom."

"Might as well keep my hand in," thinks Mr. Barnes, and forthwith gives an exhibition of marksmanship that causes the crew to cheer. He smashes bottles flung helter skelter in the air by the Jack-tars and puts bullets through potatoes tossed on high. Finally he tacks a playing card on the tip of the bowsprit and shoots the spots out of it.

"This will be a warning to this dishpan artist, who is the only man of the crew of whom I feel a doubt, not to make me shoot at him," cogitates the marksman, grimly.

But his exploits with the pistol seem to enthuse the Frenchman, rather than dismay him. In his excited Latin way, Leboeuf shouts louder than anyone on deck and fairly screams with Gallic enthusiasm as Barnes winds up by placing a card on edge and splitting it with his unerring bullet.

Later on Monsieur Leboeuf sets Mr. Barnes to thinking again. He makes his appearance and demands determinedly that the yacht anchor off some landing where they can obtain fresh ice.

"Nonsense!" dissents the American. "Emory told me enough was put on board yesterday to last for several days."

"Then Monsieur has been robbed by ze ice-man," answers the Frenchman. "If Monsieur vil observe," he leads the way to his galley, which connects with the vessel's ice-chest. Opening this, he remarks: "Ze cold storage, it has all run out. Ver is it? Gone! Voila, not enough for ices ce soir; not enough to frappe ze champagne; not enough to preserve ze legumes and ze beurre."

Barnes discovers that what Leboeuf tells him is correct. During this hot weather ice is absolutely an essential. After a short consultation with Edwin, Anstruther grumblingly sets the Seagull's course for the French coast.

Three hours before sunset they anchor in the little harbor of St. Tropez. Looking at the retired old French seaport, Edwin remarks: "I don't think there's much danger of these Corsican assassins discovering us in this out-of-the-way place for a few hours," and sends the dingy on shore carrying Monsieur Leboeuf and directing him to make the necessary purchases and bring them off at once.

"We'll keep the ladies safe on board, and no shore boats shall come alongside," says the skipper.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Filling the Plate.

A negro preacher whose supply of food was running low decided to take radical steps to impress upon his flock the necessity for contributing liberally to the church exchequer. Accordingly, at the close of the sermon, he made an impressive pause, and then proceeded as follows: "I hab found it necessary, on account ob de stringency ob de hard times, an' de gineral deficiency ob de circulatin' mejum in connection wid dis chu'ch, t' interduce me new ottermatic c'lection box. It is so arranged dat a half dollah or a quahtah falls on a red plush cushion widout noise; a nickel will ding a small bell distinctly heard by de congregation, an' a suspendah button, my fellow mawtels, will fiah off a pistol; so you will gov'n yo'selves accordingly. Let de c'lection now p'oceed, w'ile I takes off me hat an' gibs out a hymn."

Gigantic Potatoes.

Big potatoes which weigh as much as a man are not often seen. A small consignment of them, however, has just been sent off from the West Indies. There were just six potatoes, and each was large enough to feed a big family. Yam is the popular name applied to this variety of giant sweet potato. The tubers usually attain a length of three feet and an average weight of 30 pounds. Yams weighing from 100 to 150 pounds, however, are by no means uncommon in the West Indies and other parts of the tropics where they thrive. In appearance the yams look much like the ordinary potatoes on a greatly enlarged scale. They are black or brown externally and pale within, and are rich in starch. When boiled they have a very pleasant flavor.

The Simple Life.

A man is simple when his chief care is the wish to be what he ought to be; that is, honestly and naturally human. We may compare existence to raw material. What it is, matters less than what is made of it; as the value of a work of art lies in the flowering of a workman's skill. True life is possible in social conditions the most diverse, and with natural gifts the most unequal. It is not fortune, or personal advantage, but our turning them to account, that constitutes the value of life. Fame adds no more than does length of days; quality is the thing.—Charles Wagner.

To Quickly Mend Tin.

Paste a piece of stiff brown paper across the hole, by means of cold water paste. Pour boiling water into the pan and allow to stand awhile. The pan can be washed in hot or cold water.

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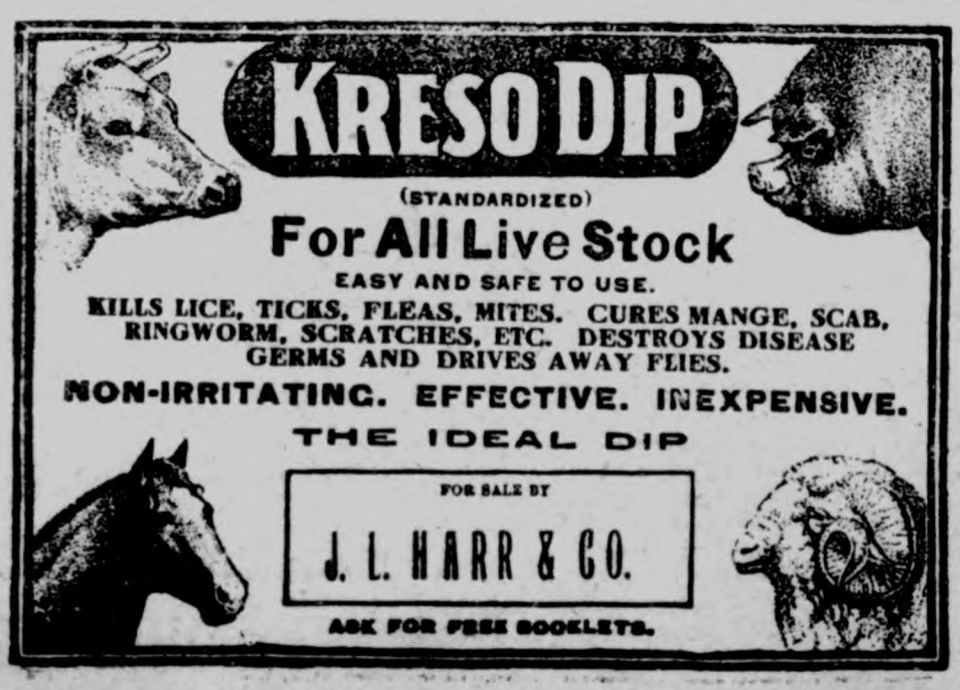
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In the District Court of Iowa in and for Hancock County.

In the matter of the Application of John L. Harr, a Registered Pharmacist, for permit to buy, keep and sell intoxicating liquors.	December Term 1907. Notice.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the application of the undersigned, John L. Harr, a registered pharmacist, No. 4143, doing business under the name of J. L. Harr & Company in the town of Klemme, County of Hancock and State of Iowa, praying for permission to buy, keep and sell intoxicating liquors for lawful purposes only in the building situated on Lots One and Two (1 and 2) Block Eleven (11) in the town of Klemme, Hancock County, Iowa. will be on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Hancock County, Iowa, on or before the 28th day of November, 1907, and that said matter will come on for hearing in said District Court at the December term thereof, to begun and held at the Court House at Garner, Hancock County, Iowa, on the 9th day of December, A. D., 1907.

Dated Nov. 11th, 1907.

JOHN L. HARR,
Applicant

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HE FOUGHT AT GETTYSBURG.

David Parker of Fayette, N. Y. who lost a foot at Gettysburg writes: Electric Bitters have done me more good than any medicine I ever took. For seueral years I had stomach trouble and paid out much money for medicine to little purpose until I began using Electric Bitters I would not take $500 for what they have done for me. Grand tonic for the aged and for female weaknesses. Great alterative and body builder, sure cure for lame back and weak kidneys. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. druggists. 50c.

AUCTION.

As I have decided to quit farming I will sell to the highest bidder without reserve on farm rented by me 2 miles east of Klemme on—

Tuesday, Nov. 26th, 1907.

Save beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. Free lunch at noon.

4 horses 18 cattle. 28 hogs. 15 tons of good timothy and clover hay. Farm machinery.

Terms—All sums under $10 cash. Over this sum one year's time will be given on approved notes bearing 8 per cent. interest. No property to be removed until settled for.

Chas. Anderson, Prop.
Col. J. J. Wilson, Auct.
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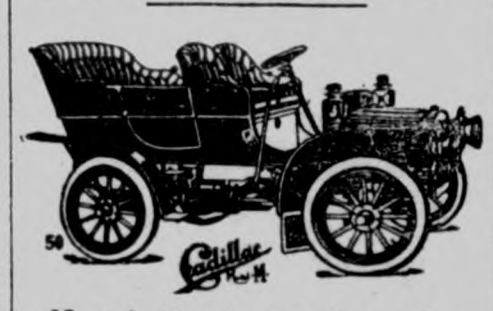

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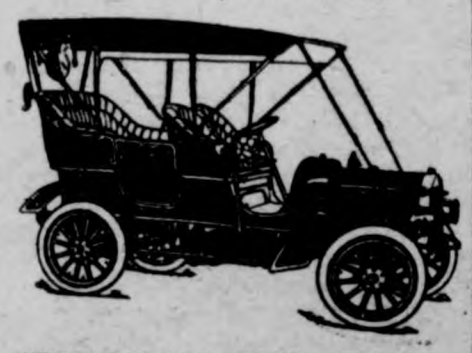

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There is an extra profit to the farmer who can give extra care to his cattle and hogs while the storm is raging.

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HIGH TOP SHOES 12 to 18 inches	$3 75 to 5 25
GERMAN SOCKS Iron Clad.....	35c to 1 00
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WARM LINED SHOES For ladies.....	1 50 to 1 85
LEGGINS For men, women or children.	

We also handle a complete line of the

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They are the best, our prices are "rock bottom."

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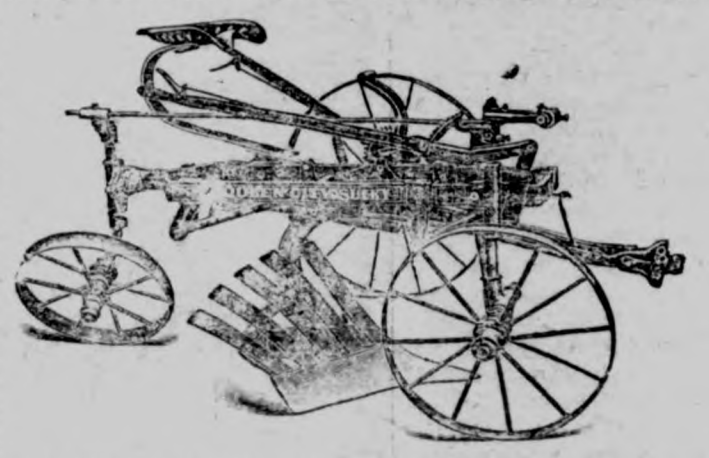

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HELLO! That's business. Car load of poultry wanted every week. A good many ask us do you buy poulty? Why ofcourse we do and at top market price. We also sell farm machinery and standard stock food which we guarantee. Try our Queen City High-lift plows. Furs and hides wanted

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS!

Those knowing themselves to be indebted several years on subscription to The Times, are requested to settle for same at once otherwise we will hand in your account for collection. Please attend to this matter at ONCE.

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C. H. MANN & Co.
H. MANN, Editor and Manager.

Published every Thursday at Klemme, Iowa.

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KLEMME MARKET.

Cream No. 1	26
Eggs fresh	20
Butter roll	18 to 25c
Corn	30 to 50c
Oats	35 to 37c
Wheat	60 to 70c
Barley	50 to 60c
Hay	5.00 to 7.00
Hogs	3 50 to 4.25
Cattle	3.00 to 4.50

LOCAL NEWS

Attend the Anderson sale Nov. 26th.

Art Wellemeyer received a car load of flour Monday.

Glasses fitted and satisfaction guaranteed at J L. Harr & Co.

Chapped hands are quickly cured by applyin. Chamberlain's salve. Price 25c. For sale by J L Harr & Co.

We call your attention to the G. W, Griggs Fur ad. on bottom of first page.

Aug. Lau & Son shipped one car of hogs a week ago Sunday and three cars of hogs last Snnday also one car on Wednesday last.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the peope without a penny cost the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists every where as Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Sold by All Dealers.

Mary Ludeke returned Wednesday from a week's visit with Rev. Wm. Koerner and wife at Reinbeck also with Mr. and Mrs. Kulper at Waterloo.

I ain't feeling well to day,
Something wrong I must say;
Come to think of it, that's right
I forgot my Rocky Mountain Tea last night. J. L. Harr & Co.

W. R. Bloom and some of the town sports were jack rabbit hunting last week and ran down two jacks, that is, the dogs did. They did the best they could in keeping up with the rest. The chase was a good one.

The postmaster of Gasconade, Mo Daniel A. Rugh says of DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills, I am doing so well and improving so fast in health I cannot say too much for your K'dney and bladder pils. I feel like a new man. DeWitt's kidney and bladder pils are sold by J L Harr & Co.

On Tuesday evening Minnie Blank celebrated her 8th birthday and to this occasion she invited several of her school mates to help her celebrate. Refreshments were served and a pleasant eavening was spent. They say that Minnie made a fine hos-

ss.

Th[illegible]hen the baby is cross and has you [illegible]ried and worn out you will find [illegible] a little Cascas Weet the well [illegible] remedy for babies and child-[illegible]ll quiet the little one in a short [illegible] The ingredients are printed on [illegible]ttle, Contains no opiates. Sold [illegible] Harr & Co.

FOUND—A summer lap robe, enquire at Times office.

Some good horses at the Chas Anderson sale Nov. 26th.

We can fit that sewing machine of yours with needles and shuttles at Schuler's. tf

Geo. Culp of Garrison, arrivted last week Saturday and is visiting with J, W. Scott and family.

Oats is coming in at the rate of about two loads a week and still the market is going down, good prosperity.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve penetrates the pores thoroughly cleanses and is healing and soothing. Good for piles. Sold by J L Harr & Co

NOTICE—Bring in your harnesses and have them oiled for half price now to avoid the rush in the spring. F, Gruetzmacher. tf

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some little candy cold tabets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing preventics for they are not only safe but decidedy certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the sneeze stage preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis, lagrippe etc. Hence the name Preventics. Good for fevarish children. 48 preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5c. Sold by All Dealers.

Those who contemplate buying an Auto we would advise them tc consult the Hathorn Auto Co., Mason City, Iowa before buying. Read their ad. in this issue.

There is nothing better for stomach troubles than Kodol which contains the same juices fouud in a healthy stomach. Kodol is offered on a guarantee plan for the relief of heart burn, flatulence, sour stomach belching of gass nausea and all stomach troubles. So at times when you don't feel just right when you are drowsy after meals and your head aches or when you have no ambition and you are cross and irritable take a little Kodol. It digests what you eat. It will make you healthy. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

NOTICE—Those owing me on account for machinery and twine are requested to pay for same on or before Dec. 1st or same will be handed in for collection.
H. Lau & Son.

A tickling cough from any cause is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's cough cure and it is so thoroughly harmless and safe that Dr, Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to very youg babes. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub, furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's cough cure. It calms the cough and heals the sore sensative bronchial membranes. No opium no no chloroform nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract that helps to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the doctor uses 'The Sacred Herb'. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Take no other. All Dealers.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

Frank Roths, Klemme
O. E. Carlson, Klemme
John Walker, Ventura
Wm. Streatman, Garner
H. C. Lau, Garner

You can't be well if you have weak unhealthy tired out stomach. Neither can you feel good if by some little irregularity in eating you have caused the stomach to get out of order. These little stomach troubles are signs of indigestion which many and very often does turn into a very often does turn into a very bad case of dyspepsia. Don't allow this to go on a single day without doing something to overcome it. Take some good reliable and safe digestant as Kodol. for Dyspepsia. Kodol is the the best remedy known to day for heart burn, belching and troubles arising from a diordered digestion. It is pleasant to take and affords relief prompt. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Weather predictions in Wellemeyer's ad.

For good thrifty shoats remember the Anderson sale Nov. 26th.

Watches and jewelry at J. L. Harr & Co. All goods warranted. tf

G. W. Kluckhohn and wife were at Mason City last week Thursday.

All glass set free of charge if brought to the store of G. F. Schuler. tf

Aug. Lau drove to Goodell Tuesday night to see his elevator tiger Wm. Meyer.

Wallace Pavey visited with a very intimate friend of his at Garner last Sunday.

Mart Tierney drove down from Garner last week Thursday. He also made this office a friendly call.

A new lot of picture molding just received at Schuler's. Bring in those pictures you have stored away and have them framed. tf

NOTICE—As my boys would liketo do their own trapping, I would kindly ask those parties that have been trespassing to stay away from my premises. H. L. SUCKOW.

Ole Peterson of Britt, was transacting business in this vicinity last week Thursday and Friday. He is engaged in the insurance business at Britt.

Mr, and Mrs. Geo. Schaefer of German twp kindly remembered the Times office with some of their choice spring chickens for our Thanksgiving dinner.

It is deliciously palatable, agrees with the weakest stomach, contains the most soothing, healing, strengthing and curative elements. Makes you well and happy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. L. Harr & Co.

Harve Allen will be pleased to do your repair work such as harnesses, shoes, etc. He can also do upholstering. Give him a trial. Read his ad on local page.

Constipation, Indigestion, drive away appetite and make you weak and sick. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea restores the appetite, drives away disease, builds up the system. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. L. Harr & Co.

LINGERING COLD.

Withstood other treatment but quickly cured by Chamberlain's cough remedy.

Last winter I caught a severe cold which lingered for weeks, says J Urquhart of Zephyr, Ontario. My cough was very dry and harsh. The local dealer recommended Chamberlain's cough remedy and guaranteed it so I gave it a trial. One small bottle of it cured me. I believe Chamberlain's cough remedy to be the best I have ever used. This remedy is for sale by J L Harr & Co.

For Sale.

A few registered Short horn bull from ten to sixteen months old. Four miles east of Garner.
12-8 Hall Bros.

BILLIOUSNESS AMD CONSTIPATION.

For years I war troubled with biliousness and constipation which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been teday had I not tried Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once and strengthen the digestive functions helping the system to do its work natually—Ross Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by J L Harr & Co.

Wednesday it snowed.

Hogs struck another big slump in the market

J. F. Wenck drove down from Garner Sunday.

Harve Allen was at Garner Saturday last week.

The First National Bank has a change of ad. this week.

An extra profit for the farmer who reads Wellemeyer's ad.

Do not forget those cattle at the Chas. Anderson sale Nov. 26th.

H. Krunkelfeldt of Crystal Lake, visited in Klemme over Sunday.

Misses Aggie and Grace Blank visited with their grandpa at Hayfield over Sunday.

W. R. Bloom shipped one car of hogs Sunday morning and one on Wednesday morning.

FOR SALE—One year old registered Poland China boar. Grand Chief No. 116795. A. J. Schoenwetter. 16-3

There was a dance on Wednesday evening at the home of H. Thrun. Several from here attended.

J. L. Harr & Co remodeled their store with new wall paper and now has a very neat appearance.

Joe Miller returned from Estherville last week Saturday where he has been visiting with friends.

Frank Crisman of Garrison, was in Klemme last week, the guest of J. W. Scott and family and Wallace Pavey.

Chas. Behrens and family drove down from Garner Sunday and were the guests of Geo. Waterman and family.

Chas. Brocker of Garner, was looking after the interests of the J. H. Queal & Co. lumber yard here last week Saturday.

If you want to see a large stock of foot wear call at F. Gruetzmacher's, all sizes and prices also horse blankets and fur robes. tf

When the stomach heart or kidney nerves get weak then these organs always fail. Don't drug the stomach nor stimuate the heart or kidneys. That is simply a makeshift. Get a prescription known to druggists every where as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The restorative is prepared for these weak inside nerves. Strenghten these, build them up with Dr. Shoop's restorative tablets or liquid and see how quickly help will come. Free sample test sent on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine. Wis Your health is surely worth this simple test. All Dealers.

Avery Center.

Tom Hamilton and Bros. were Garner visitors Sunday.

Fred Haupt and family were Sunday visitors at Will Bachman's.

The Misses Hartfelder and Tim Waddingham were Sunday visitors at Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Meservey and David Ross and wife were Sunday visitors at John Hartfelder's.

A HARD DEBT TO PAY.

I owe a debt of gratitude that can never be paid off, writes G S Clark of Westfield, Iowa, for my rescue from death by Dr. Kings new discovery. Both lungs were so seriously affected that death seemed imminent when I commenced taking New Discovery. The ominous dry hacking cough quit before the first bottle was used and 2 more bottles made a complete cure. Nothing has ever equaled new discovere for coughs, colds and throat and lung complaints. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. druggists. 50c and $1. Trial bottle free.

SAY!

When your harnesses, shoes, etc. needs repairing, call on me Also make a specialty of upholstering of all kinds. Located at photo gallery.

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The place where you will find hot lunches at all hours. We keep in stock canned goods, tobacco and cigars, pastry of all kinds and bread for retail. Give me a trial.

C. W. WILES, PROP

YOURS FOR BUSINESS!

Grain and live stock by Auction at North Elevator at Klemme and South Elevator at Goodell. Call on us. Straight business will be done at both places.

AUG. LAU & SON.

IF

you have any old iron to sell I will be pleased to buy it. I will pay 30c per hundred in cash. Anyone having a load on hand, notify me.
My address is Goodell, Iowa.

K. Friedman.

COL. J. J. WILSON
Livestock Auctioneer,
Thornton, Iowa, R. F D.

Best of references. Let me cry your sale. Make your dates with the State Savings Bank.

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Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.

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$50,000,000 WORTH FOR SALE BY CORTELYOU.

A PANACEA FOR THE PANIC

Plan of the Secretary of the Treasury to Bring Money Out Is Endorsed by President.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—Secretary Cortelyou last night made the important announcement that as a means of affording relief to the financial situation the treasury would issue $50,000,000 of Panama bonds and $100,000,000 certificates of indebtedness, or so much thereof as may be necessary. The certificates will run for one year and will bear 3 per cent interest, and the bonds 2 per cent.

The secretary's action in coming to the relief of the financial situation meets with President Roosevelt's hearty approval, and the plan is the outcome of the several White house conferences which have bten held within the past few days when the financial situation was under consideration.

Secretary Cortelyou adds that these Panama bonds will afford most substantial relief, as the law provides that they may be used as a basis for additional national bank circulation. He also states that the proceeds from the sale of certificates can be made directly available at points where the need is most urgent, and especially for the movement of crops, which he says, "If properly accelerated will give the greatest relief and result in the most immediate financial returns."

CALL UPON GOVERNORS.

President Urges Them to Help Preserve National Resources.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—President Roosevelt has invited the governors of the states and territories to meet him at the White house May 13, 14 and 15 next to discuss the question of means to conserve the natural resources of the country. Invitations are to be extended to the members of both houses of congress and to the inland waterways commission. The importance and manner in which the subject is to be considered are indicated in the presiden'ts letter to the governors which was made public at the White house yesterday. The letter follows:

"The national resources of the territory of the United States were at the time of settlement, richer, more varied and more valuable than those of any other equal area on the surface of the earth. The development of these resources has given us for more than a century, a rate of increase of population and wealth undreamed of by men who founded our government and without parallel in history. It is obvious that the prosperity which we now enjoy rests directly upon these resources. It is equally obvious that the vigor and success which we desire and foresee for this nation in the future must have this as its ultimate material basis.

"In view of these evident facts it seems to me time for the country to take account of its natural resources and to inquire how long they are likely to last. We should not forget that it will be as important to our descendants to be prosperous in their time as it is to us to be prosperous in our time.

"It is evident that the abundant natural resources on which the welfare of this nation rests, are becoming depleted and, in not a few cases, are already exhausted. This is true of all portions of the United States; it is especially true of the longer settled communities of the east. The gravity of the situation must, I believe, appeal with special force to the governors of the states because of their close relations to the people and their responsibility for the welfare of their communities. I have therefore decided in accordance with the suggestion of the inland waterways commission to ask the governors of the states and territories to meet at the White house on May 13, 14 and 15 to confer with the president and with each other upon the conservation of natural resources.

"It gives me great pleasure to invite you to take part in this conference. I should be glad to have you select three citizens to accompany you and to attend the conference as your assistants or advisors. I shall also invite the senators and representatives of the sixtieth congress to be present at the sessions, so far as their duties will permit. The matters to be considered at this conference are not confined to any region or group of states, but are of vital concern to the nation as a whole and to all the people. The members of the inland waterways commission will be present in order to share with me the benefit of information and suggestion, and if desired, to set forth their provisional plans and conclusions.

"Facts, which I cannot gainsay, force me to believe that the conservation of our natural resources are the most weighty question now before the people of the United States. If this is so, the proposed conference, which is the first of its kind, will be among the most important gatherings in our history in its effect upon the welfare of all our people.

"I earnestly hope, my dear governor, that you will find is possible to be present.

"Sincerely yours,

"Theodore Roosevelt."

DANGER IN A COLD.

When Not Taken in Time They Produce Pneumonia.

A cold—just an ordinary, everyday cold—that kind that may be contracted at any moment and from any one of a thousand causes, is a more serious ailment than many people think it is.

In how many cases of pneumonia do we hear the explanation:—"It started with just a slight cold?"

The moral is to take care of the cold before it has a chance to become pneumonia, and the method is simple. In the first place get warm,—get thoroughly warm. Begin with the feet and start the blood circulating by a foot bath of hot water, as hot as you can stand it. Follow this with hot drinks, and then give to the chest and throat a thorough rubbing with Hoff's German Liniment, a camphor cream preparation that is more effective than camphorated oil, goose grease, or others of the panaccas for all ills. Hoff's German Liniment does not soil the clothing, is sold by all reliable druggists for 25 cents. It can be used either on the throat and lungs, or in case of a sore throat, as a gargle. Don't let the druggist give you something just as good.

COULD USE THE ROAD.

Irish Soldier's Great Idea When Cover Was Badly Needed.

The following colloquy is said to have actually occurred during one of the earlier battles in the Philippines:

A detachment of American infantry, under orders to support a section of Capt. Reilly's battery, were halted for quite a while on a perfectly flat military road in full view and fine range of the Filipino trenches. Of course, to lie flat on the road was the only available "use of cover."

In this detachment was an Irishman who had served his time with the colors in the British army before he enlisted with Uncle Sam. As a recruit he had been very prone to tell how the British soldiers did everything. As a result he was incessantly plied with questions as to his experiences. While the bullets were "plopping" down the road and kicking up the gravel, a young Yankee suddenly asked:

"Say, Mike, what do the British soldiers do with their heads in a place like this?"

Quick as a flash came the retort:

"A British soldier has no head, sorr!"

After a full two-minute pause, Mike continued:

"However, be that as it may, I wish I could pick up this d— road and stan' it on edge ferninst me!"

Missed His Vocation.

Reginald de Koven, the composer, tells of a grocer and a druggist who attended a Wagner concert. As the program did not please them they began talking on music in general and on Wagner in particular.

"Another example of the fact that every man wants to do something out of his line," said the druggist.

"That's all right," assented the grocer. "Now, I'm a grocer, but I've always wanted to be a banker."

"You'd probably fail," added the druggist. "Look at me. I'm a success as a druggist, yet I've always wanted to write a book. This man Wagner tries his hand at music. Just listen to it. And yet we all know he builds good parlor cars!"—Success.

SCHOOL TEACHERS

Also Have Things to Learn.

"For many years I have used coffee and refused to be convinced of its bad effect upon the human system," writes a veteran school teacher.

"Ten years ago I was obliged to give up my much loved work in the public schools after years of continuous labor. I had developed a well defined case of chronic coffee poisoning.

"The troubles were constipation, flutterings of the heart, a thumping in the top of my head and various parts of my body, twitching of my limbs, shaking of my head, and, at times after exertion, a general "gone" feeling with a toper's desire for very strong coffee. I was a nervous wreck for years.

"A short time ago friends came to visit us and they brought a package of Postum with them, and urged me to try it. I was prejudiced because some years ago I had drunk a cup of weak, tasteless stuff called Postum which I did not like at all.

"This time, however, my friend made the Postum according to directions on the package, and it won me. Suddenly I found myself improving in a most decided fashion.

"The odor of boiling coffee no longer tempts me. I am so greatly benefited by Postum that if I continue to improve as I am now, I'll begin to think I have found the Fountain of Perpetual Youth. This is no fancy letter but stubborn facts which I am glad to make known."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

ENCOURAGING FACTS

THOSE CONTEMPLATING CHANGE OF RESIDENCE SHOULD READ THEM.

The other day the writer was in the Office of the Canadian Government at St. Paul, Minnesota. On the windows of the building were signs to the effect that homesteads of 160 acres were given free to actual settlers and in the windows were displays of wheat, oats, barley, other grains and vegetables, which he was told were grown in Western Canada. This could be readily believed for in no other country on the Continent would it be possible to grow such splendid specimens. The world is now pretty well advised that in the growing of such cereals as have been named and vegetables as well the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta have no competitor. For several years past specimens have been exhibited at State and County Fairs throughout the State, and these exhibits are looked upon as one of the chief attractions. They have demonstrated what can be done in the climate of a country possessing a soil that will grow things. But that it was possible to grow vegetables such as were seen there seemed to create some doubt. But it was the case. And apples too. Not of course the splendid fruit grown in countries more congenial to such culture, but they were in evidence. Throughout Indiana, the hoosier farmers were forced to stop and think. When a similar exhibit was placed before them during the past few weeks, many of them were forced to stop and remark: "That is much ahead of anything we can do. The quality of the grain we have conceded, for has not so-and-so sent us samples grown on his own farm the like of which we had never seen before. But to think of the vegetables—and such vegetables. Why, we thought everything was frozen up there, and these turnips, cabbages, cauliflowers, beets, mangolds, pumpkins, and squashes are away ahead of anything we ever saw grow." That is the story everywhere. Thousands of Western Canada homesteaders, formerly United States citizens, are growing just such grain, just such vegetables, which yield them a splendid profit with little outlay on the farms that they have secured from the Government of the Dominion of Canada at the nominal cost of $10 for 160 acres. If adjoining land is wanted it can be secured from the railway companies or from private individuals at moderate prices and reasonable terms. By placing your name and address on a postal card and addressing it to the Canadian Government Agent, whose name appears elsewhere, a copy of "Last Best West" telling you all about it will be sent you free.

FOUR SHAFTS OF HUMOR.

Pithy Remarks from One of the Foremost Jokesmiths.

With the truly artistic temperament the bird in the bush has scant notion of doubling its value by changing to the hand.

A has-been is a man who has spent his time with hair vigors, electric brushes and newspaper recipes, when he should have been winning a laurel wreath to cover his ignominy with.

When you enter a shop state just what you want. For then the merchant can go intelligently to work to sell you something else. The great law of commerce is to sell people what they don't want. What they do want will sell itself.

But, probably it is no harder to live up to your reputation when you are young than it will be to live it down when you are older.—Puck.

DOCTORS ORGANIZE UNION.

Toronto Physicians Fix Higher Scale of Prices.

Toronto, Ont.—The doctors of this city west of Yonge street have formed a union under the name "No. 11 Territorial Division of the College of Physicians and Surgeons." The objects of the organization are to improve the condition of the profession against quacks, establish minimum fees and amend lodge terms. The lowest fee for medical examination for fraternal societies has been fixed at $2, while the minimum fee for minor operations has been fixed at $10, and that for major operations at $50. For a first visit to a patient $2 hereafter will be charged, and $1 for each subsequent visit, while the fee for night visits will be doubled, being fixed at $3. The charge for an office visit has been made $1, including prescription, while to give anesthetics $5 will be charged.

Not Caretaker's Fault.

In answer to a complaint made by the town council of Camborne, England, that the caretaker of the recreation ground had allowed the grass to grow to an inconvenient height, that officer replied that the donkey which had formerly eaten the grass had died of lockjaw and he had been unable to buy another one to take its place.

True to His Promise.

A teacher in a tenement district hurried from the school to find the mother of a pupil who had been taken quite ill.

"Can you show me where Mrs. Angelo Scandale lives?" she inquired of a cherub transplanted from the sunny south to a dark, sunless alley.

"Yes, teach', I show you," and a willing, sticky hand dragged her on with such speed as to make her stumble over an Italian dame seated on the threshold.

After the teacher's breathless flight toward the clouds, the little hand stopped tugging.

"There where Mees Scandale live," indicated the horizontal arm and finger, "but she downstair sitting on the step," finished the smiling lips.—Harper's Magazine.

In the Church.

"Of course," said Tess at Miss Yerner's wedding to Mr. Timmid, "the bride looks lovely, as brides always do."

"Yes," replied Jess, "but the bridegroom doesn't. He appears rather run down."

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An Acute Observer.

A one-armed man sat down to his noonday luncheon in a little restaurant the other day, and seated on the right of him was a big, sympathetic individual from the rural district.

The big fellow noticed his neighbor's left sleeve hanging loose and kept eyeing him in a sort of how-did-it-happen way. The one-armed man failed to break the ice, but continued to keep busy with his one hand supplying the inner man.

At last the inquisitive one on the right could stand it no longer. He changed his position a little, cleared his throat and said: "I see, sir, you have lost an arm."

Whereupon the unfortunate man picked up the empty sleeve with his right hand, peered into it, looked up with a surprised expression, and said: "By George, sir, you're right."

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right Starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

The Barker and St. Luke.

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"No," answered his mother. "They are growing when they do that, they say."

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The late William Cassidy, one-time editor of the Albany Argus, possessed the traditional Irish wit. On one occasion, a number of years ago, he was a guest at a political banquet in Albany. At that time finger bowls were seldom used, and their correct usage (a passing fad) meant to dip a corner of the napkin in the water and therewith daintily cleanse the finger tips. Most of the men present eyed the innovation, when introduced at dessert, narrowly and uncertainly. One after another ended by plunging the hand into the crystal dish. But Mr. Robert Pruyn, a well-known Albany gentleman, correctly moistened a bit of his napkin and laved his fingers. Mr. Cassidy watched him admiringly, not having as yet touched his own glass. "That's good," he whispered to a neighbor. "That's good. If Pruyn hadn't done that I should have put my foot in it."—Harper's Weekly.

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Useless.

A short time ago an old negro was up before a judge in Dawson City, charged with some trivial offense.

"Haven't you a lawyer, old man?" inquired the judge.

"No, sah."

"Can't you get one?"

"No, sah."

"Don't you want me to appoint one to defend you?"

"No, sah; I jes' tho't I'd leab de case to de ign'ance ob de co't."

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Waverly, Ia.—The Bremner county grand jury, which a few weeks ago indicted fourteen members of the county medical association, alleging violation of the anti-trust law, recently reported additional indictments against Dr. W. A. Rohlf and Dr. O. L. Chaffee on the general ground of conspiracy. Their alleged offense was of forcing an independent doctor from a surgical case, in which he as well as one of the accused doctors had been employed, after he had refused to sign the union scale.

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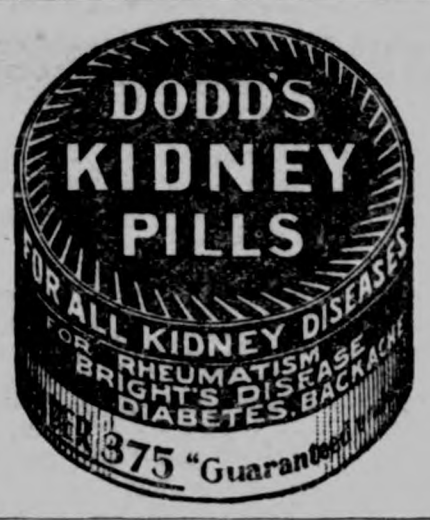

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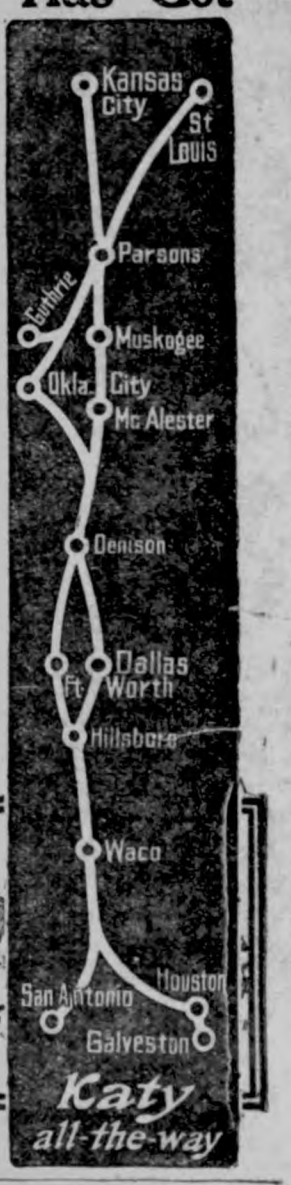

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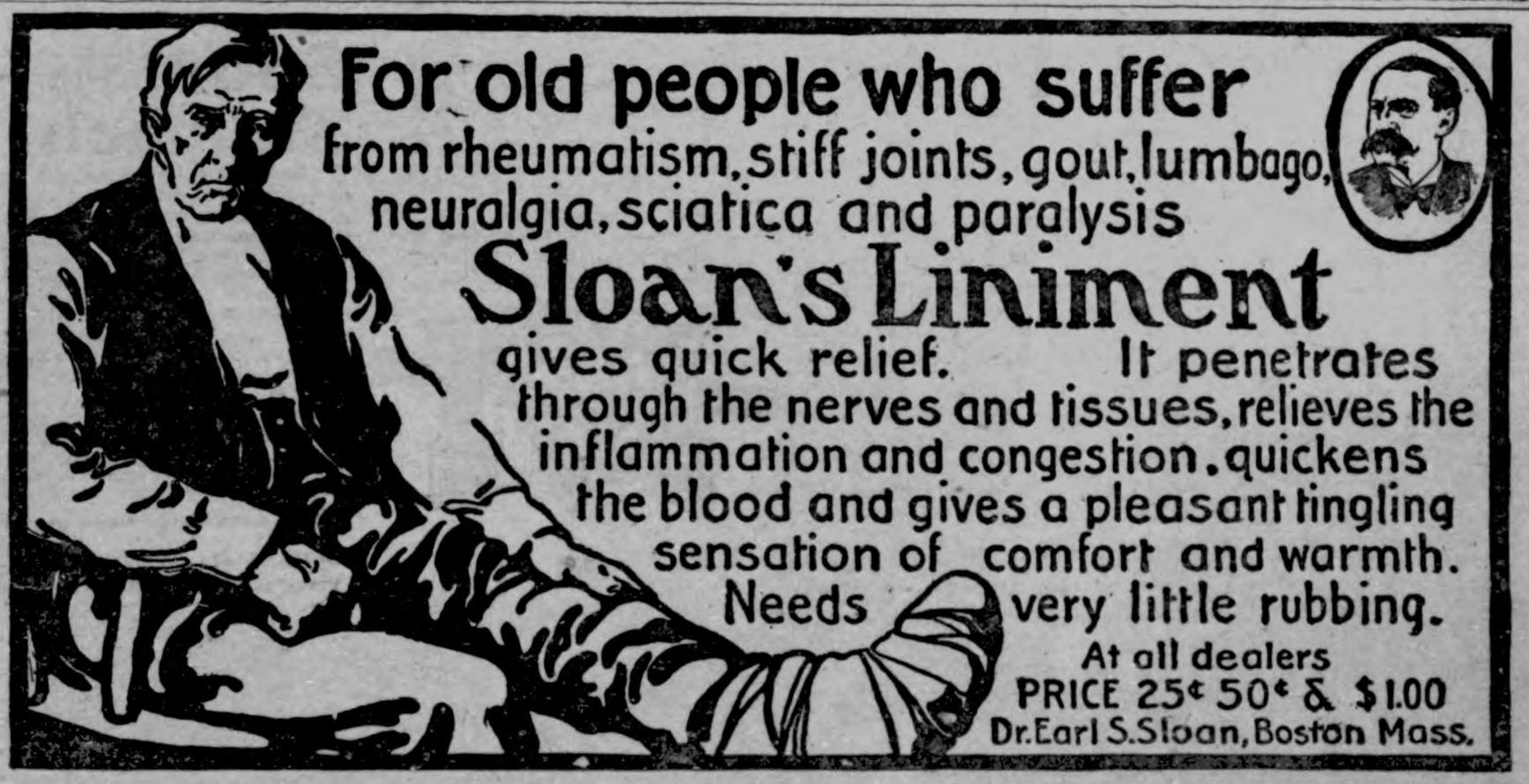
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School Notes.

Ralph Ludeke started to school on Monday.

Holly Lewis was hurt in a runaway on Saturday.

Viva Ridder was absent three days on account of sickness.

On Tuesday evening Minnie Blank celebrated her eighth birthday.

On Saturday Nov 16th was Reta Spooner's birthday and in honor of this occasion she invited some twenty of her school mates.

On Saturday afternoon and evening Prof. and Mrs. Wash burn entertained the teachers and the tenth grade. All had a pleasant time and all did justice to the bountiful supper.

On Tuesday evening the board of directors met and granted the pupils and teachers Thursday and Friday as holidays. The motion was made and seconded by the pupils in the advanced room, thanking the board for this extra holiday.

The following are those who were neither absent nor tardy from primary room for the last week: Lloyd Lau, Esther and Walter Blumer, Lloyd Mann, Reta Spooner, Levi Ridder, Cyrus Griewe, Harold Ridder, Florence Shupp, Donna Baumgartner and Clarence Lauden.

The Klemme school will give a Thanksgiving programme on Wednesday, Nov. 27th at 1:45 o'clock in advanced room. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. The following program will be delivered:

Song—Columbia, Room 3.
Thanksgiving—Reta Spooner.
The Thanksgiving Story—Miss Gail Bloom.
A Thanksgiving Recipe—Gertrude Muehlmeier.
Aunt Jereminah's money.
Song—Room 1.
Elsie's Thanksgiving—Esther Blumer.
A Merry Thanksgiving.
Little Pilgrim Maid—Lola Haskin.
Captain Jim—Oscar Larsen.
Song—Thanksgiving draweth near, Room 3.
Who gives us our Thanksgiviug Dinner?—Gertrude Weiland.
A Cat's Soliloquy—Oscar Schuldt.
Tom's Thanksgiving—Lloyd Lau.
Pilgrims in song and story what I am thankful for—Three little maids.
Tommy's Thanksgiving—Esther Lenz.
Song—Room 1.
Thanksgiving day—Verner Lewis.
Bertie's Thanksgiving—Ewalt Muehlmeier.
John's first Thanksgiving—Donna Baumgartner.
Thanksgiving Wooing—Minnie Fuller.
The dressed turkey—Lillie Blumer.
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North Germantown.

Everybody is picking corn these days.

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Several from here attended the party at Hamen's last Friday evening.

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James Manuel shipped a car of cattle from Duncan on Monday to his son Harry at Burt, Ia.

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Goodell and Vicinity.

The school board of Avery Twp. held a meeting in Goodell Saturday.

Mr. McNulty and Mrs. Kelley both of Belmond were married Tuesday.

J. J. Wilson and family of Thornton Sundayed at the home of Fred Chase.

Miss Margaret Costello commenced the winter term of school in the old town Monday.

Aug. Lau shipped three cars of hogs Sunday morning and has two cars more to go Tuesday. Chas. Schlicting also shipped a car of hogs.

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South Germantown.

Nov. 26, 1907—

This is a fine day for the W. F. Beier sale and a large crowd is gathering,

Arthur Knoke has taken to musk rat trapping. They say he is making money. If so, we hope he will it to go into the channels of trade.

Rev. Wm. Klaus of the Burt and Fenton charge and Rev. G. H. Wessel were at the Geo. I. Schaper home from Sunday evening to Monday morning; during the noontide hours they visited at the Wm. Beier, Sr. home.

On Wednesday Oct. 30 H. L. Suckow of Dist. No. 8 erected a fine flag pole on the school ground. We however wish to state that Dist. No. 8 has a right to feel grateful toward our former teacher Miss Gertrude Wendel for her efficient labor in giving a basket social last winter at which the neat sum of $27.00 was raised. We also wish to comment the assistance rendered by her parents and brother Roy. The said $27 were used in purchasing books for the library, an elegant dictionary stand, a flag pole etc. In behalf of the patrons of our district we will say: Bravo, Miss Wendel

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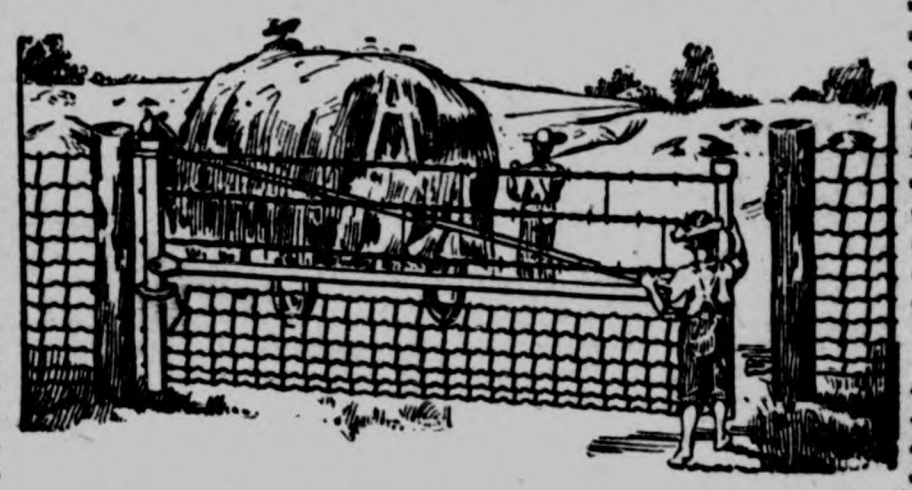

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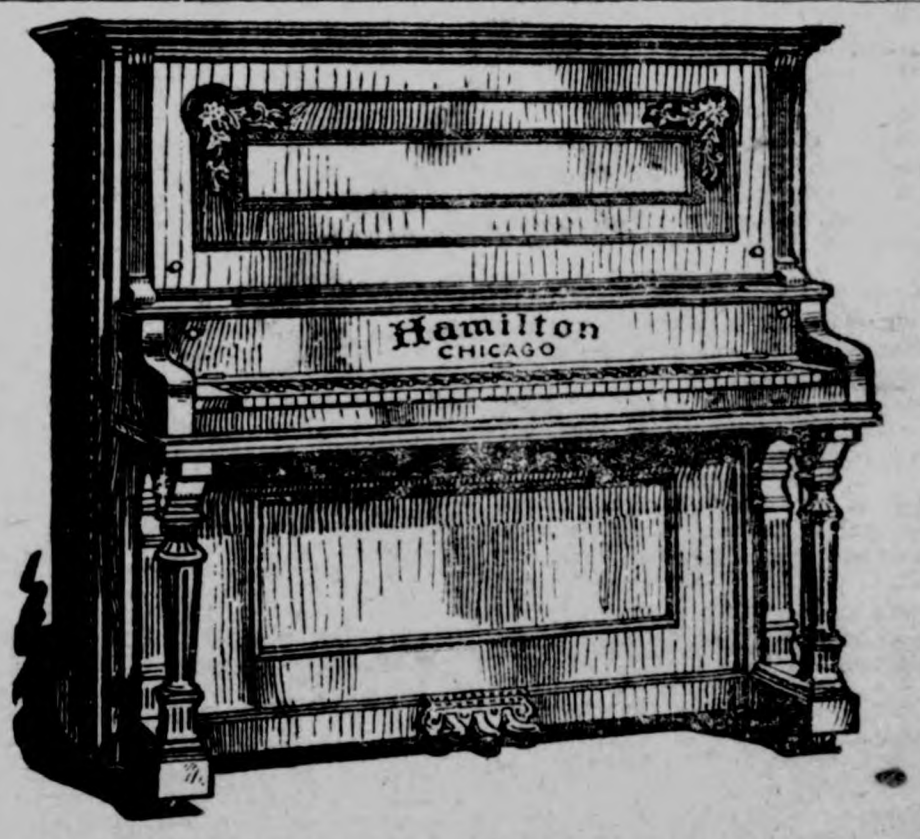

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The Klemme Times

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Klemme, - - Iowa

Genius has the wisdom of age in its youth.

Peace has her victories no less than war—and then there's football.

Ballooning lacks one thrilling phase. There are no speed ordinances to be violated.

Will the couple who were married in the Lake Erie lighthouse do lightho—no, say it yourself.

The brave, gay, generous and lighthearted bear the strokes of fate with equanimity and indomitable courage.

It is probably no more true that tin soldiers make fighters of boys than it is that Teddy bears make growlers of girls.

The claim that prunes cause baldness was started by some doctor who was trying to make trouble for his landlady.

A Harvard professor says aversion to work is really illness. Here is where an indefinite lay-off is going to be asked.

An association has been organized in New York to build airships. But notwithstanding its object, it will not use inflated capital.

Balloon travel is rapidly becoming more safe and scientific. We may all fly yet, even if some of us never get a chance to wear wings.

Earthly fame, wealth and glory are as evanescent as the cardinal rays of the setting sun that drops into darkest storms and eternal night.

A swarm of bees lit on a Philadelphia policeman. The fact that one man woke up made a nice little piece of news for the local papers.

Diogenes was not like a modern muck-raker or investigator. He did not go around looking for dishonesty. He knew it was always there.

Several men have been convicted and sent to prison in New York for stealing electricity. This naturally comes under the head of shocking crimes.

They are putting monkeys in jail in New Jersey. This looks as though the law of that state was making near-human efforts to getting itself enforced.

Marconi has harnessed that air, but whether he can drive it as he pleases remains to be seen. He is, however, one of the dreamers that Boyle O'Reilly says live forever.

The body is quickly buried and lost in the dust of centuries, but the spirit of thought, that moves us every moment for good or ill, has immortal lineage and cannot be destroyed.

A wicked conscience is the most devilish companion that mortals can harbor, for even in the success of its villainy it is tortured with uncertainty, anxiety, dread and plutonic remorse.

The women's literary clubs of Michigan have started a novel contest as to which club shall add the most children to the state's population next year. Race suicide will have to take the count.

A Wisconsin court has decided that a cigarette with a tobacco wrapper is not a cigarette, and does not violate the anti-cigarette law. This is an easy road to liberty. The tobacco wrappers are better than the paper ones, anyway.

Now a vessel is to be built to outclass the Lusitania. Perhaps in the future seagoing vessels of any kind will be dispensed with entirely and speedseekers will be simply hurled across the ocean through pneumatic tubes at telegraphic velocity.

English experts who have been investigating report that the gold still to be dug out of the mines in the Rand district of South Africa may be estimated at $5,000,000,000,000. With that much gold in circulation the world would have quantity as well as quality.

Brazil, distinguished in the merry comedy, "Charley's Aunt," as the place "where the nuts come from," is also distinguished as a place where ideas grow. Thirty Brazilian merchants and professional men are visiting this country, in obedience to the advice which Secretary Root gave to all the Americas to "get acquainted."

Mrs. Russell Sage, having lately learned that a debt of $2,000, contracted by her father in 1844, had never been paid, has forwarded a check for the amount to the heirs of the creditor. If she had paid interest on the sum for the 63 years the check would have been larger, but probably the heirs are thankful to get the principal.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

GOVERNOR IS DEFIED.

Davenport Prize Fight Pulled Off While Officials Look On.

Davenport.—Although the local company of the Iowa National guard had strict orders from Governor Cummins at Des Moines to stop the prize fight of the 21st, every bout scheduled was pulled off, while Captain Kulp and his armed soldiers sat at the ringside, evidently as much entertained by the spectacle as the loudest voiced sport from Chicago.

It was all done under the guise of "sparring for points" in bouts that were declared by the announcer to be altogether "friendly". The managers of the big fight show, who had several thousands of dollars invested in their enterprise, gave assurance to Captain Kulp or somebody in authority that there would be nothing but "exhibition" sparring matches for points entirely within the limits of the law. The announcer loudly announced this arrangement at the beginning of every bout, and then the men went at each other hammer and tongs, just as they used to do in the good old prize fight days. In only one match of the three was this not true—Mackay and Young Wohlgast fiddled along for six rounds, making the crowd so sore that they were obliged to walk out of the ring and quit before they finished their agreed ten rounds.

In the first preliminary, between Young McGovern and Giese, announced to be a "friendly bout", the men hammered each other so hard that both bled freely. In the last round, Giese had McGovern practically whipped and only the interference of the referee in the last few seconds of the fighting prevented McGovern from going down and out. But this bout was called a draw.

In the big match, that between McFarland and Herman, there was the same preliminary announcement of a friendly bout, and then the men jabbed and swung at each other as though they were at Goldfield, not in Iowa. Their blows after they warmed up were of knock out force and there was no mistaken impression among the sports who saw the men go after each other.

Captain Kulp assembled his militiamen hurriedly at the armory where they armed themselves as directed. They marched to the Coliseum, where they stationed themselves and where they remained throughout the exhibition. They were supposed to be acting under the following telegraphic order to Captain Kulp from Adjutant General Thrift:

"By direction of the governor, assemble your company under arms at the earliest moment possible and stop the prize fight advertised to take place in your city tonight."

Conferences with Captain Kulp were many. Finally the promoters assured him that they would conform strictly to the law and it is presumed that he gave his consent to the fights which followed.

REFUSES TO FORGIVE TODD.

State Normal Professor Kicked Out of Religious Institution.

Cedar Falls.—Prof. Thomas Todd, who was expelled from his professorship in the State Normal, because of his questionable relations with the musical instructor, Mrs. Kate Gray, was practically kicked out of the Baptist church in which he was an officer. His expulsion came after he had made a dramatic appeal for forgiveness, confessing his errors and promising much for the future. But the church had no forgiveness. He said his family had forgiven him, and he knew God had forgiven him. But the members of the church would not.

THIRTY CENTS ON DOLLAR.

That Is All Chariton Bank Will Pay Out.

Chariton.—Depositors of the First National bank, which closed Oct. 31 when Cashier F. R. Crocker committed suicide, have received letters from the controller of the currency announcing that they will probably receive about 30 cents on the dollar. The controller places the total liabilities of the bank at $1,440,833 and the assets at $746,503. Of these $147,488 are worthless and $164,546 are doubtful, leaving only $434,469 known to be good.

BANKER MAY LIVE.

Almost Fatal Bullet Still Lies Lodged in His Brain.

Pleasantville.—Ralph Flanagan's prayer for life has apparently been answered. His physicians now speak hopefully for his recovery. The bullet fired into his brain by his own hand still lies where it spent its force. No effort has been made to remove it. A little knot which has arisen on the left side of the skull back of the temple, almost directly opposite the spot where the bullet crashed through, is believed to mark the spot where the missile lies

KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

O. R. Nattinger of Des Moines Is a Victim.

Des Moines.—O. R. Nattinger was instantly killed, Frank Getchell was fatally injured and Miss Ruth Wilkinson and Miss Isle Denny were severely injured in an automobile accident at midnight of the 22nd at Grand avenue and Forty-second street.

Charles Morrison, an employe of the Sears-Nattinger company, and who conducts the livery in their plant, and Mrs. Maude Joeckel, who were also in the party, escaped uninjured.

The accident was caused by the machine striking a gas company wagon standing next to the curb just east of Forty-second street on Grand avenue, and which, it is said, carried no light.

Mr. Nattinger was in the front seat driving the machine, a big new Reo touring car. Beside him was Miss Ruth Wilkinson. The other members of the party occupied the rear seat. All were in high spirits and they laughed and talked merrily as the big car whirled west on the smooth thoroughfare. Suddenly there was a terrific crash and the car plunged into the air. Then it turned completely around and stood facing the direction from which it had been coming.

Mr. Nattinger was hurled to the ground with terrific force. His head and face struck the hard pavement and he died instantly.

Mr. Getchell fell about ten feet to the north and west of him. He also fell face forward, but with less force. His head and face were terribly cut and bruised and his skull was injured. It is thought he sustained internal injuries. Dr. McCarthy thinks that Mr. Getchel probably will die.

Mr. Morrison fell on his back beyond Mr. Getchell and except for being slightly stunned he escaped injury.

The three women were also thrown forcibly to the ground, but like Mr. Morrison, Mrs. Joeckel miraculously escaped injury. Although suffering intense pain, Miss Wilkinson and Miss Denny were able to get to their feet.

Des Moines.—Henry F. Getchell is dead as a result of the automobile accident in which O. R. Nattinger was killed. It was thought he would recover, but meningitis developed and death came soon afterward.

$40,000 IN FORGERIES.

Missing Corwith Banker Now Found to Be Crooked.

Fort Dodge.—The depositors of the State Bank of Corwith, who were sorry for the fugitive cashier, J. H. Standring, and were willing to have him return and assume charge again, have been turned to anger upon the discovery that he had forged the name of several farmers to notes amounting to between $30,000 and $40,000.

When the bank examiner began his investigation of affairs, bank notices were sent to those whose notes were on hand asking if the amounts were correct. Replies to these notices did not arrive until late, but now the alleged forgeries has reached the above amount. How much more if any, has been forged remains to be seen.

It was the intention of the officers of the bank, if nothing were wrong, to open the doors for business. The First National bank of Corwith has been handling the banking business of the town since the state bank closed, gaining over 100 new accounts.

What has become of the money represented by the forged notes is a mystery. Even his associates in the bank have never had occasion to think that the missing cashier played the board of trade, and where the money has gone is beyond the comprehension of all. The notes indicate that the forgery has been going on for the past two years, although it may have been longer.

Under the circumstances the bank will not attempt to open until its officers are satisfied that the investigation is complete. The last examination showed the bank had a capital of $50,000, a reserve of $4,345, and deposits of $100,000.

Creston Man Had The Goods.

Creston.—Walter Towne, who was fined $100 in the district court last week for fighting and resisting an officer, has again been arrested and charged with stealing brass articles from the roundhouse of the railroad company. When captured Towne was taking a load of brass to a junk shop. He was held to the grand jury in $1,000 bonds, in default of which he is being confined in the county jail.

Hurled Forty Feet by Engine.

Iowa City.—A Rock Island passenger train struck Rheinhard Witzkes, as he started to drive across the tracks with a load of coal. Witzkes was hurled forty feet and John Sparks, the flagman who rushed to save him, was also injured. The train killed one of the mules Witzkes was driving

CLEVELAND MAYOR IS HIT

TOM L. JOHNSON ACCUSED BY W. M. IVINS IN NEW YORK.

Reorganization of Nassau Company Said to Have Provided $6,250,000 of Water.

New York.—William M. Ivins, while investigating the affairs of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company for the public service commission Friday, declared that Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland and his friends, who formerly owned the Nassau Electric Railway company of Brooklyn, had watered its stock to the extent of $6,250,000 and then sold it to the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company.

This was alleged to have taken place in a reorganization of the Nassau company in January, 1899.

Questioning Timothy S. Williams, vice president of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company, about the reorganization of the Nassau company, Mr. Ivins said: "On that reorganization I find that they increased their bond issue, which had theretofore been $5,500,000, by an additional $8,946,960. They made an entirely new issue of preferred stock of $6,000,000, they theretofore having no preferred stock, and to the theretofore existing $6,000,000 of common stock they added $2,500,000, making a total of new issues of $17,946,960, and your acquisition was after this increase of capitalization. Can you tell me what these new securities were issued for?"

Mr. Williams said an explanation of the transaction was given in an agreement which Mr. Ivins had, but this was not read. Mr. Williams also contended that the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company, if it had bought $6,250,000 of water, had subsequently squeezed it out.

"I cannot agree with you," said Mr. Ivins. "It looks to me like a plain case of stock watering, and the company had no right to charge that $6,000,000 on its books to the cost and equipment of the road. It was wrong in principle, and if it wasn't then against the law, the law ought to be amended so as to make such a transaction impossible."

BOROUGH BANK MEN INDICTED.

President, Cashier and Controlling Stockholder in the Toils.

New York.—The Kings county grand jury, which is investigating the recent management of the suspended Borough bank of Brooklyn, returned indictments Thursday charging larceny and other offenses against Howard Maxwell, who was president of the institution when its doors were closed; Arthur D. Campbell, the deposed cashier, and William Gow, a director who holds a controlling share of the bank's stock.

The three men were arrested and arraigned. All pleaded not guilty and were held for a hearing. Campbell and Gow each furnished $20,000 bail. Maxwell was unable to secure the $30,000 bond required of him and went to jail for the night.

"Suffragettes" Silence Gladstone.

Leeds, England.—The woman suffragists Friday virtually compelled Herbert Gladstone, secretary of state for home affairs, to abandon his attempt to address a meeting here. The interruptions from the "suffragettes" became so persistent that Mr. Gladstone declared he would no longer struggle against such tactics. One of the suffragists thereupon tried to take possession of the meeting. While she was speaking a free fight broke out between the men and women of the audience.

PRESIDENT NOT ENDANGERED.

Officers and Crew of Steamer Fowler Exonerated.

Cairo, Ill.—Exoneration from the charge of reckless navigation, which endangered the life of the president of the United States during the river trip from Cairo to Memphis October 3, was obtained Thursday for the officers and crew of the steamer Dick Fowler, who were found not guilty by United States Inspectors Waltz and Hodge, of Memphis, after a trial.

The charges were brought by Commander L. S. Vanduzer, U. S. N., inspector of the Fifteenth and Sixteenth lighthouse districts, who was on the lighthouse tender Lily, which acted as escort to the steamer Mississippi, the boat on which President Roosevelt traveled from Keokuk to Memphis. The Fowler was accused specifically of running by the Lily without sounding her whistle and running too close to the steamer Mississippi, the boat the president was on, thereby endangering his life. At the trial only evidence for the defense was heard, as the testimony of Commander Van Duzer and his witnesses was taken at a hearing held soon after the disposal of the other case arising from the river trip and the summary suspension for six months of the license of Pilot C. L. Nichols of the steamer Fred Hartweg, at the order of the president.

LIEUT. CRAWFORD MISSING.

Admiral Dewey's Secretary Thought to Have Drowned Himself.

Washington.—Lieut. John W. Crawford, secretary of Admiral Dewey, has disappeared and it is believed he has committed suicide. Friday Bennett A. Allen, 1901 Fourth street, a friend of the missing man, received a special delivery letter from Lieut. Crawford in which it was stated that he had determined on suicide and requesting Mr. Allen to break the news to Mrs. Crawford as gently as possible. Late in the evening Lieut. Crawford's hat and coat were found on the deck of a ferry boat plying between Washington and Alexandria. To financial difficulties Lieut. Crawford's resolve to end his life is attributable, his friends say.

HURT INSPECTING TRACKS

Nebraska Railway Commissioner and Clerk in Bad Accident.

Lincoln, Neb.—Railway Commissioner Joseph A. William and H. G. Powell, rate expert in the office of the state commission, were seriously injured late Thursday night while making an inspection of the Missouri Pacific tracks near Elmwood. Commissioner Williams was removed to a hospital. Powell was able to go to his home.

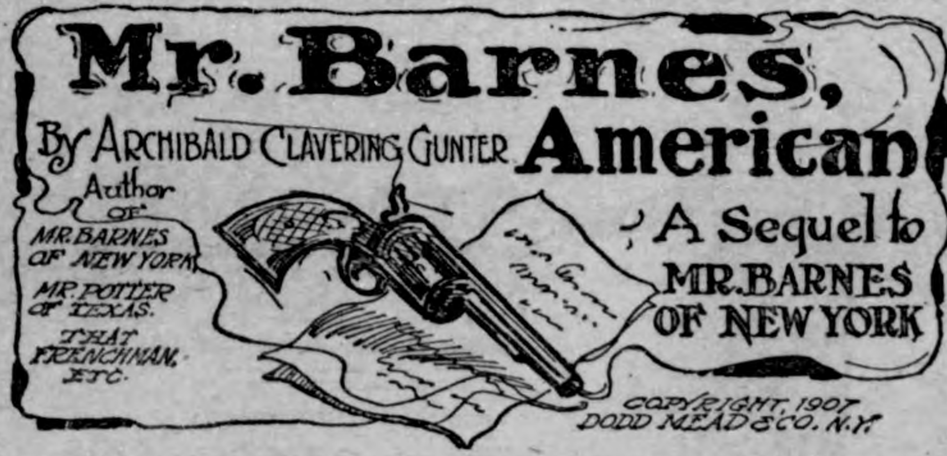
The men were using a gasoline motor, and were running at considerable speed in the darkness when the car struck an obstacle on the track and was thrown from the rails.

George P. Miller a Suicide.

St. Louis. — Physically wrecked through excesses, George P. Miller, aged 48 years, once a brilliant law graduate and private secretary to Samuel J. Randall of Pennsylvania, who was speaker of the [illegible] of representatives, swallowed [illegible] and morphine in a Pine [illegible] ing house Thursday night [illegible] Friday at the City hospital.

Two Killed in Au[illegible]

Des Moines, Ia. — [illegible] was killed and Fran[illegible] seriously injured in an [illegible] accident Friday night. [illegible] Wilkinson and Miss Is[illegible] were severely hurt.



SYNOPSIS.

Burton H. Barnes, a wealthy American touring Corsica, rescues the young English lieutenant, Edward Gerard Anstruther, and his Corsican bride, Marina, daughter of the Paolis, from the murderous vendetta, understanding that his reward is to be the hand of the girl he loves, Enid Anstruther, sister of the English lieutenant. The four fly from Ajaccio to Marseilles on board the French steamer Constantine. The vendetta pursues and as the quartet are about to board the train for London at Marseilles, Marina is handed a mysterious note which causes her to collapse and necessitates a postponement of the journey. Barnes gets part of the mysterious note and receives letters which inform him that he is marked by the vendetta. He employs an American detective and plans to beat the vendetta at their own game. For the purpose of securing the safety of the women Barnes arranges to have Lady Chartris lease a secluded villa at Nice to which the party is to be taken in a yacht. Suspicion is created that Marina is in league with the Corsicans. A man, believed to be Corregio Danella, is seen passing the house and Marina is thought to have given him a sign. Marina refuses to explain to Barnes which fact adds to his latent suspicions. Barnes plans for the safety of the party are learned by the Corsicans. The carriage carrying their party to the local landing is followed by two men. One of the horseman is supposed to be Corregio. They try to murder the American.

CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

Their carriage soon stops near the two small bays upon which are situated the bathhouses. At a little landing place Barnes can just discern in the mist of the water, which adds to the gloom of the evening, a boat with two seamen.

To be certain, he hails and is answered by Emory's voice.

"It's all right," he whispers to the ladies and springs out of the carriage.

The next moment Emory has run up from the landing and is standing beside him. Emory whispers suspiciously to Barnes: "You get the ladies into the boat quick. I told my men not to come near you unless there was danger. I hear their steps coming down. I'll see what they want." Barnes and Edwin carefully escort their charges through the gloom down the little steps that lead to the boat. Their hand satchels being placed beside them, a carriage robe is carefully tucked by Barnes about Miss Anstruther.

Performing a like service for his wife, Edwin seizes the tiller, seats himself at the stern and remarks comfortably: "Now all's shipshape! As soon as your sleuth is on board we'll pull out to the yacht." Then he asks one of the two oarsmen: "Have you the Seagull's bearings?"

"Aye, aye, sir. She is lying off about a quarter of a mile nigh due south of here.

"All right," says Edwin, examining a pocket compass he produces. "She might have been difficult to find in the darkness without her bearings. She's a light up, of course?"

"A mast head anchor-glim, sir," replies the man.

Suddenly Edwin whispers to Barnes: "We've boarders!" and springing up, seizes a boathook and pushes the cutter away from the dock. "Pull quick, my men!" he commands, for the voice of the American detective rings out in the night air: "Look out for yourselves!" and they hear the patter of feet in the darkness running down the walk mingled with a couple of foreign oaths.

Next there is a splash in the water and Barnes says, coolly: "Hold up for a minute, Edwin," and calls: "Is that you, Emory?"

"Yes, thank God!" answers the detective, who is swimming after them.

"Very well, if anybody jumps over after you, I think I can catch him even in the darkness." The American's pistol is in his hand.

Twenty seconds after they drag the dripping sleuth into the cutter.

"You have nothing to wait for now," says Emory, spitting out some salt water. "Get me to the yacht where I can find dry clothes of some kind."

At this, Edwin orders the men to give way, which the Scotch sailors do with alacrity.

"By the blessing of God, you all had a mighty narrow escape," remarks Emory, his voice quivering. "Though [illegible] the deuce the men who are after with[illegible] you took the places of the ones [illegible]d to guard you, is more than I [illegible] When I heard the approach- [illegible] reckoned there must be [illegible] went straight to 'em and by [illegible] jumped me. Half a second [illegible] dead man."

"[illegible] of terror," continues [illegible] dagger that was right [illegible] was stayed, and one [illegible]: 'Diavolo, this isn't [illegible]urderer, Barnes of New [illegible] they whispered some [illegible] that I don't care about [illegible]e the ladies and one of [illegible] knife over me and the other sneaked down towards you, but was too late. You had already got the girls into the boat, I reckon. He came back. They cursed me and let me go. But when they saw I was scooting down the wharf, they started after me, so I jumped into the water and made the boat. They are cursing themselves now, I guess, for letting me get away to warn you."

"Well, they'll hardly dare to follow us on board the yacht," smiles Barnes, for Edwin has hailed: "Sagull, ahoy!" to some vessel looming up in the fog.

"Aye, aye," comes the reply, and a moment later the naval officer has laid the boat alongside of the yacht, from which a side ladder has been put over.

"This is Andrew Graham, the mate," says Emory, as an alert young Scotchman assists the ladies to the deck.

"You want to get into dry clothes," remarks Burton. "We'll discuss this affair a little further after we have had dinner, which I imagine is prepared."

Five minutes later, Emory having gone forward and procured a change of togs from the mate, they all sit down in the little cabin, which is brilliantly lighted and its table beautifully set with crystal and china, even some fresh flowers adorning it.

"You've done everything mighty nice, Emory," says Barnes, genially, to the detective, "and I hope your wetting hasn't destroyed your appetite."

"Not a bite," answers the American representative of Pinkerston'.

"Why doesn't Edwin come down?" whispers Marina, nervously.

"Oh, he's skipper now," replies Burton. "He's making all shipshape with Mr. Graham and getting under way."

After giving the mate his directions as to the course and bidding him keep a good lookout for steamers coming up from Naples, Nice and other ports to the eastward, Edwin joins the party at table.

Lieut. Anstruther, after a glance at his bride, remarks: "Now, with a deck under my feet, I feel shipshape and ready for either pirates or land sharks," and devotes himself with a sailor appetite to his meal. Delicate little confections and ices as well as some magnificent fruit are put upon the table afterwards by the steward, whose fiery red hair and decided Scotch twang indicate he comes from the north of the Tay.

"Altogether," Enid contentedly remarks, "it is about as good a dinner as one could get at the best restaurant in Paris."

A few minutes later the gentlemen go on deck to smoke their cigars. Edwin takes his stand beside his Scotch mate, saying: "We'll take it watch and watch, Graham, until the morning," and sends the young fellow below to turn in.

The two ladies are busily making their arrangements in the cabin. The schooner has a main salon, which is used as a dining-room, and two little quarter staterooms, one of which is assigned to Edwin and his bride, the other to Miss Anstruther.

Under these circumstances, the detective and Barnes have a chance for private conversation. They stroll amidships and seat themselves beside one of the boats.

"How shall I put you on shore?" says Barnes.

"Well, in an hour more we'll be off Bandol, I reckon, and if you'll tell Edwin to drop in to the shore a little, you can put me off in one of the boats."

"All right," replies Burton, and speaking to Anstruther, the yacht's course is changed.

"When you are ashore, you'll get the railway, I suppose, to Marseilles. Pay my hotel bill at the Grand there and remember to meet me at Nice at the time appointed."

Here the detective dismays his American employer; he drawls slowly: "Y-e-s, but I'd like to give up this matter!"

"Give up this matter?"

"Yes. When that Corsican had his knife over my heart he said a few words of warning, telling me to look out how I got into a blood feud; that this matter was to the death, and if I wanted to live I had better leave it alone."

"You're frightened of the man?" asks Barnes.

"No, not exactly frightened, but mighty cautious of him," replies the Yankee, "for a fellow who can fix it so that my two French sleuths were thrown off the track and he and his pal took their very places and rode behind your carriage unsuspected and only by God's mercy were prevented from jumping you and doing you up as you placed the ladies in the boat, is a man whose brains make him mighty dangerous."

"Not dangerous enough to cause you to desert these ladies in their extremity. You, an American—I have been told you have a very good nerve."

"Yes, but this kind of an assassinating in the gloom biz is mighty ticklish —however, I'll go you again," returns the detective, after a few more whiffs of his cigar. "I'll risk it once more for the sake of the ladies. With such a crafty devil agin you, what you want to do is to suspect everybody," continued the detective. "You see you cannot be sure where such a snaky fellow will strike you. If it hadn't been for me fortunately walking up that path wondering why my men came down to you, they would have been upon you while you were putting the ladies in your boat, and would have had some of you sure. I know you can shoot quick and straight, but knives at close quarters are better than revolvers, especially in the darkness. You can bless God for having saved you tonight. Suspect everyone!"

"Suspect everyone!" Barnes mutters to himself and turns his eyes about upon the deck as he speaks.

"Oh, they're all safe here—those bra' Scotch sailor laddies. You saw the mate, he is Scotch also and can be trusted. If you'll put me on shore, I'll be at that villa at Nice ready to tell you everything when you make it. Don't you think the lady—I mean Anstruther's wife—could stand a voyage to England through the Bay of Biscay?" The detective's voice shows how anxious he is that his suggestion be taken.

"As a physician, I don't think she could," remarks Barnes. "You see her neurotic state has been added to by the attack upon us at the landing. It is not her fears for herself, but her fears for her husband."

They are now interrupted by Edwin. "The lights over there are those of Bandol. We're in ten fathoms of water. I don't want to venture in any further at night." Then the voice of the young English officer rings out, ordering the cutter to be lowered and manned.

"I go with you as far as the shore," says Barnes.

"No, you stay with the ladies," whispers Emory. "That's what you want to look after. You're the point of danger now. I'll only suffer if I get too nigh to you." As the Pinkerton man goes over the side, he whispers to Barnes: "Suspect everybody—even your own emotions and doings, and especially those of the women with that crafty cuss who had his dagger so cursed near my heart, working on them."

"Could you recognize the man?" asks Burton eagerly.

"Hardly, but in the struggle my hand caught his face, and I felt a scar over his left eye."

"Great Scott!" ejaculates the American. He is now certain it is Corregio Cipriano Danella who is bent upon revenge for the blood of his dead brother.

As the Yankee detective is rowed away, Barnes paces the deck.

The night is very fine, though extremely dark, and they being near the land, somewhat misty. The yacht's lights, however, burn brightly and a careful lookout is kept. Barnes thinks he has little fear from the sea while the vessel is in command of Edwin Anstruther. Still the detective's last warning, "Suspect everybody!" lingers in his mind.

Some remarks from the ladies in the cabin indicate that they are not coming on deck this evening.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"There's One Man on This Boat I Must Keep My Eye Upon."

NOT SOLID ENOUGH FOOD.

Nuts Seem to Fail to Satisfy the Human Animal.

Next as the darlings of the would-be food reformer come nuts of all sorts, says a writer in McClure's. These are urged upon us with special fervor and enthusiasm by those who regard all foods of animal origin as "tainted money," besmirched by the foul crime of murder. Here, we are told, are foodstuffs—walnuts, hickory nuts, Brazil nuts, pecans, peanuts—of a high degree of toothsomeness and attractiveness, not excessive in expense, and containing a larger percentage of both proteid and fat. Analysis made in the laboratory absolutely confirm the truth of the statement: Fats and proteids are both present in large amounts and in readily digestible form; and yet practically no "unemancipated" specimen of the human race—except the Shawnee Indian in hickory nut time—will attempt to make a meal on nuts, regarding them simply as a bonne bouche, to be taken after the serious business of the meal is over, merely as a dessert. The tacit phrase of "the walnuts and the wine" expresses precisely where they are in the scale of the normal diet list.

India's Sacred Trees.

There are many sacred trees of India which enter largely into the religious life of the Hindoos. Chief among these is the sami tree and the trembling peepul. Nearly all the higher hills and rocks in the plains are crowned each by a temple, shrine or sacred tree. The peepul is known as the king of trees. It is the most holy, and the three great spirits of the Hindoos dwell therein. The worship of the tree is the worship of the triad Brahma, Siva and Vishnu. Almost every Indian village has its peepul tree, with a raised platform or altar around it. The devout remove their shoes before it and make obeisance before proceeding on their way.

Why the Rain Stopped.

The other day it started to rain. When it stopped and I remarked, "I wonder why it does not rain?" my little boy, four years old, looked up at the sky and said very earnestly, "I guess they must have turned it off up there."

WESTERN CANADA A WINNER

THE CROP OF 1907 IS AN EXCELLENT ONE.

Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Farmers Doing Well.

The interest that Western Canada has aroused for some years past is growing in intensity. The conditions of the crop of 1907 are such that results can be spoken of with some degree of certainty. The yield of grain will be about 80,000,000 bushels and the price the farmers will realize for it will be upwards of seventy million dollars. The oat crop was good in most places, and the crop of barley will be very remunerative. Those who know of the generally unsatisfactory conditions during the seeding, growing and ripening period in the United States during the past season, will look with righteous distrust on any statement intended to give the impression that Western Canada conditions were so much different. Generally, they were not, but the conditions of a highly recuperative soil, long and continuous sunshine, are conditions possessed by Western Canada and not possessed by any other country on the Continent. This is why it is possible to record today a fairly successful crop, when in most other places the opposite is the case. The yield in all grains is less than last year, but the higher prices obtained more than offset any falling off in the yield. Take for instance the Province of Saskatchewan the wheat crop will be worth $21,135,000. Last year the same crop was 35 per cent. larger and the quality better. The yield was worth $24,000,000. Oats and barley are very important factors in all three central Provinces. At Gladstone, Manitoba, returns from one farm were $27 per acre from the wheat land, $35 per acre from oats, and $30 per acre from barley. The yield of wheat at Dauphin, Manitoba, was 20 to 24 bushels to the acre but not of a very good grade, but the yield of barley in that section was good and so was the quality and price. At Meadow Lea, Manitoba, 15 to 20 bushels to the acre were thrashed, bringing a round dollar on the market. At Oak Lake, Manitoba, on some fields where 21 bushels were expected, twelve and fifteen was the result; others again where twenty was looked for gave twenty-two to twenty-five. One special patch south of town on J. M. McFarlane's farm went as high as thirty bushels to the acre. At Sheho, Saskatchewan, oats yielded from 60 to 65 bushels to the acre. Sam Wunder threshed 2,500 bushels from forty acres. The sample is good and weighs well. At Lloydminster, Saskatchewan, W. Bibby threshed 97 bushels of oats to the acre, and two others were but little behind. Wheat here reached 35 bushels. At Portage la Prairie, Manitoba, from a quarter section all in crop, Alex. McKinnon of Ingleside threshed an average of 33 bushels No. 1 Northern. I. J. Grant had 190 acres, yielding 6,000 bushels of the same grade. These illustrations taken from widely distant districts (and thousands of others could be produced) show that the year 1907 has not felt the serious effects from severe winter, late spring, or unfavorable conditions during the growing season that might have been antitcpated. In order to learn more about this country write to the Canadian Government Agent whose address appears elsewhere, and get a copy of the new Last Best West, which he will be pleased to mail you free.

Every man has his appointed day and way; life is brief and irrevocable, but it is the work of virtue to extend your fame by your deeds.—Virgil.

FATHER PEIKERT RESUMES HIS DUTIES.

Rev. Albert Peikert, professor of history at St. Joseph's college, and director of the college orchestra, has entirely recovered from his recent operation for appendicitis. The operation was successfully performed by Dr. Brownson, a celebrated specialist on appendicitis at the Mercy hospital, Dubuque, Ia. Since leaving the hospital Father Peikert has been at the home of his parents at McGregor, Ia.

First Chorus Girl—Nellie ain't feelin' well. She's gotta sore throat. Second Chorus Girl—Chee, the noive of 'er putting on airs like a primmer donn.—Kansas City Post.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
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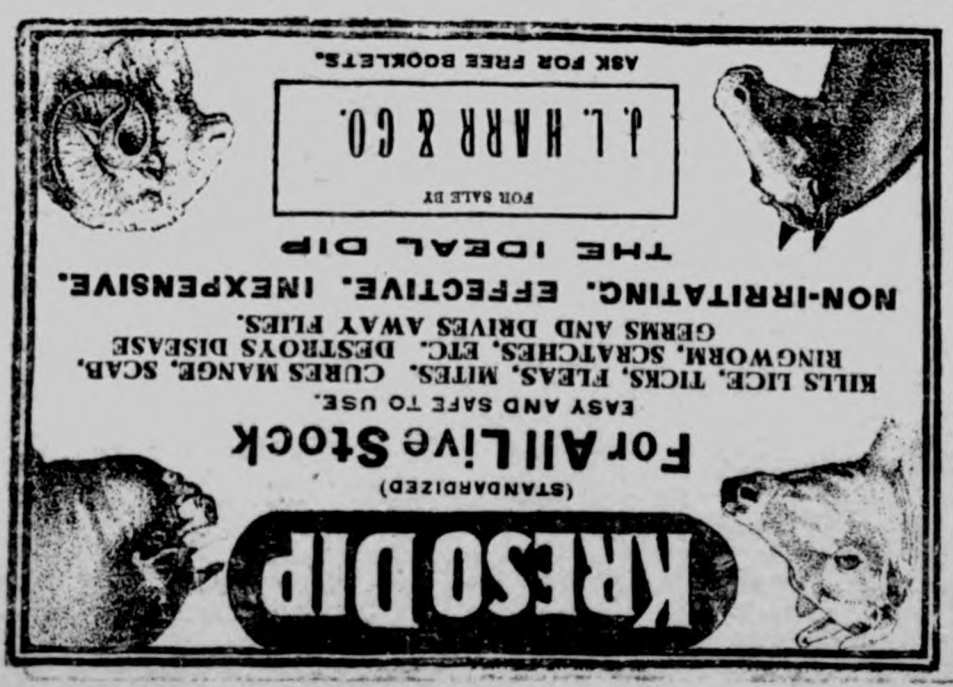
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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the application of the undersigned, John L. Harr, a registered pharmacist, No. 4143, doing business under the name of J. L. Harr & Company in the town of Klemme, County of Hancock and State of Iowa, praying for permission to buy, keep and sell intoxicating liquors for lawful purposes only in the building situated on Lots One and Two (1 and 2) Block Eleven (11) in the town of Klemme, Hancock County, Iowa. will be on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Hancock County, Iowa, on or before the 28th day of November, 1907, and that said matter will come on for hearing in said District Court at the December term thereof, to begun and held at the Court House at Garner, Hancock County, Iowa, on the 9th day of December, A. D., 1907.

Dated Nov. 11th, 1907.

JOHN L. HARR,
Applicant

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German M. E. Church Items

F. C. Griewe arrived home last week and will remain over Thanksgiving.

A number of our people attended the funeral of Mr. Schram of Hayfield on Tuesday.

Emma Sampson and Mrs. F. C. Griewe left for Charles City last Saturday where they will visit with relatives a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wellemeyer and son went to Charles City Wednesday, to spend Thanksgiving with the former's parents.

Invitations cards are out announcing the marriage of Arthur Bettin to Henerette Boevers, both of Fenton, Ia. which is to take place Dec. 4.

Mrs. Wessel and Lurena departed for Giard, Iowa Wednesday evening to be present at a family gathering the next day. They expect to return the forepart of next week.

The revivial meetings in Germantown have been well attended. Some evenings the church was crowded and a deep interest manifested. They will be concluded with this week.

It was just fifty years ago Tuesday, when father and mother Kraus stood at the nuptial alter in the old father land and promised each to the other their hand and heart. Two years later they emigrated to this country and settled in among the hills of Clayton county, Iowa. Here their family increased and their children grew up to manhood and womanhood. A few years ago they came to Klemme to spend their declining years To celebrate their golden wedding all but two of their children were present. Some 50 friends and old people had been invited. A short service was held in the church and father and mother Kraus were heartily congratulated. At their home a splendid dinner was served and the happy occasion will long be remembered.

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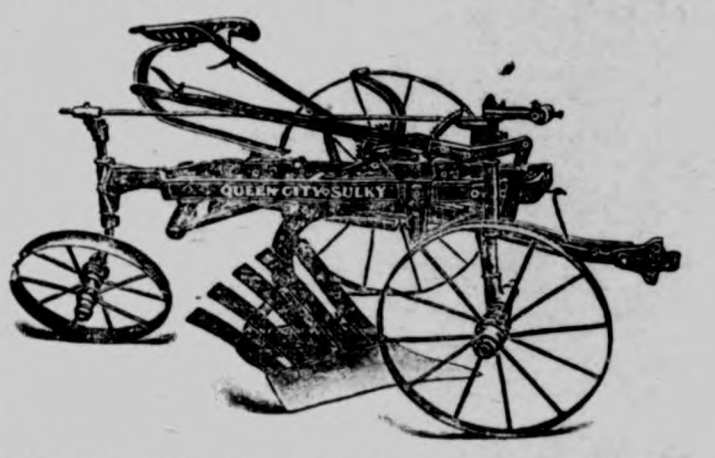

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LOCAL NEWS

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J. W. Scott's little son has been laid up the past few days with a severe cold and has been under the doctor's care.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the peope without a penny cost the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists every where as Dr. Shoop's catarrh remedy. Sold by All Dealers.

Chas. Kluckhohn has been laid up the past week with ear ache and other head troubles. Chas had a hard time of it but is now able to be around again.

I ain't feeling well to day,
Something wrong I must say;
Come to think of it, that's right
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The W. F. Beier sale was well attended and considering present unfavorable condition of the market, cattle sold at high prices, one cow being sold for $46.50. Mr. Beier is well satisfied with the returns

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G. W.

L. W. Fuller was at the hub last week Saturday.

54 head of livestock at the L. A. Fuller sale on Dec. 4th.

F. A. Arnold transacted business at Garner Wednesday.

Mrs. M. H. Thompson is visiting relatives at Wyoming, Iowa.

J. W. Scott, our blacksmith, is another new subscriber added to our list.

W. R. Bloom shipped in corn from the southern part of the state last week.

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NOTICE—Bring in your harnesses and have them oiled for half price now to avoid the rush in the spring. F, Gruetzmacher. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Schaefer and family of Germantown had a Thanksgiving present presented to them on Thanksgiving day. Chris. says that it was a bright little daughter who came to eat turkey with them.

There is nothing better for stomach troubles than Kodol which contains the same juices fouud in a healthy stomach. Kodol is offered on a guarantee plan for the relief of heart burn, flatulence, sour stomach belching of gass nausea and all stomach troubles. So at times when you don't feel just right when you are drowsy after meals and your head aches or when you have no ambition and you are cross and irritable take a little Kodol. It digests what you eat. It will make you healthy. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

The H. Lau & Son shooting match which took place here Wednesday was largely attended and patronized. The Griggs brothers from the Center and Roy Wendel from the west were in the best of form for shooting, winning several prizes. Several others did excellent work, especially Val. Josten, Jr.

A tickling cough from any cause is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's cough cure and it is so thoroughly harmless and safe that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to very youg babes. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub, furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's cough cure. It calms the cough and heals the sore sensative bronchial membranes. No opium no no chloroform nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract that helps to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the doctor uses 'The Sacred Herb'. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Take no other. All Dealers.

John Henschen, Fred Schuldt and Frank Jurgens returned from Granville, N. Dak. Sunday where the boys have been threshing this fall. The boys received good wages, but the farmers did not realize as large a yield as heretofore as they also received too much rain and even some of the crops were hailed out.

You can't be well if you have weak unhealthy tired out stomach. Neither can you feel good if by some little irregularity in eating you have caused the stomach to get out of order. These little stomach troubles are signs of indigestion which many and very often does turn into a very often does turn into a very bad case of dyspepsia. Don't allow this to go on a single day without doing something to overcome it. Take some good reliable and safe digestant as Kodol. for Dyspepsia. Kodol is the the best remedy known to day for heart burn, belching and troubles arising from a diordered digestion. It is pleasant to take and affords relief prompt. Sold by J. L. Harr & Co.

Attend the Fuller sale Dec. 4.

A fresh barrel of Sorghum on tap at Wellemeyer's.

The First National Bank has a change of ad. this week.

Mrs. J. Josten has a holiday sale of millinery. Read her ad.

Watches and jewelry at J. L. Harr & Co. All goods warranted. tf

All glass set free of charge if brought to the store of G. F. Schuler. tf

The N. L. Palmer residence is receiving its last coat of plaster. They began Monday.

H. A. Sweigard made the State Savings Bank a friendly call last week Friday.

Several of our town people attended the dance at Fred H. Haupt's on Wednesday evening.

A new lot of picture molding just received at Schuler's. Bring in those pictures you have stored away and have them framed. tf

Ell Bros. and Lau & Son are as busy as bees these days in dressing poultry for the market. Bring your poultry to Klemme.

If you want to see a large stock of foot wear call at F. Gruetzmacher's, all sizes and prices also horse blankets and fur robes. tf

NOTICE—Those owing me on account for machinery and twine are requested to pay for same on or before Dec. 1st or same will be handed in for collection.
H. Lau & Son.

It is deliciously palatable, agrees with the weakest stomach, contains the most soothing, healing, strengthing and curative elements. Makes you well and happy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. L. Harr & Co.

NOTICE.—Cottage for sale, two blocks south-west of Court House two lots, good well and barn. We also offer our residence property for sale. Inquire at THE TIMES office or Mrs. Mann, Garner, Iowa.

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LINGERING COLD.

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Last winter I caught a severe cold which lingered for weeks, says J Urquhart of Zephyr, Ontario. My cough was very dry and harsh. The local dealer recommended Chamberlain's cough remedy and guaranteed it so I gave it a trial. One small bottle of it cured me. I believe Chamberlain's cough remedy to be the best I have ever used. This remedy is for sale by J L Harr & Co.

For Sale.

A few registered Short-horn bull from ten to sixteen months old. Four miles east of Garner.
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For years I war troubled with billiousness and constipation which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once and strengthen the digestive functions helping the system to do its work naturally—Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by J L Harr & Co.

W R. Bloom drove to Garner on Monday.

F. J. Wenck visited at Garner over Sunday.

Some good live stock at the Fuller sale Dec. 4th.

FOR SALE—One year old registered Poland China boar. Grand Chief No. 116795. A. J. Schoenwetter. 16-3

Both the W. F. Beier and Chas. Anderson sales on Tuesday were very largely represented at both places.

Minnie Lau left Wednesday evening for Belmond where she visited with friends over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. John Gruetzmacher and Grandma Gruetzmacher were at Garner Saturday where they visited with relatives.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:
C. W. Wiles, Klemme

C. W. Wiles is sporting a new sign for his pool hall and lunch room. The sign is a good looker and was made by C. C. Suckow.

Jim Wright was taken sick very suddenly last week and was confined to his bed for several days but is now able to be around again.

FOR SALE—Five full blood Poland China pigs which are registered.
tf H. Lau & Son.

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some little candy cold tabets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing preventics for they are not only safe but decidedy certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the sneeze stage preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis. lagrippe etc. Hence the name Preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5c. Sold by All Dealers.

Goodell and Vicinity.

Archie Christie is shredding corn this week.

Mark Lampson of North Dak. is visiting in this vicinity.

Wm. Enabnit and family are visiting at L. W. Wesenbergs.

Lars Peterson bumped the bumps on the Chicago hog market Monday.

Mrs. Jim Hatt of Belmond, visited at the home of L. E. Avery last week.

Julius Nolte of Avery Center has moved back to Burrbak Grove and will reenter the ranks of the "Never Sweats."

Chas. Roth and family of Hickory Grove, moved onto the Lempke farm recently vacated by Fred Aldrich. "Mammoth" says: "I golly it seems like getting home again to get back to Avery Center."

Rumor says that an Avery Center man has fitted his hogs with cast iron snoots so they can root for a living We believe it would be well to devise something like this for the human family for it looks like they would have some rooting to do in the near future.

A HARD DEBT TO PAY.

I owe a debt of gratitude that can never be paid off, writes G S Clark of Westfield, Iowa, for my rescue from death by Dr. King's new discovery. Both lungs were so seriously affected that death seemed imminent when I commenced taking New Discovery. The ominous dry hacking cough quit before the first bottle was used and 2 more bottles made a complete cure. Nothing has ever equaled new discovere for coughs, colds and throat and lung complaints. Guaranteed by J L Harr & Co. druggists. 50c and $1. Trial bottle free.

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you have any old iron to sell I will be pleased to buy it. I will pay 30c per hundred in cash. Anyone having a load on hand, notify me.
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Now is the time to subscribe for THE TIMES

Said Turkey Great to Pumpkin Big:
"Long have I been, my friend,
King of the barnyard, but my reign
Must soon come to an end;
Thanksgiving Day is near—heigh-ho!"
Said Pumpkin Big, "Yes, that is so."

Said Pumpkin Big to Turkey Great:
"The kitchen garden's queen
I am, and one more beautiful,
I'm sure, was never seen;
And yet, with you, I'll have to go."
Said Turkey Great, "Yes, that is so."

"But still," said Turkey Great, "w
cooked,
King of the feast I'll be."
"And in the pies," said Pumpkin Big
"Will shine my royalty;
Our fate might be much worse, you
know."
And then they both sighed, "That is so."

APPOINTING THE DAY OF THANKSGIVING

PROCLAMATION FROM THE WHITE HOUSE IS ONE OF THE MOST SERIOUS DUTIES THAT DEVOLVE UPON THE PRESIDENT.

The only piece of really pure literature ever officially issued from the White house is the proclamation appointing a day of thanksgiving. All other papers written by the president are business documents, the phraseology of which is technical; but this annual message to the people is always a painstakingly worded and grateful composition. A fairly illustrative example will be found in Mr. Roosevelt's proclamation setting aside the last Thursday of the present month for the Thanksgiving of 1906.

It is the duty of Mr. Loeb (who runs the machinery of the president's business, arranging all his engagements for him) to call Mr. Roosevelt's attention to the fact that Thanksgiving approaches, and to remind him that a proclamation must be written. Of course, it requires considerable time to do this, and so busy a man as the chief executive of the nation might be excusable if he handed over the task to some subordinate, contenting himself with affixing his signature. But custom demands that the work shall be performed by the president himself.

Accordingly, when the proclamation has to be prepared, the president devotes some time to thinking out a new shape in which to put the more or less stereotyped ideas which are to be expressed, and, as he does so, jots down a few memoranda in pencil on a paper pad. Then, touching a buzz-button, he summons one of the dozen stenographers who are always in attendance, and dictates to him carefully the wording of the document. It is short—not more than 400 or 500 words—but daintily and tersely phrased. This, however, is only a rough draft. It is copied in typescript by the stenographer, with lines twice the ordinary distance apart, so as to be convenient for corrections and interlineations, and in this shape is handed back to Mr. Roosevelt.

At the department of state the proclamation is beautifully engrossed on a great sheet of fine parchment by a clerk highly skilled in this kind of penmanship. It is a considerable task, and occupies some days, at the end of which the document is sent back to the white House to receive the president's signature, and is thereupon returned to the department to be signed by the secretary of state and sealed with the great seal of the United States.

This seal, by the way, is a sort of federal fetich. It is the most sacred of all things that belongs to the government; and no print of it is ever allowed to be given away or sold—though, of course, it is attached to all military and naval commissions, and to various other executive documents. It was made by a New York jeweler at a cost of $10,000, and is kept in a beautiful rosewood box at the state department. In order that it may be used for stamping the Thanksgiving proclamation, a printed order to that effect must be signed by Mr. Roosevelt.

The department of state is the permanent depository of executive proclamations. All the Thanksgiving proclamations ever issued by the presidents of the United States are filed away in its archives—back even to 1795, when George Washington set aside the 19th day of February, in that year, as a date on which the people should "thank God for exemption from foreign war and from insurrection." Consequently, the engraved proclamation is retained by the department "for keeps," and it is a copy that is sent by special messenger to the government printing office, to be put into type. Printed copies are given to the newspapers, or to anybody who wants them; but there must be typewritten copies for the governor of each state and territory of the union, and these are made at the White House and mailed from there.

It will thus be seen that the issuing of the annual Thanksgiving proclamation is, from beginning to end, quite an elaborate piece of business. There is no law to compel the president to make it, and Mr. Roosevelt, if he had so chosen, might have omitted it this year or during his administration. Or, if it should seem proper to him next year, he might choose another day—say, the 1st of January—instead of the last Thursday in November. But it is reasonably certain that he will do neither of these things, for custom holds fast in the bonds of usage the chief magistrate of the nation equally with the plainest citizen.

As everybody knows, the celebration of Thanksgiving day dates back to the Puritans. At irregular intervals, after their arrival in this country, they set dates by public announcement for prayer and feasting, in recognition of blessings vouchsafed from on high. Following this example, in the early history of the republic, days of thanksgiving were appointed by the president for special reasons.

But somehow the pious custom fell into abeyance, and for many years there was no national Thanksgiving, until, during the civil war, a woman, Sarah Josepha Hale, who edited a woman's paper, and who had been chiefly instrumental in raising $50,000 to complete the Bunker Hill monument—took up the matter, and persuaded Abraham Lincoln to take an interest in it. Thus it came about that Mr. Lincoln issued a proclamation in 1864, appointing the last day of November of that year as a day of prayer and rejoicing. Since then the custom has held, and there has been an annual Thanksgiving celebration for the entire nation, at the instance of the president.

At the White House, Thanksgiving day is always very quietly spent, without any special celebration—barring the fact that each married member of the official staff, including the policemen who guarded the premises, receives a fine turkey. Nearly 70 fat birds are distributed by Col. Crook, the executive paymaster, who is himself an interesting personage, inasmuch as he has been attached to the White House staff, in various capacities, since Lincoln's time. Mr. Roosevelt usually has several turkeys, which are sent to him as gifts.—Rene Bache, in Brooklyn Eagle.

WILL ENFORCE LAW

TEXT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OPINION.

REMOVE DERELICT OFFICIALS

Says He Has Authority and Opinion Is Concurred in by the Governor.

Des Moines.—Attorney General H. W. Byers has written the following letter to the Des Moines Register and Leader:

To the Editor: In your editorial of recent date relative to the enforcement of the liquor law in Iowa you call attention to the late decision of the supreme court of Minnesota, wherein the attorney general prosecuted an action in the name of the state to remove one Robinson from the office of mayor of the city of St. Cloud, and also to recover the penalty provided by section 1561 of the revised laws of Minnesota. You insist that the attorney general of Iowa has equal authority with the attorney general of Minnesota.

Section 1561, revised laws of 1905 of Minnesota, makes it the duty of the mayor of every municipality of that state, or other public officers named there. to make complaint to the proper magistrate of any known violation of the laws of the state on the subject of the sale of intoxicating liquors; and section 1562 declares a neglect of that duty malfeasance in office, subjecting the guilty officer to removal and a penalty of not less than $100 and not more than $500.

Section 4545 of the Minnesota code provides, among other things, that when any public officer does or suffers an act which by law causes a forfeiture of his office, the attorney general may, when he has reason to believe that a cause of action can be proved, bring an action in the name of the state upon his own information or upon the complaint of a private person against the person offending.

Statute and Common Law.

It is therefore erroneous to assume that the Minnesota decision sustaining the attorney general's rights to prosecute an action for the removal of an officer for malfeasance or nonfeasance in office is based upon the common law powers of the attorney general.

The principal point decided in the case was that the attorney general had authority by virtue of his office to maintain an action to recover the penalty prescribed by section 1562, revised laws of Minnesota, notwithstanding that section 1561 made it the duty of the county attorney to collect such penalty. The court based its decision partly upon the common law powers, which it said inhered in the office of the attorney general, but also found that it was the evident purpose of the legislature in passing the present liquor laws to re-establish the supreme authority of the state with reference to the control and regulation of the sale of intoxicating liquors.

The mulct law in Iowa, which does not repeal, but only suspends under certain conditions, the prohibitory law, contains a method for its enforcement, but the responsibility of enforcement rests almost wholly with local officers. Judges are enjoined with the duty of instructing the grand jury with reference to violations of the liquor laws, and section 2406 provides that actions to abate liquor nuisances may be brought in the name of the state by the county attorney, or any citizen in the county may institute and maintain such a proceeding in his name.

Section 2423 provides, that peace officers shall see that all provisions of the chapter relating to intoxicating liquors are faithfully executed within their respective jurisdictions, and when informed, or they have reason to believe that the law has been violated, they shall file an information to that effect against the offending party before a magistrate, and further provides that the county attorney shall appear for the state and prosecute such cases, and that any peace officer who fails in his duty shall, upon conviction, pay a fine of not less than $10 nor more than $50 and forfeit his office.

Section 5099 designates peace officers to be, (1) sheriffs and their deputies; (2) constables; (3) marshals and policemen of cities and towns.

County Attorney and Mayor.

It is to be observed that the provisions of said section do not include county attorneys, and also that the section is criminal in its nature, and that the peace officer who fails to comply with the provisions of said act may be proceeded against only by information in the regular way.

Section 2446 of the code, which is currently supposed to give the judges of the various districts authority to summarily suspend or remove from office any county attorney who neglects or refuses to enforce the general provisions of the mulct law, merely provides that it shall be the duty of the county attorney of each county to see that the provisions of the chapter relating to the mulct tax are enforced, and for a failure in this regard, the district court or judge thereof shall suspend or remove from office any county attorney.

It is contended by some that this section only authorizes the court or judge to suspend or remove county attorneys for a failure or refusal to enforce the provisions of the chapter relating to the mulct tax, and cite in support of this contention the fact that the law as originally enacted was more general in its provisions and authorized the district court or any judge thereof, to remove any county attorney for failure to perform any of the duties enjoined upon him under the provisions of the mulct law; but whether this contention is sound or not, there is ample authority for removing county attorneys or other officers from office for neglect or failure to enforce the mulct law, found in chapter 8, title 6 of the code, the provisions of which are general in their nature and apply to all county, township, city and town officers.

For Nonfeasance In Office.

In addition to the other grounds specified therein, said chapter provides that officers may be removed for habitual or willful neglect of duty for corruption, and for willful misconduct or maladministration in office.

Section 1252 of the code provides, that any resident of the county, city or town of which the person to be charged is an officer may make complaint by a petition in the district court. It further provides, that the county attorney shall file such petition whenever he believes there is just cause therefor, and may be required to do so by the court or judge thereof.

Section 1253 provides for notice to the accused; section 1254 provides that the action shall be tried as a law action, and that all the proceedings shall, as near as may be, conform to the rules governing the trial of such action.

It is perfectly apparent that there is a material difference between the procedure in the Iowa law and the Minnesota law, and that the attorney general of Minnesota is given a great deal more power and authority by statute than is conferred upon the attorney general of Iowa.

State Will Act.

In this state, however, the attorney general unquestionably has the authority to appear in any case in which the state is a party or in which it has an interest. No one, I think though, would contend that as this department is now organized, with a contingent fund of only $600 per annum over and above an amount sufficient to pay the regular help, it would be physically possible, or that it is his duty to appear for the state before committing magistrates in the prosecution of persons charged with indictable offenses, nor even to assist in the prosecution of such persons in the district court after an indictment unless the case was of unusual public interest, and then only when requested to do so by the governor, executive counsel, or general assembly; and in this connection it is proper to say that at the beginning of the term of the present attorney general the governor called attention to the necessity of a better enforcement of the laws of the state, and requested and authorized the department to take such action as was deemed best in all matters with respect to law enforcement.

Without extending this statement further, it is my judgment, in which the governor concurs, that there is sufficient authority under our statute to authorize the attorney general to appear and prosecute any action brought in the name of the state for the removal of any county attorney, or other officer when the county attorney refuses to prosecute, for malfeasance or nonfeasance in office; and this department stands ready to prosecute in all such cases upon proper complaint by any responsible resident of the county or city of which the person charged is an officer.

Respectfully,
H. W. Byers.

The snail possesses a great advantage over nearly all living creatures. A decapitated snail, kept in a moist place, will in a few weeks grow a new head, quite as serviceable and good-looking as that which was removed.

Knives and spoons are of great antiquity, but the use of forks is comparatively modern. Indispensable as these adjuncts of the table may now appear, they had not become at all general at the beginning of the eighteenth century.

To renovate and brighten gilt frames on pictures and mirrors that have become dirty and dingly, simply wash them very gently with a small sponge moistened with alcohol, or oil of turpentine, the sponge only to be sufficiently wet to take off the dirt and fly-marks, but left to dry of themselves.

The military authorities of Germany are experimenting with a device by which the location of troops using smokeless powder may be easily discovered. It is proposed to survey the landscape through pale red glasses, as experts announce that the flash of smokeless powder appears strong in red light, while ordinary objects are dimmed.

How men kill time! When we were a boy, living on a farm in Missouri, we remember the Rogers boys, who were always offering to bet. One day they got up a discussion as to whether a mouse could be killed by hanging it by the neck. They caught a mouse, and tried the experiment. The mouse paid no attention to being hanged by the neck, so they gradually added weights to its tail. The experiment was not an important one, yet the Rogers boys spent nearly a day in working at it.

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FINANCIAL DISCUSSION HAD

Nebraskan's Scheme Is To Have Government Guarantee Bank Deposits—Approved by Executive.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 24.—President Roosevelt on Saturday had several important conferences on financial matters, one with J. Pierpont Morgan and one with William J. Bryan. To both of them he presented his plan for currency legislation and, remarkable to say, it was approved by both.

It is a strange situation wherein President Roosevelt, so great a power in the financial world as Mr. Morgan and the leader of the democratic party, find themselves in accord. but the present is such a situation.

Inside facts as to the president's conferences with Mr. Morgan and Mr. Bryan developed Saturday evening. The fact that Mr. Roosevelt's currency reform plan was approved by both his callers leads to the belief that currency legislation will be made much easier than many have supposed it would be. It is thought, too, that the president's plan for legislation to control corporations will be facilitated by reason of his talk with Mr. Morgan and that great corporate interests will interpose less objection to it.

President Roosevelt's currency reform plan, as it will be laid before congress, provides not for asset currency as the term is generally used, but for an issue of emergency currency against proper segregated assets. That is, suitable bonds including other than the government's to a limited degree. He would have this emergency currency taxed heavily enough to retire it when there is no crisis. He thinks 3 per cent, as the Fowler bill proposes, too low a tax and would have it 5, 6 or 8 per cent if necessary. Probably 5 per cent would be the tax on the first issue with higher tax on later issues. Thus he would prevent permanent inflation.

This tax would provide a guarantee fund against losses through failed banks.

Mr. Bryan told the president about his plan to have the government guarantee deposits and found that Mr. Roosevelt was inclined to look with favor on it though he is not committed to it.

HYSTERIA VANISHES.

Improved Conditions in Financial Circles Being Felt.

New York, Nov. 25.—Somewhat improved conditions prevail in the financial district. Hysteria has at last disappeared and is now giving way to a sober recognition of the fact that conditions have radically changed, and that the sooner business begins to readjust itself to these new conditions the sooner will it be started on the road to real recovery.

Of course the abnormal stringency in money is still the chief source of difficulty. Until that abates it is idle to look for any change for the better. Credit is badly disorganized and unable to take its part in the nation's transactions. Consequently there is an abnormal demand for currency just when the prevailing distrust keeps alive the tendency to hoard. Not until the premium on currency begins to disappear; not until clearing certificates begin to be withdrawn, and not until bank reserves begin to rise can any genuine improvement be looked for. It is quite evident, now that the situation has passed beyond the possibility of relief by artificial measures. that it must be allowed to work out its own solution.

The panicky feeling so prominent in Wall street two or three weeks ago has now extended in modified form into general business. Merchants are often seriously inconvenienced by the contraction in credit, buyers seek to cancel orders and values are frequently weakened in consequence. Fortunately there are few markets that are overstocked, and this prevents any such wholesale slump in commodities as occurred in securities. If any oversupply develops it will come from lessened consumption; and as steps are already being taken to curtail production in the iron, cotton and other industries that danger is being reduced to a minimum. There is little doubt that when the monetary situation improves, the conditions of general business will be found fairly satisfactory and sound.

SHAW EXPLAINS PANIC.

[illegible]icago, Nov. 24.—In a stinging [illegible] before the National Business [illegible]e here last night, former Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw [illegible]t that the present financial [illegible]ch is not the result of dis[illegible]nagement, but is caused by [illegible]de several distinct causes. [illegible]dience heard the distinguished [illegible] his ideas concerning legislation. [illegible]ed by some of [illegible]that Mr. Shaw [illegible] the president[illegible] confined himself [illegible]ssion of the

G. W. [illegible]

REAL CAUSE FOR GLADNESS.

How Young Lawyer Carried Comfort to Convicted Client.

An amusing story is told by Harper's Weekly at the expense of a prominent Baltimore lawyer, who, like most young attorneys, got his first case by assignment from the bench. His client had been indicted for murder, and his conviction was a foregone conclusion, as his guilt was unquestionable.

The result of the trial was a sentence to be hanged; but the man made an appeal to the governor for a pardon and was anxiously awaiting a reply thereto when his lawyer visited him in his cell.

"I got good news for you—very good news!" the young lawyer said, grasping the man's hand.

"Did the governor—is it a pardon?" the man exclaimed joyously.

"Well, no. The fact is the governor refuses to interfere. But an uncle of yours has died and left you $200, and you will have the satisfaction of knowing that your lawyer got paid, you know," was the comforting explanation.

BABY ITCHED TERRIBLY.

Face and Neck Covered with Inflamed Skin—Doctors No Avail—Cured by Cuticura Remedies.

"My baby's face and neck were covered with itching skin similar to eczema, and she suffered terribly for over a year. I took her to a number of doctors, and also to different colleges, to no avail. Then Cuticura Remedies were recommended to me by Miss G—. I did not use it at first, as I had tried so many other remedies without any favorable results. At last I tried Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Resolvent Pills, and to my surprise noticed an improvement. After using three boxes of the Cuticura Ointment, together with the Soap and Pills, I am pleased to say she is altogether a different child and the picture of healtth. Mrs. A. C. Brestlin, 171 N. Lincoln St., Chicago, Ill., Oct. 20 and 30, 1906."

Reliably Informed.

"It must be lovely to be a successful playwright," she said, looking admiringly at him, "isn't it?"

"It is," said he, trying not to seem proud.

"I understand," she went on softly, "that you had a play last winter that ran for one consecutive night. Was that true?"

"Yes," said he, frowning slightly.

"And I have been told," she continued, "that seven of your plays will be produced this winter."

"Who told you that?" he asked, his face all smiles again.

"You did," she said.

Why Streets Are Straight.

"There is no mystery about the streets of New York," complained the aesthetic stranger. "It is all straight up and down. North, south, east, west; all straight paths. No crosscuts and alleys, no zigzag turns and twists and cowpaths, as in London and Paris. Just long, straight, uninterrupted roads."

"Built that way purposely," a native explained. "When the average New Yorker has to go home, he needs a straight road."

Women Workers of Great Britain.

Women of Great Britain are well represented in the professions and trades, and about 4,500,000 earn their own living. There are 124,000 who teach; 10,000 are bookkeepers; over 3,000 are printers and nearly 500 act as editors and compilers; 1,300 are engaged in photography; civil service clerks number nearly 2,300; 3,800 are engaged in medical work and nursing and 350 women are blacksmiths.

WHAT WAS IT

The Woman Feared?

What a comfort to find it is not "the awful thing" feared, but only chronic indigestion, which proper food can relieve.

A woman in Ohio says:

"I was troubled for years with indigestion and chronic constipation. At times I would have such a gnawing in my stomach that I actually feared I had a—I dislike to write or even think of what I feared.

"Seeing an account of Grape-Nuts I decided to try it. After a short time I was satisfied the trouble was not the awful thing I feared but was still bad enough. However, I was relieved of a bad case of dyspepsia by changing from improper food to Grape-Nuts.

"Since that time my bowels have been as regular as a clock. I had also noticed before I began to eat Grape-Nuts that I was becoming forgetful of where I put little things about the house, which was very annoying.

"But since the digestive organs have become strong from eating Grape-Nuts, my memory is good and my mind as clear as when I was young, and I am thankful." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little booklet, "The Road to Wellville," in packages. "There's a reason."

WAS WILLING TO FORGET.

Young Man Bore No Grudge Against Proposed Father-in-Law.

That the young fellow had grit was evident from the fact that his business, from nothing, had in a few years begun to bring in a fairish income. He made up his mind to get married. The girl—although the daughter of a pompous country resident—agreed with him; but the father did not see things in the same light.

"What! You?" he yelled, angrily. "You want to marry my daughter! Why, it is only a few years since you were caddying for me."

"That's true!" interrupted the young man, "but I don't intend to let that stand in the way. The language you then used was certainly a trifle—say blue-tinted; but then you were under the influence of disappointment. After all, you know, a very bad golfer may make a very good father-in-law. Anyhow, I'm going to give you a chance."

DANGER IN A COLD.

When Not Taken in Time They Produce Pneumonia.

A cold—just an ordinary, everyday cold—that kind that may be contracted at any moment and from any one of a thousand causes, is a more serious ailment than many people think it is.

In how many cases of pneumonia do we hear the explanation:—"It started with just a slight cold?"

The moral is to take care of the cold before it has a chance to become pneumonia, and the method is simple. In the first place get warm,—get thoroughly warm. Begin with the feet and start the blood circulating by a foot bath of hot water, as hot as you can stand it. Follow this with hot drinks, and then give to the chest and throat a thorough rubbing with Hoff's German Liniment, a camphor cream preparation that is more effective than camphorated oil, goose grease, or others of the panaceas for all ills. Hoff's German Liniment does not soil the clothing, is sold by all reliable druggists for 25 cents. It can be used either on the throat and lungs, or in case of a sore throat, as a gargle. Don't let the druggist give you something just as good.

Slow Growth of Oyster.

When an oyster is a fortnight old it is not much larger than the head of a pin. At the end of four years' growth it is fit for the table.

Nathan Straus, an eastern philanthropist, has established in New York City a series of milk booths where pure sterilized milk is sold to the poor for one cent a bottle. Absolute antiseptic cleanliness is required by him in all branches of the enterprise. In cleansing the milk bottles he uses two things—hot water and BORAX. The glistening bottles testify to the effectiveness of this method.

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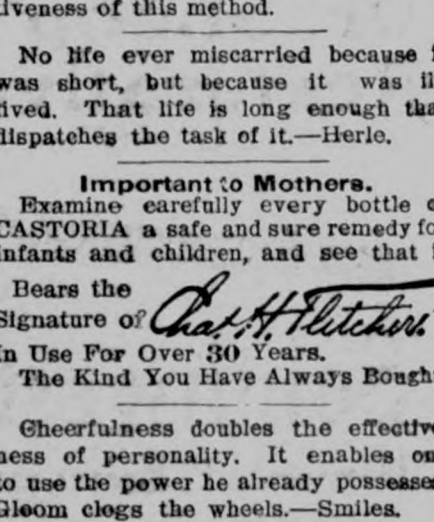

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The growth of a tumor is so insidious that frequently its presence is wholly unsuspected until it is well advanced.

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The following letters should convince every suffering woman of its virtue, and that it actually does conquer tumors.

Mrs. May Fry, of 836 W. Colfax Ave., South Bend, Ind., writes:
Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I take great pleasure in writing to thank you for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I also took the Blood Purifier in alternate doses with the Compound. Your medicine removed a cyst tumor of four years' growth, which three of the best physicians declared I had. They had said that only an operation could help me. I am very thankful that I followed a friend's advice and took your medicine. It has made me a strong and well woman and I shall recommend it as long as I live."

Mrs. E. F. Hayes, of 26 Ruggles St., Boston, Mass., writes:

"I have been under different doctors' treatment for a long time without relief. They told me I had a fibroid tumor, my abdomen was swollen, and I suffered with great pain. I wrote to you for advice, you replied and I followed your directions carefully and to-day I am a well woman. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound expelled the tumor and strengthened my whole system."

Mrs. S. J. Barber, of Scott, N. Y., writes:
Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"Sometime ago I wrote you for advice about a tumor which the doctors thought would have to be removed. Instead I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and to-day am a well woman."

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"I had a tumor and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound removed it for me after two doctors had given me up. I was sick four years before I began to take the Compound. I now recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound far and near."

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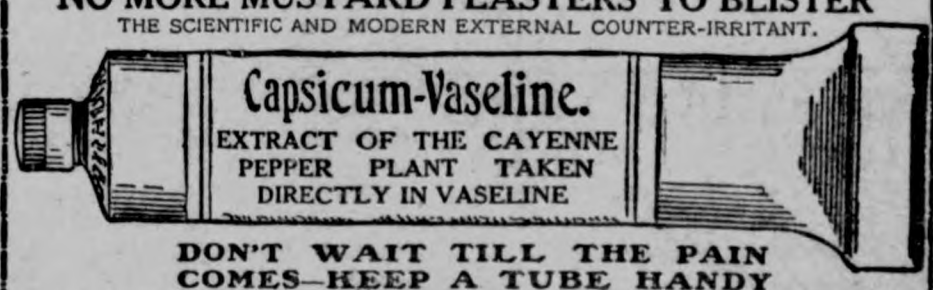

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East Ell Township.

Henry Thiemann purchased a horse lately.

Corn husking is almost completed in this vicinity.

H. Thiemann transacted business at Garner Saturday.

J. Newberger delivered hogs in Klemme last week Tuesday.

Norma Patterson visited the school in No. 7. Monday afternoon.

School began in Dist. No 7 Monday. Nov. 18. Miss Meyer is teacher.

A. Minder and family spent Saturday and Sunday with E. Buss and family.

Harry Behringer and lady were driving thru' this neighborhood Sunday.

J. P. Patterson, wife and children Norma and Milton visited at John Hoselton's Monday,

W. R. Bloom and Thed He--chen were jack rabbit hunting in this vicinity one day last week

Trapping is quite a rage in this part of the county but there are several different ways of trapping.

Mrs Hoselton and children, Miss Meyer. Mrs. Webner and Mrs Haskell and daughter visited at Wm. Yohn's Sunday.

How He Hunted Bear.

A New York Irishman was visiting a friend in the Adirondacks and was taken with a desire to go hunting. Borrowing a gun from his friend he set off alone in search of game. Some time after his host heard a distant report of a gun. A few minutes later he heard some one shouting. From a window he spied, in the distance, his friend, hot-footing it for home, and behind him a bear, gaining at every step. Nearly spent, the pursued reached the door just in time to cry out:

"Quick, Mike! Quick! Open the door! I'm bringing him home aloive!"

Good Old Stock.

"Have ye anny ancisters, Mrs. Kelly?" asked Mrs. O'Brien.

"An' what's ancisters?"

"Why, people you shprung from."

"Listen to me, Mrs. O'Brien," said Mrs. Kelly, impressively. "I come from the rale stock of Donahues, thot shpring from nobody. They shpring at thim!"

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"I'm so glad to meet you! You have afforded me so very much amusement just lately."

"Amusement?" said the other.

"Oh, yes," went on the bride. "I've been through my husband's desk, and I've read all his old love letters. I found several very affectionate letters from you, and I enjoyed reading them, really, ever so much."

"I'm so glad you enjoyed them," purred the other. "But do come and see me very soon. Here is my card. I have the answers to all those letters and you might like to read them as well. Mr. X——'s letters are so much more affectionate than those I wrote to him. I know you'll enjoy reading them ever so much more than you did mine."

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OBITUARY.

DIED—December 1, 1907, at his home in Garner, Iowa, in his 70th year of senilty and cancer of the stomach after a few months illness Mr. Rob't Elder.

Deceased was born in Clearfield county, Pennsylvania, February 23, 1838. In the spring of 1861 he went to Belmond, Wright county, Iowa, where his brother J. M. Elder had previously located. He remained there a short time, then returned to Pennsylvania where he was married to Henrietta Bloom, daughter of Isaac Bloom of Clearfield county, Pennsylvania on May 28th, 1863. In the spring of 1866 he came to Hancock county, settling in Avery township where he engaged in farming. He came to Garner in 1870 building one of the first dwelling houses here. He was employed by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway as first station agent in Garner. In 1872 he built the Elder house of which he was the genial proprietor for many years.

He was one of the incorporators the Concord cemetery assosiation in 1875 with nineteen associates. In 1881 he was appointed deputy county treasurer and served several years in this capacity under the terms of John Maben and Mr. Haney. Deceased was one of the charter members of Bethel Lodge No 319 A. F. and A. M. In the year 1872 he with seven others made application of a dispensation to organize a Masonic Lodge at Garner and the dispensation was granted July 27, 1882 under which they held their first meeting September 19, 1882 and on June 4, 1873 a charter was issued to them under the name of Bethel Lodge No. 319 A. F. and A. M.

He was cashier of the Hancock County Bank from 1884 until it was merged with the City National Bank in 1892 into the First National Bank. Under Cleveland's adminstration he held the position of postmaster two terms while he was cashier of the Bank. His was a busy life. He was closely identified with the early history of Garrer. He was a kind and loving husband and a good neighbor and gained many friends by his genial good nature. The last few years of his life was spent in quietness. The funeral services were Masonic and were held at his late residence, Rev. Henry preaching the sermon. May his memory be ever kept in faithful breasts like the sprig of acacia. He leaves behind his wife and numerous relatives to mourn his loss.—Signal.

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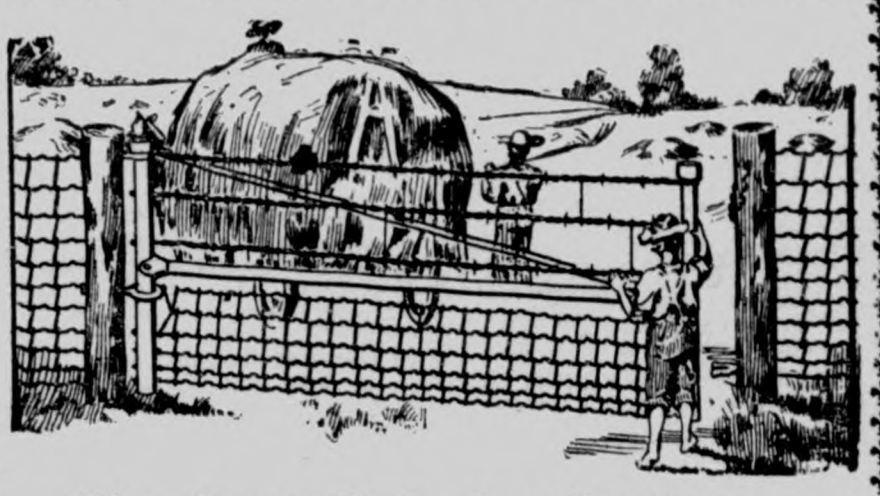

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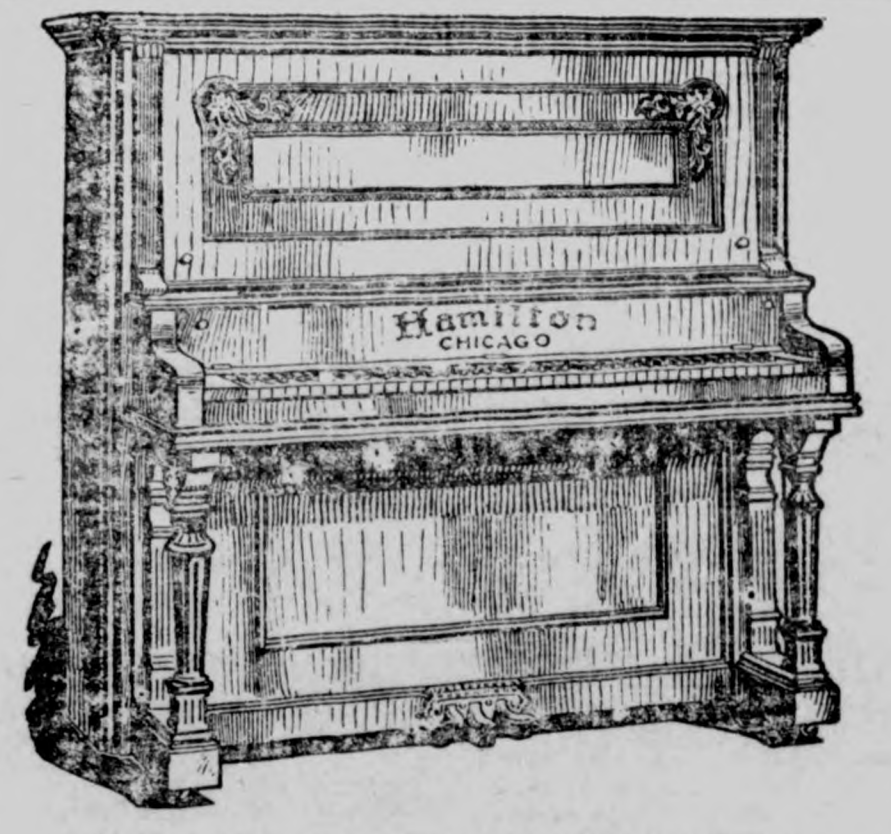

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Bravery blackens the eyes of bad luck.

Dogged endurance defeats even despair.

This is the time for every wise wife to husband her resources.

It is never hard times to the man who finds pearls in his oyster stew.

The big battleships are to have have bigger battleships to smite 'em.

You never hear of a divorce in a family where the shelves are loaded with preserves and pickles.

"Occasional separations are good for married couples," says a woman writer. Good or unavoidable?

A descendant of an Iroquois chief made a million out of the market. His specialty doubtless is scalping.

Pianists are insuring their hands and dancers their feet. There is never any telling what insurance will do next.

The fact that butter is to be advanced to 50 cents a pound by the trust is likely to cow the economical housewife

Gladys Vanderbilt's fiance is being criticised for his extreme economy. This is a very unusual fault in a foreign husband.

A Chinaman in New York kissed a white woman in public. Then he took his cue and departed before the mob could get at him.

While the cost of living may go down the weary householder is afraid it will take a distressingly long time to pass a given point.

The "bigger" the men in the crime business, the more essential it is that they be run in and locked up, the same as the smaller fry.

The sultan is putting up telephones in Turkey, but it is safe to say that he will do all of his talking to the harem in the good old way.

Lillian Russell says that divorce is a blessing, but she would probably feel irritated if her ex-husbands should publicly express the same opinion.

After a little while the possibility of war may become so remote that there will be no need of repeating the assurances that there will be no war.

An Englishman is going to seek the south pole in an automobile, possibly in an effort to emulate the glorious achievements of Mr. Wellman at the north pole.

The oldest newspaper in China, and the oldest also in the world, is to be modernized. This means the breaking down of the strongest Chinese wall ever erected.

The popularity of bridge in Chicago was never more strikingly illustrated than by the fact that 56,349 wagons crossed eleven bridges in eight hours the other day.

It is always well not to rejoice too soon. It turns out that the Florida man who was sent to jail for writing poetry will not be there long enough to get the ailment out of his system.

It will be some time before the impulsive lover can safely propose by wireless, for the wrong girl might pick up the message and think she had cause for a breach of promise case.

Hazers were assessed $14,000 damages by a merry court at Kewanee, Ill., which entered right into the spirit of the fun. Making hazing come high is the only way to break some people of the habit.

Lord Rothschild says governments all over the world are hissing at capital. That hissing sound you hear comes from the water in the capitalization as the white-hot probe of investigations is rammed into it.

There would be nothing wrong with the affinity idea in matrimony if only there were a little more care and a little more strenuous determination not to make a bad start by tying up with an affinity that belonged to somebody else.

That Cincinnati man who quit when he had $1,000,000 might find others to follow his example provided they had the money. Many of our millionaires are thankful if they have 30 or 40 cents in loose change after settling up their weekly accounts.

Another Aurora man is going to see if he can sustain life on sauerkraut That is no experiment. Not only will the man who feasts exclusively on that delicacy live and wax fat, but he will also begin to think in long, involved sentences interspread with compound and triple-expansion words.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

KULP GETS LAWYERS.

Finds Encouragement in Regular Army Case.

Des Moines.—Friends of Capt. O. W. Kulp of Davenport, under arrest for disobedience of orders, and to be tried by court martial Dec. 10, have gained encouragement from a ruling just made in the regular army with respect to the power of the president over that organization.

President Roosevelt ordered troops to guard the enclosure from which the balloon races started in St. Louis recently.

Judge Advocate General Davis of the regular army decided that it doing so the president violated the regulations and statutes and must not do it again.

It was added by the judge advocate that if the president did do such a thing again "officers of the army must refuse to obey the order".

Acting Secretary of War Oliver has approved the judge advocate's decision.

General Davis was asked by the Inter Ocean correspondent whether, if the president, as commander in chief of the army, should issue a similar order tomorrow, the officer receiving it would not be bound to obey.

"No," he said. "The president can issue only lawful orders that are binding. My decision calls the attention of army officers to that fact."

It is claimed at Davenport that the governor could not expect Captain Kulp to stop a legal boxing exhibition in any event, and could not issue a lawful order to interfere with a lawful performance, and therefore, Captain Kulp could not be expected to stop a legal entertainment under orders to stop an unlawful fight. For these reasons effort will be made to show the court, sitting in Captain Kulp's case, that the entertainment was lawful.

It is not impossible that an effort may be made at Davenport to secure an adjudication of the fact by the courts. In 1905 prosecution was noneffective there. The same result is not impossible in the present case, and it is not altogether certain that an attempt will be made to secure an adjudication so it may be used in the court martial of Captain Kulp.

Ralph Williamson and William Chamberlin will be the attorneys for Captain Kulp in defeating him against the charge of disobedience of orders in not stopping the prize fight at Davenport when commanded to do so by Governor Cummins through Adjutant General Thrift.

Mr. Williamson is a battalion adjutant of the Fifty-fourth regiment, I. N. G., with the rank of first lieutenant. Mr. Chamberlin is not a member of the guard but is one of the most prominent attorneys in eastern Iowa.

BANK MUST PAY JUDGMENT.

Judge Reed Affirms Decree of $16,000 Against Institution.

Iowa Falls.—Judge Reed of the federal bench has just announced his decision in the case of the Hawkeye Gold Mining company vs. the State Bank of Iowa Falls, which was tried at Cedar Rapids about six weeks ago, the decision being taken under advisement at the close of the trial. In the decision the court renders a judgment against the defendant for $16,000 and costs. The case will be appealed at once to the circuit court of appeals at St. Paul.

If the decision should be affirmed the judgment will be paid by the stockholders of the old State bank organization, which passed out of existence several years ago, when the State National bank was organized. The case is the outgrowth of an old administration of some years ago, and has been in the courts for some time. The outcome of the case in no wise affects the State National bank or its business.

Pottawattamie History Archive.

Council Bluffs.—The Pottawattamie County Historical society, for the purpose of preserving historical material and data relative to the county, has been organized here, the following officers being elected: President, John M. Galvin; vice president, Charles M. Harl; secretary, William J. Leverett; treasurer, H. W. Binder; historian, Mrs. Charles M. Harl. The society is the eighth of its kind organized in Iowa, the others being in Lucas, Decatur, Madison, Linn, Jackson, Washington and Poweshiek counties.

Villisca Wants Interurban.

Atlantic.—Dr. McNaughton of Villisca was in this city and interviewed the directors of the Atlantic Northern and Southern railway in regard to extending the line south from here next year. Speaking for the citizens of Villisca, Dr. McNaughton assured the road of the financial support of that city, both in the matter of taxes and stocks, should they see fit to extend the road. The directors will take some action on the matter when the financial flurry is at an end.

CUMMINS AT DAVENPORT.

Says Officials Must Obey Law or Be Displaced.

Davenport.—Gov. Albert B. Cummins on the 1st had the two largest audiences that ever assembled to hear him in Davenport. The Burtis opera house was packed in the afternoon when he delivered the oration at the memorial exercises of the order of Elks. At the close of the meeting he was asked what he thought of Davenport.

"I've known Davenport for a great many years," responded the governor. "I think it's one of the best cities in the world."

Asked to express himself as to the local conditions which have recently been receiving statewide attention, the governor declined to be interviewed, saying that he had come to Davenport to speak of these conditions at the mass meeting in the evening, and that outside of his address there he had nothing at present to say.

In the evening nearly 2,000 people crowded the auditorium and balcony of the First Presbyterian church, the largest church in the city. Many were turned away, unable to gain admittance, all the churches having closed that pastors and people might attend the mass meeting. The immense throng gave the governor the closest attention while he discussed the questions that have aroused so much feeling here.

He declared that if Davenport officers do not perform the duty they are sworn to perform the time will soon come when their power will be lodged in more willing hands.

KILLED ON WAY HOME.

Des Moines Woman Victim of Assassin's Bullet.

Des Moines.—While returning from the Empire theater, Mrs. Martha Pickering was shot by an unknown man at East Fourth and Des Moines streets at 11:30 oclock on the night of the 27th. She died two hours later in Mercy hospital.

Mrs. Pickering was accompanied by her sister, Mabel Adair, and Alexander McIntosh, a soldier from Fort Des Moines. As the three turned into the Northwestern railroad yards to go to the Adair home on Des Moines street a bullet whizzed through the air, passed through McIntosh's coat sleeve and struck Mrs. Pickering in the neck. She screamed, ran forward and fell to the ground and was carried to the home of her parents.

Miss Adair, her younger sister, turned immediately after the shot and saw a man running from them several hundred feet away. She says he wore a soldier's uniform, had a light coat thrown over his head and carried a revolver.

McIntosh declared at police headquarters that the bullet was intended for him, as he has heard from several sources that his life had been threatened by a rival soldier.

Mrs. Pickering separated from her husband some time ago.

It was said at the police station that Mrs. Pickering and her sister have been in the habit of keeping the company of soldiers. They have previously been taken to headquarters, and not long ago promised Captain Pattee that they would quit the company of strange soldiers.

STATE IS BEWILDERED.

Des Moines.—The state authorities have been amazed at the extent of the forgeries committed by Cashier J. H. Standring of the Corwith State bank, who fled recently.

So bad were the affairs disclosed bp the first two days' examination by Bank Examiner Leland Windsor that a move was made for a receiver and Mr. Velke of Corwith was appointed.

The forged paper already uncovered amounts to over $60,000. So many certificates are outstanding that it is impossible for the state to make a definite conclusion as to the total amount of bad paper on which the cashier looted the bank of practically all of its assets.

As money reached the bank's counters it was pocketed by Standring, apparently, and in its place went notes to which he is charged with signing the names of rich farmers. As they knew nothing of it there was no talk and by paying the interest on the notes to the bank the books were always safe. If notes were negotiated outside Corwith the interest on them would be paid and the silence was natural, for no one suspected they were bogus. This sort of thing was done by Crocker of the Chariton National bank that was looted recently.

Found Hanging in His Barn.

Mason City.—The body of Dietrich Eilers, a prosperous farmer who lived south of the city, was found shortly after midnight hanging by a rope from a rafter in the barn at his home. The suicide was last seen at 8 o'clock p. m., when he had finished his chores. He leaves his parents, a wife and four children. He was 48 years old.

MEAN FLINGS AT EDITORS.

Tributes by Lafcadio Hearn to Class of Workers He Disliked.

Lafcadio Hearn, that wonderful writer, worked on newspapers in his youth," said a publisher, "and the ruthless way his studies were changed, cut and butchered was a great woe to his heart.

"In after years Hearn took a malicious joy in collecting stories about editors—editors and their superior and omniscient way with manuscript.

"One of his stories was of an editor to whom a subscriber said:

"'I enjoyed that poem on the three ages of man in to-day's paper, Mr. Sheers; I enjoyed it immensely. Do you know, though, I thought it was originally written the seven ages of man?'

"'So it was, sir; so it was,' said Editor Sheers, pompously. 'Yes, the extract was originally written the seven ages of man, but I had to cut it down for the lack of space.'

"Another story concerned a weather report. A reporter, discussing the weather, wrote that winter still lingered in the lap of spring.

"The editor, as he read over the article, called the reporter to his desk and told him that he would cut out that sentence about winter lingering in spring's lap. He said the idea was good enough, and all that sort of thing, but it would not do to publish because the high moral tone of the paper had to be maintained in a town full of school girls."

HIS TURN TO CRITICISE.

Youngster Felt Called on to Manifest Disapproval of Prayer.

Little John, who, at the mature age of four, has learned the Lord's Prayer, is often criticised by his sister, two years older, for slight mistakes which he cannot always avoid in offering the petition. A few Sundays ago he was taken to church for the first time. When the moment for the prayer arrived and the congregation bowed their heads John's mother took the precaution to whisper to him that he must be very quiet. "Listen,' she said, "and you will hear the minister pray." This interested John at once, and his little face took on a look of serious attention, but his mother, watching him covertly, saw his expression change presently to one of surprise and disapproval. A few minutes more, and he could stand it no longer. What could this man be saying? Not a word of the prayer did he recognize as the only formula he had ever heard called by that name.

"Why, mother," he exclaimed, in a tone audible over nearly half the church, "do you hear? He isn't saying it right at all!"

Just His Luck.

"Well, old fellow, I hear that your aunt is dead."

"Yes, she died yesterday," replied the old fellow somewhat sadly.

"It is the way of the world. We must all die some time, and the old lady was well advanced in years. She left a last will and testament, of course? I understood she was wealthy."

"Oh, yes, she left a will and testament," still more sadly.

"You were always a favorite of hers. Your name was mentioned, of course?"

"Yes," he replied, "my name was mentioned. I'm to have the Testament."

The Reason of It.

"Why has that particular actress more clappers than any other in the play?"

"Because she is a society belle."

BEGAN YOUNG.

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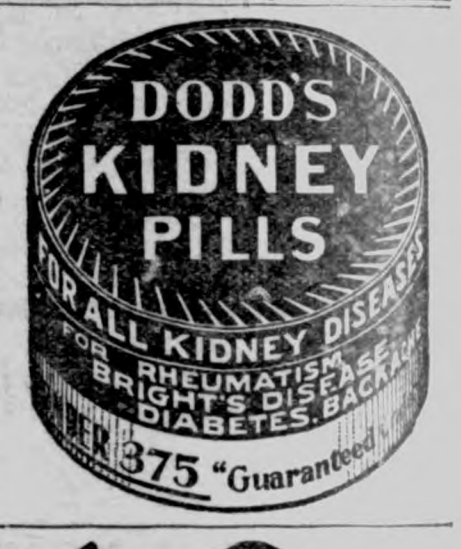
Strange Disease.

Two middle-aged women on a car were discussing the sickness of two children of one of them. "And what does the doctor say ails them?" asked one. "The little child has some sort of a fever," was the answer, "and he said that the disease of the other was epidemic." "It's a sickness I never heard of," responded mother number one.

Tobacco Thrown Away.

It is estimated by the head of one of the large tobacco establishments of New York that at least $5,000 worth of tobacco is daily thrown away in the city in unconsumed cigars and cigarettes.



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SYNOPSIS.

Burton H. Barnes, a wealthy American touring Corsica, rescues the young English lieutenant, Edward Gerard Anstruther, and his Corsica bride, Marina, daughter of the Paolis, from the murderous vendetta, understanding that his reward is to be the hand of the girl he loves, Enid Anstruther, sister of the English lieutenant. The four fly from Ajaccio to Marseilles on board the French steamer Constantine. The vendetta pursues and as the quartet are about to board the train for London at Marseilles, Marina is handed a mysterious note which causes her to collapse and necessitates a postponement of the journey. Barnes gets part of the mysterious note and receives letters which inform him that he is marked by the vendetta. He employs an American detective and plans to beat the vendetta at their own game. For the purpose of securing the safety of the women Barnes arranges to have Lady Chartris lease a secluded villa at Nice to which the party is to be taken in a yacht. Suspicion is created that Marina is in league with the Corsicans. A man, believed to be Corregio Danella, is seen passing the house and Marina is thought to have given him a sign. Marina refuses to explain to Barnes which fact adds to his latent suspicions. Barnes' plans for the safety of the party are learned by the Corsicans. The carriage carrying their party to the local landing is followed by two men. One of the horsemen is supposed to be Corregio. They try to murder the American. The cook on the yacht—a Frenchman— is suspected of complicity in the plot. The party anchors at St. Tropez.

CHAPTER V.—Continued.

But a few minutes after, Barnes suddenly remarks that he wants some more cartridges for his pistols, and obtaining the cutter, is rapidly rowed to the landing and disappears in the sixteenth century architecture of the town.

Consequently, when Marina and Enid come on deck, the latter discovers her swain is absent and, being now inclined to find fault with her gallant, pouts mentally: "Burton might have asked if I'd like a run on shore also."

But both boats being now at the landing, the ladies are compelled to spend their time rather monotonously looking at the picturesque little port, though Marina does little of this. The very sight of France seems in some occult manner to affright the beautiful woman as she leans upon her husband's arm. To him she whispers, nervously: "Will we get to Nice today?"

"Not with this wind," remarks Edwin. To this he adds, suddenly: "Dear one, you seem afraid of that place."

"Not while I have you by my side," she answers, ambiguously; and clings more tightly to his arm.

During this, Miss Anstruther, rather moodily with a marine glass inspects the neighboring fishing boats in the roadstead, some of these seagoing craft. Among them is one whose graceful lateen rig attracts the English girl's attention. Having little else to do, the young lady several times puts her binocular upon the lateen-rigged fishing boat, and in the course of two hours' weary waiting, becomes quite familiar with its graceful outlines and rig.

About this time Barnes returns in the cutter and is not overgraciously welcomed by his fiancee, who, though generally level-headed, has now nursed the slight that she conceives her love and trust had received yesterday, into a fervid jealousy under which each unintentional omission of service in her betrothed is an additional offense.

Together they pass a tiresome hour till Leboeuf makes his appearance in the dingy.

"Why in the dickens weren't you off before?" Anstruther calls out to the cook; and the great culinary artist ascends the side ladder jabbering an almost piteous tale of the difficulty of obtaining ice, fresh meats and vegetables at this time of the evening in this dead and alive town. "But I am happy to say," he favors the ladies with an effusive bow, "I have obtained zat which under my art vil become meals worthy of even zeir attention for several days."

To this Edwin gives slight heed. He is in a hurry to make an offing before darkness sets in, and already has the dingy hoisted up, has broken ground with his anchor and the Seagull is under way.

As they round the Cap des Salins, Enid, who is still using the marine glass, though it is now growing dusk, notices that the lateen-rigged fishing boat has hoisted sail also, and apparently being a very swift craft, is following them rapidly.

That evening, Monsieur Leboeuf sustains his reputation as a culinary artist. In addition, he has obtained some beautiful violets and graciously stepped in himself from his galley to arrange them with Gallic taste artistically on the dining-room table in the little salon. During this, the petite cook, being a dark-eyed, romantic and ferocious looking little fellow, attracts very favorable attention from the ladies.

Miss Anstruther, conversing with her swain, has graduated from aggressive vivacity during soup and fish to a coldness at dessert, equaling the ices she is eating.

Fortunately Barnes is too occupied with certain mental calculations and considerations to give great heed to his sweetheart's eccentric attacks, though in a dejected, abstracted way he feels them. He is cogitating: "How shall we best make Johnny Crapeau innoxious?" for several occurrences ashore have made him exceedingly suspicious of Monsieur Leboeuf.

Cigars end this almost uncanny feast—the American goes on deck to smoke his and Edwin, puffing a big Imperial, relieves the mate in his charge of the vessel.

As for the ladies, they retire early, and awake the next morning to find the vessel floating midway between the picturesque cliffs of Monte Carlo, that are hazy in the distance, and the mountains of northern Corsica, just a little to the southeast.

After breakfast, of which everybody

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eats so little that Monsieur Leboeuf, gazing upon the untouched viands, utters a snort of rage. Finding his lady love still cool to him, Mr. Barnes, in very desperation, goes to shooting again.

The crew, anxious to see his skill, toss bottles into the air and throw up potatoes for his unerring bullets, and every time the American puts a pellet into one of them he wishes sardonically it was the heart of Cipriano Danella. This seems to make his aim very true, and his success is so astounding that the crew raise a cheer as he puts one bullet through two potatoes thrown into the air at the same time as they cross each other in their flight.

The reports of his pistol floating over the placid water reach a considerable distance. At all events, they and the cheer excite some comment on a little felucca that has been sailing an almost parallel course; apparently a very fast craft, it draws somewhat nearer.

Attracted by this, Enid turns her sharp eyes from the pistol shooting she has been watching languidly and suddenly exclaims: "Why, it's the lateen-rigged fishing boat we saw in the harbor of St. Tropez yesterday afternoon."

"Are you sure?" asks Barnes, with some concern in his tone, as he ceases his target practice.

"Certain," replies Edwin, who has put his sailor eyes upon the craft. "That felucca's got a peculiar cant to her mainsail I'd know anywhere." To this he adds: "I wonder where's she bound, to the sardine fishing off Cape Corso?"

At this information the American gazes very unpleasantly toward the little cook, who is perched forward beating some eggs and enjoying the exhibition of marksmanship. Soon after he calls Enid to him and suggests: "You used to do pretty well with the pistol yourself, young lady, at Monte Carlo—you recollect?" He reloads his revolver and places it in her hand.

"After your exhibition I should make myself a laughing stock to the crew," she dissents, coldly.

"You may need to use this weapon some day," he says almost sadly, "and when you do—"

"Oh, you want me to murder somebody," she answers, almost frivolously; and the young lady carelessly bangs about with the weapon, making some good practice on a floating bottle. Suddenly she notes that it is the very pistol that, in Monte Carlo in his efforts to win her heart, her Burton has taught her to use. At the tender memories of that blessed time her hand trembles, she misses an easy shot or two, passes him the revolver and wanders sorrowfully toward the taffrail. Her beautiful eyes fill with tears.

Barnes begins to watch like a cat the French cook, who is now cheerfully making a ragout for the crew's supper.

The party in the cabin dine—both gentlemen now apparently with some weighty matter on their minds. His wife hears Edwin whisper to the American as they go on deck from the dining-table: "I'll take a look for the felucca—the beggars came about as soon as we did off Cape Corso."

Anything that suggests danger to the man of her heart causes Marina profound uneasiness.

About four o'clock in the morning, he having been relieved by the mate, she hears her husband descend the companionway to the little salon. He is about to enter her stateroom when Barnes' footfall is heard upon the companion ladder and the American says: "Come on deck, Edwin. That infernal felucca is still dogging us. I have discovered the villain signaling her. We must act at once!"

The footsteps of the two men indicate that they rapidly ascend to the deck. There is some danger on board—danger for her husband. Marina, throwing on a lace wrapper, steps into the salon.

There another lightly clothed young lady meets her. "Did you hear them?" asks Miss Anstruther, in a gasping breath. "There is peril to those we love on deck."

Then the two glide with light feet to the gloom above.

In the cookhouse, Barnes and Edwin are confronting the little Frenchman who, seated upon his galley chest, is uttering cries of affright, for the stalwart sailor with a marlinspike in his hand and Barnes with his pistol ready have unpleasantly and abruptly disturbed his slumbers.

"Messieurs, I am innocent as a babe unborn!" stammers the affrighted dishpan artist.

"Innocent!" snarls the American, "when you left your galley fire unbanked against orders, and your porthole open so that this red light would indicate our course to that fishing boat that has dogged us every tack from St. Tropez."

"Innocent!" snarls the American, "when you went on shore at that port to get ice and sent a telegram to Marseilles, and then lingered there, pretending to buy vegetables till a wire could be received from that devil Danella. The only question, Edwin, is shall we put him ashore or throw him overboard!"

Leboeuf utters a faint shriek: "Assassinat!"

It is answered. Two lovely creatures in exquisite dishabille fly in. One cries, excitedly: "For the love of the Virgin, spare him!"

The other implores: "For heaven's sake, don't kill the cook!"

But both stand between marlinspike and pistol and the threatened Frenchman.

CHAPTER VI.

Lady Chartris' New Suitor.

"Ciel, you speak my language," ejaculates Leboeuf, in mixed English and French, knocking over some pans and kettles and sinking on his knees before the beautiful beings who defend him. "Tell you zese Anglais, who cannot understand my explanazion, zat I am no traitor, zat I am cook and nothing else!" he cries to Marina. "Have I poisoned anyone? Diable, no, my salads were marvelous; my entrees gave no indigestion. Zen why do zeses men threaten me with death?"

"See if you cannot get out of the beggar some logical explanation of his peculiar conduct," mutters Edwin, gloomily.

"You have frightened the poor man so he cannot make you understand," remarks Enid severely.

"Then, ask him to tell you," says Barnes, "why, when we called for ice at St. Tropez he surreptitiously sent a telegram to Marseilles and then delayed us three hours at that port until that fishing vessel, probably directed by wire, got under way to dog our footsteps."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Mental Photography.

A member of the photographic society has been trying the new mental photography which has been making some stir in Berlin. This local experimenter took a blank photographic plate into his dark room, bound it to his forehead and for 30 minutes concentrated his thoughts on the face of a close friend of his. The developed plate, which he says is the identical one that he bound to his forehead, shows, faintly, traces of a face that has many points of resemblance to that of his friend. Such, at least, is the opinion of some who have seen the plate, though others declare that its markings are indeterminate and look like nothing in particular. The point raised by the experiment is whether or not an image on the human brain can be photographed, since the X-ray can secure an image of the arteries of a body or of something inclosed in a solid, opaque covering.—Philadelphia Record.

Try It Once.

Ever since there were men and women and horses there have been balky horses and mad men. When a horse gets the habit of balking he might as well be taken out and shot. No one knows exactly why he does it, but it is supposed to be ugly temper. Some six months ago a lad named William Frazer, living in Bristol, England, astonished a lot of people surrounding a balky horse by holding one of the animal's forefeet up for about ten minutes. Then he lowered it and the horse started off. The thing is being tried all over England to-day, and there has not been a failure so far. The boy says the idea "Just came to him," and if it turns out a perfect cure it will be too bad that he won't make any money out of it.

Seven Years After.

A married man sat in a roof garden, looking up at the starry sky dreamily. "Why are you so sad?" "I'll tell you," he replied. "This morning I went into my wife's room in her absence, and on a desk lay a packet of my love letters—old letters that I had written to her before we were married—seven years ago." He smiled, sighed, shook his head. "Foolishly," he said, "I read those letters. I read all of them. Every word, every word." He gazed at the stars that glittered above him and at the lights of the city glittering below.

Cause for Thankfulness.

An old lady and gentleman were taking their first trip on the steam cars. She held her breath while crossing a trestle, and then, turning to her husband, exclaimed in a high voice: "Thank heaven, Ezra, we have lit!"

AT MADISON'S HOME

PRESIDENT TAKES A THANKSGIVING DAY TRIP.

FAMILY REUNION LATER

Secretary Taft Celebrates on His Train—American Society in London Has Its Usual Banquet.

Washington. — President Roosevelt spent Thursday at the old home of President Madison near Montpelier, Va. This trip was taken in variation of the custom of the president, which has been to go to his country home at Pine Knot, Va., on Thanksgiving day. With him were Mrs. Roosevelt, Mr. and Mrs. Longworth, Ethel and Quentin Roosevelt. The president was particularly interested in visiting the tomb of President Madison and remained near it for some time.

Upon reaching home carriages were taken and all were driven to the White House. Their Thanksgiving dinner was the occasion for a family reunion, Mr. and Mrs. Longworth remaining at the White House.

Taft Celebrates on His Train.

Ufa, European Russia.—On board the train bearing Secretary Taft and his party to Moscow toasts were drunk Thursday to President Roosevelt and Emperor Nicholas. In honor of Thanksgiving the Russian passengers presented an elaborate cake to the American secretary of war, bearing Russian and American flags. Mr. Taft was toasted as the next president of the United States, and said that he accepted in behalf of whoever might be selected. Mr. Taft's train crossed the frontier at noon local time.

Thanksgiving in London.

London.—Whitelaw Reid, the American ambassador, spoke optimistically of the financial outlook, and Field Marshal Sir George Stuart White eulogized President Roosevelt in the warmest terms at the Thanksgiving dinner of the American society Thursday night. That the financial depression was felt among the Americans in England was shown by the attendance at the banquet, which was the smallest in several years. Three hundred guests participated, compared with 400 at last year's banquet. The president of the society, Col. Millard Hunsicker, was absent, and R. Newton Crane, a former president, presided.

Feast and Dance in Vienna.

Vienna. — The American colony celebrated Thanksgiving day with a banquet which was followed by a dance. Among the notable guests were Profs. Politzer and Obersteiner of Vienna university, both of whom in able speeches, referred to the scientific progress in America. The other guests included Nelson O'Shaughnessy, third secretary of the American embassy, and former Congressman O'Donnell of Michigan. Both the emperor and President Roosevelt were toasted.

Banquet in Berlin.

Berlin. — Three hundred Americans celebrated Thanksgiving by dining together Thursday night at the Zoological Gardens. In the absence of the American ambassador, Charlemagne Tower, Consul General Thackera presided. President Hadley of Yale and Prof. Schofield of Harvard made speeches. A telegram of greeting was sent to President Roosevelt.

Gala Dinner in Tiflis.

Tiflis. — A gala Thanksgiving dinner given here Thursday was attended by John P. Jackson, American minister to Persia, who arrived Wednesday, and the highest military and civil officials in the Caucasus. The toasts were markedly hearty and the speakers emphasized the closer growing relations between Russia and the United States.

MURDER QUICKLY AVENGED.

Italian Kills Railroad Employe and Is Slain by Hunters.

Mifflintown, Pa.—Julius Derr, an employe of the Pennsylvania railroad, was shot and fatally wounded Thursday by an unidentified Italian laborer, who was pursued by a party of hunters and shot dead. The Italian, who had been drinking and was disorderly, shot Derr when ordered from the railroad station. The Italian then fled, pursued by hunters who had witnessed the shooting, and took refuge under a railroad bridge. Here he drew his revolver and began firing at his pursuers, who returned the shots, killing him instantly.

Two Chicago Breweries Burned.

Chicago. — The Mullen Brewing company's plant at Wallace and West Thirty-ninth streets and that of the Ernst Tosetti Brewing company, at West Forty-first and Butler streets, three blocks away, both were crippled severely Thursday afternoon by flames. The loss is $275,000.

Great Holiday Sale of Millinery

My pretty hats selling at the Greatest Reduction of the season. Trimmed hats in colors not black and street hats regardless of cost. Childrens hoods and caps at lowest prices. ladies ready made waists at cut prices also the best corsets. Sofa pillows, stamped linens, embroidery silks, fancy painted articles, a large variety of useful and ornamental gifts for the holidays. Ribbons, silks and velvets at cut prices. Don't fail to call.

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School Notes.

Lloyd Mann was absent Monday and Tuesday.

There will be two weeks of vacation at Christmas.

Oscar Schuldt has been absent several days this week.

Scholars must take every test if they expect to be promoted.

Gertrude Weiland is absent this week on account of sickness

Ella Griewe was elected organist for the next two weeks before Christmas.

The following started to school this week: Emil Batz, Roy Schaefer and Leo Ell.

The pupils in the intermediate room are reviewing for the half year examinations.

C. Larsen and Fred Blank have started to school again after several weeks absence.

Lurena Wessel was absent from Room 3 Monday on account of being away to spend Thanksgiving

Those that were neither absent nor tardy for one month are: Reta Spooner and Florence Schupp.

BADLY MIXED UP.

Abraham Brown of Winterton, N. Y. had a very remarkable experience, he says: Doctors got badly mixed up over me. one said heart disease, two called it kidney trouble, the fourth blood poison and the fifth stomach and liver trouble. but none of them helped me so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all five doctors prescribed. Guaranteed to cure blood poison weakness and all stomach liver and kidney complaints by J L Harr & Co. druggist, 50c.

Twin Lake Township.

Some of the Twin Lake farmers are still husking corn.

John Tanner returned from Kansas the latter part of last week.

The Twin Lake Sunday school is preparing a Christmas program.

Dora Lau is assisting Mrs. Neuhriug with the house work this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendel visited in Renwick, Iowa a couple of days last week.

Most of the schools in ths twp enjoyed a vacation Thursday and Friday the 28 and 29th.

Miss Corinne Huntington and her younger sister Ruth of Belmond. visited with friends here from Thursday until Sunday.

PERE'S GOOD ADVISE.

O. S. Woolever one of the very best known merchants of Le Raysville, N Y says: If you are ever troubled with piles apply Bucklen's arnica salve. It cured me of them for good 20 years ago. Cures every sore, wound, burn or abrasion, 25c at J L Harr & Co. drug store.

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So you want to get them hosiery that will allow them to romp and play and climb trees without ruin to their stockings. Come to our store and get the kind with the trade mark below. They are "made to wear."
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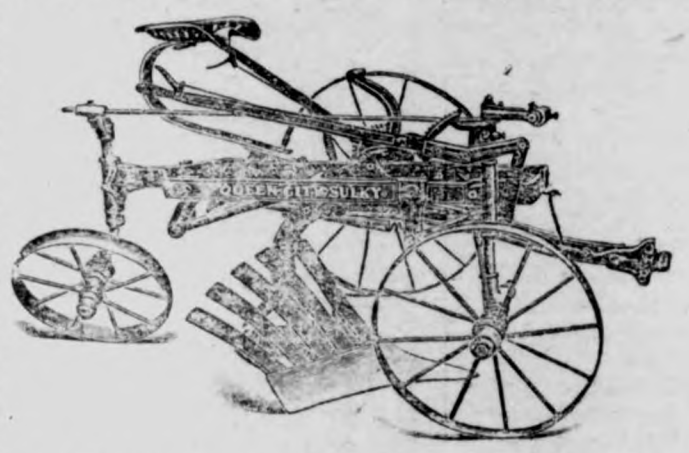

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LOCAL NEWS

Glasses fitted and satisfaction guaranteed at J L Harr & Co.

Harve Allen remodeled some of the rooms over Gruetzmacher Bros. store.

Art Wellemeyer has a word to say to you about Iron Clad Hosiery in his ad.

Herman Priebe took in the Stock Show at Chicago. He returned Tuesday.

K. A. Kraus purchased a driving horse and harness from H. Kuck of near Garner.

The First National Bank has a good sensibie talk in their new ad this week which will be worth your time to read.

A careful perusal of the State Savings Bank ad. will show you that they are here for business and solicit your patronage.

John N. Day has accepted a position with the Northern Lumber Co. at their general office at Estherville, Iowa. We wish him success.

This is the season of decay and weakened vitality, good health is hard to retain. If you'd retain yours fortify your system with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea the surest way. 35 cts tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

Aug. Lau & Son received a car of shelled corn. They were not long in selling it. There is quite a demand for good corn in this locality.

You know as well as any one when you need something to regulate your system. If you bowels are sluggish, your food distresses you, your kidneye pain take HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea. It always relieves. 35c tea or tablets. J L HARR & Co.

Thos. Monaghen of Goodell, transacted business in Klemme last week Saturday. This office also acknowledgad a pleasant call.

When the stomach heart or kidney nerves get weak then these organs always fail. Don't drug the stomach nor stimulate the heart or kidneys. That is simply o makeshift Get a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The restorative is prepared expressly for these weak inside nerves. Strenghten these nerves build them up with Dr. Shoop's restorative—tablets or liquid—and see how quickly help will come. Free sample test sent on request by Dr Shoop, Racine, Wis Your health is surely worth this simple test. All Dealers.

Read our ad State Savings Bank.

All kinds of fancy china at Kluckhohn's.

Gertie Weiland is confined to her bed with sickness.

The Griewe sisters visited at the Joe Schuldt home Sunday.

We can fit that sewing machine of yours with needles and shuttles at Schuler's. tf

Aug. Lau & Son shipped one car of hogs from this station Sunday and one car hogs from Goodell Wednesday.

I am selling childrens headwear at Cost. Those pretty bear skin hoods at almost one-half price. Mrs. J. Josten.

A new lot of picture molding just received at Schuler's. Bring in those pictures you have stored away and have them framed. tf

NOTICE—Bring in your harnesses and have them oiled for half price now to avoid the rush in the spring. F. Gruetzmacher. tf

If you want to see a large stock of foot wear call at F. Gruetzmacher's, all sizes and prices also horse blankets and fur robes. tf

Just a little Cascasweet is all that is necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peevish. Cascasweed contains no opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommended by mothers everywhere. Conforms to the National Pure Food Law. Sold by J L HARR & Co.

NOTICE.—Cottage for sale, two blocks south-west of Court House two lots, good well and barn. We also offer our residence property for sale. Inquire at THE TIMES office or Mrs. Mann, Garner, Iowa.

Thousands of men and women in all walks of life are suffering from kidney and bladder troubles. Don't neglect your kidneys. Delays are dangerous. DeWitt's kidney and bladder pils afford quick relief for all forms of kidney and bladder trouble. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

G. A. Kahler, Britt.
H. F. Schlei, Garner.
Wm. Schmidt, Garner.
Joe Schuldt, Klemme.

Are you having trouble with your kidneys? There are lots of people today who wonder why they have pains across the back why they are tired and lacking in energy and ambition. your kidneys are wrong. They need relief without delay. Take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills, they are for weak back inflammation of the bladder backache and weak kidneys. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

It was reported to us that while Roscoe Wiles was hunting rabbits on Sunday last he seen a grey wolf. He gave him a chase for a ways but was unable to get close enough range to shoot him but before his day's hunting was done he captured a pole cat that weighed 40 pounds, if this be true, Roscoe wins the prize. Get busy boys.

Whenever you feel that your stomach has gone a little wrong or when you feel that it is not in good order as it evidenced by mean headaches nervousness bad breath and belching take something at times and especially after your meals until relief is afforded. There is nothing better offered the public today for stomach troubles dyspepsia indigestion etc. than Kodol. This is a scientific preparation of natural digestants combined with vegetable acids and it contains the same juices found in every healthy stomach. Kodol is guaranteed to give relief. It is pleasant to take, it will make you feel fine by digesting what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

That new ad of State Savings Bank.

Fine winter weather we are having.

Fancy cups and saucers at Kluckhohn's.

Fresh oysters every day in the week at Kluckhohn's.

Watches and jewelry at J. L. Harr & Co. All goods warranted. tf

All glass set free of charge if brought to the store of G. F. Schuler. tf

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve—don't forget the name and accept no substitute. Get DeWitt's. It's good for piles. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Mrs. S. Benbo of Beltrami, Minn. is visiting relatives and friends in Avery Center also friends in this locality.

W. C. Schmidt and C. G. Schmidt left Monday morning for Oelwein where they will visit relatives. C. G. will visit his best girl near there before his return.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's catarrh reedy. Sold by All Dealers.

E. M. Smith is the new assistant at the Rock Island depot. He began work on Tuesday. E. M. is a bright young man and will make our agent a good helper. We wish him success.

There is something about Kennedys laxative cough syrup that makes it different from others as it causes a free yet gentle action of the bowels through which the cold is forced out of the system. At the same time it heals irritation and allays inflammation of the throat and lungs. It is pleasant to take. Children like it. Contains no opiates nor narcotics. Sold by J L Larr & Co.

G. A. Kahler and family visited with relatives at Grundy Centes over Thanksgiving. G. A. returned last week Saturday while his wife and children will remain about a week longer. Several other relatives were there and a family re-union was celebrated. G. A. was well impressed with that county and says that their corn yield averaged 40 to 45 bushels per acre.

A tickeling cough from any cause is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's cough cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless and safe that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to young babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's cough cure. It calms the cough and heals the sore and sensative bronchial membranes. No opium no chloroform nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract that help to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the Doctor uses "The Sacred Herb." Always demand Dr. Shoop's cough cure. All Dealers.

Monday evening last while F. M. Costello was driving on his home from Goodell, his team became frightened ran away and throwing him out. The team arrived at his home with but slight damage to them or wagon. Later on his brother J. W., who was driving home found him by the road-side unconscious, took him home and phoned for Dr. Zinn. His injuries did not seem to be severe at first but was internally hurt and on Tuesday afternoon the sad report reached this vicinity that he passed away in death at 5 o'clock p. m. He leaves to mourn him a wife and daughter, mother, two brothers and three sisters,

Fresh oysters at Kluckhohn's.

All kinds of fruits at Kluckhohn's.

Get busy and read that State Savings Bank ad.

Get your fancy salad dishes dishes at Kluckhohn's

FOR SALE—One year old registered Poland China boar. Grand Chief No. 116795. A. J. Schoenwetter. 16-3

Miss Valentine Baker of Eldora, Iowa, is visiting with the Misses Ernestine and Freda Schuldt.

Frank Dulitz of Mason City, made Joseph Schuldt a pleasant visit last week Friday returning Saturday.

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT
KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

Mr. Lambert Pals and Miss Remka Pals of Lamoure, N. Dak. are visiting with T. Blank and family.

H. Lau & Son will have a nother shooting match on Wednesday, Dec. 24th. Make arrangements to take this in.

FOR SALE—Five full blood Poland China pigs which are registered.

tf H. Lau & Son.

Schroeder & Son shipped one car of cattle and one car of hogs Sunday. Henry went along and will take in the Stock Show.

Henry Medaus was called to Oelwein, Iowa on account of the serious illness of his brother. He expects to return in about a week.

Fred Henschen moved to Klemme Tuesday and will occupy the F. Gruetzmacher residence. We welcome Fred in our midst again.

We received a letter from Jay Nelson stating that we should address the Times to Yankton, S. Dak. Jay says that he has a good position for this winter

When winds shriek high in fiendish glee,
And enters winter with his key
Protect yoursely, from disease be free;
Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. J L Harr & Co.

Harve Allen made a business trip to Mason City last week Friday and returned Tuesday evening of this week. He also visited friends at Clear Lake and Garner.

To check a cold quickly get from your druggist some little candy cold tablets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing Preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly effective and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the sneeze stage preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis, lagrippe, etc HENCE the name preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5 cts. Sold by All Dealers.

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Many Defects of Present System Are Pointed Out by Chief Executive.

NOT TIME FOR TARIFF

Postponement of Discussion of Revision of Schedules Until After Presidential Election Urged — Necessity for Improving Waterways of the Country.

Washington, Dec. 3.—President Roosevelt in his annual message deals vigorously with matters of national importance. Referring to the recent disturbance in financial circles he points out that the hoarding of money by the people, instead of keeping it in sound banks, was the first cause of financial stringency and a grave error. He pays a tribute to the general honesty of the men engaged in the banking business.

After quotations from his last annual message which dealt with the necessity of governmental regulations, the president asserts that his views have in no way changed and declares it is the duty of the national government to embody in action the principles he then expressed.

Disclaiming any idea of advocating centralization the president insists upon the necessity for federal control of the railroads of the country through the interstate commerce commission, and also urges legislation looking to the proper control of the great business concerns engaged in interstate business, this control to be exercised for their own benefit and prosperity no less than for the protection of investors and of the general public.

Wants Federal Control.

Declaring that modern industrial conditions are such that combination is not only necessary but inevitable, the president refers to his message of a year ago concerning necessary changes in the antitrust laws. He goes on: "I ask for full power to be given the federal government, because no single state can by legislation effectually cope with these powerful corporations engaged in interstate commerce, and, while doing them full justice, exact from them in return full justice to others. The conditions of railroad activity, the conditions of our immense interstate commerce, are such as to make the central government alone competent to exercise full supervision and control.

"The antitrust law should be made both more efficient and more in harmony with actual conditions. It should be so amended as to forbid only the kind of combination which does harm to the general public, such amendment to be accompanied by, or to be an incident of, a grant of supervisory power to the government over these big corporations engaged in interstate business. This should be accompanied by provision for the compulsory publication of accounts and the subjection of books and papers to the inspection of the government officials. A beginning has already been made for such supervision by the establishment of the bureau of corporations.

"Among the points to be aimed at should be the prohibition of unhealthy competition, such as by rendering service at an actual loss for the purpose of crushing out competition, the prevention of inflation of capital, and the prohibition of a corporation's making exclusive trade with itself a condition of having any trade with itself. Reasonable agreements between, or combinations of, corporations should be permitted, provided they are first submitted to and approved by some appropriate government body.

Like National Bank Supervision.

"The congress has the power to charter corporations to engage in interstate and foreign commerce, and a general law can be enacted under the provisions of which existing corporations could take out federal charters and new federal corporations could be created. An essential provision of such a law should be a method of predetermining by some federal board or commission whether the applicant for a federal charter was an association or combination within the restrictions of the federal law. The supervision established might be analogous to that now exercised over national banks. At least, the antitrust act should be supplemented by specific prohibitions of the methods which experience has shown have been of most service in enabling monopolistic combinations to crush out competition. The real owners of a corporation should be compelled to do business in their own name. The right to hold stock in other corporations should hereafter be denied to interstate corporations, unless on approval by the proper government officials, and a prerequisite to such approval should be the listing with the government of all owners and stockholders, both by the corporation owning such stock and by the corporation in which such stock is owned."

After calling attention to the benefits which the legislation he urges would confer upon the country, the president says: "Those who fear, from any reason, the extension of federal activity will do well to study the history not only of the national banking act, but of the pure-food law, and notably the meat inspection law recently enacted. The benefit to interstate common carriers and business concerns from the legislation I advocate would be equally marked.

The Currency Question.

On the question of the currency the president calls attention to his last annual message wherein he pointed out that our present system is defective and showing the need of a change. In that message he said:

"National banks should be permitted to issue a specified proportion of their capital in notes of a given kind, the issue to be taxed at so high a rate as to drive the notes back when not wanted in legitimate trade. This plan would not permit the issue of currency to give banks additional profits, but to meet the emergency presented by times of stringency. I do not say that this is the right system. I only advance it to emphasize my belief that there is need for the adoption of some system which shall be automatic and open to all sound banks, so as to avoid all possibility of discrimination and favoritism. Such a plan would tend to prevent the spasms of high money and speculation which now obtain in the New York market; for at present there is too much currency at certain seasons of the year, and its accumulation at New York tempts bankers to lend it at low rates for speculative purposes; whereas at other times when the crops are being moved there is urgent need for a large but temporary increase in the currency supply. It must never be forgotten that this question concerns business men generally quite as much as bankers; especially is this true of stockmen, farmers and business men in the west; for at present at certain seasons of the year the difference in interest rates between the east and west is from six to ten per cent., whereas in Canada the corresponding difference is but two per cent. Any plan must, of course, guard the interests of western and southern bankers as carefully as it guards the interests of New York or Chicago bankers, and must be drawn from the standpoints of the farmer and the merchant no less than from the standpoints of the city banker and the country banker."

Repeats Recommendations.

The president continues:

"I again urge on the congress the need of immediate attention to this matter. We need a greater elasticity in our currency; provided, of course, that we recognize the even greater need of a safe and secure currency. There must always be the most rigid examination by the national authorities. Provision should be made for an emergency currency. The emergency issue should, of course, be made with an effective guaranty, and upon conditions carefully prescribed by the government. Such emergency issue must be based on adequate securities approved by the government, and must be issued under a heavy tax. This would permit currency being issued when the demand for it was urgent, while securing its retirement as the demand fell off. It is worth investigating to determine whether officers and directors of national banks should ever be allowed to loan to themselves. Trust companies should be subject to the same supervision as banks; legislation to this effect should be enacted for the District of Columbia and the territories."

Not Time for Tariff Discussion.

On the subject of the tariff the president declares himself in favor of postponing all consideration of the question until after the presidential election. He says:

"The income account of the nation is in a most satisfactory condition. For the six fiscal years ending with the first of July last, the total expenditures and revenues of the national government, exclusive of the postal revenues and expenditures, were in round numbers, revenues, $3,465,000,000, and expenditures, $3,275,000. The net excess of income over expenditures, including in the latter the fifty millions expended for the Panama canal, was $190,000,000 for the six years, an average of about $31,000,000 a year. This represents an approximation between income and outgo which it would be hard to improve. The satisfactory working of the present tariff law has been chiefly responsible for this excellent showing. Nevertheless, there is an evident and constantly growing feeling among our people that the time is rapidly approaching when our system of revenue legislation must be revised.

"This country is definitely committed to the protective system and any effort to uproot it could not but cause widespread industrial disaster. In other words, the principle of the present tariff law could not with wisdom be changed. But in a country of such phenomenal growth as ours it is probably well that every dozen years or so the tariff laws should be carefully scrutinized so as to see that no excessive or improper benefits are conferred thereby, that proper revenue, is provided, and that our foreign trade is encouraged. There must always be as a minimum a tariff which will not only allow for the collection of an ample revenue but which will at least make good the difference in cost of production here and abroad; that is, the difference in the labor cost here and abroad, for the well-being of the wage-worker must ever be a cardinal point of American policy. The sole consideration should be to see that the sum total of changes represent the public good. This means that the subject can not with wisdom be dealt with in the year preceding a presidential election, because as a matter of fact experience has conclusively shown that at such a time it is impossible to get men to treat it from the standpoint of the public good. In my judgment the wise time to deal with the matter is immediately after such election."

Income and Inheritance Tax.

There has been no change in the mind of the president concerning the advisability of an income tax and an inheritance tax. In the message he says:

"When our tax laws are revised the question of an income tax and an inheritance tax should receive the careful attention of our legislators. In my judgment both of these taxes should be part of our system of federal taxation. I speak diffidently about the income tax because one scheme for an income tax was declared unconstitutional by the supreme court; while in addition it is a difficult tax to administer in its practical working. Nevertheless, a graduated income tax of the proper type would be a desirable feature of federal taxation, and it is to be hoped that one may be devised which the supreme court will declare constitutional. The inheritance tax, however, is both a far better method of taxation, and far more important for the purpose of having the fortunes of the country bear in proportion to their increase in size a corresponding increase and burden of taxation. The government has the absolute right to decide as to the terms upon which a man shall receive the bequest or devise from another, and this point in the devolution of property is especially appropriate for the imposition of a tax."

Due Enforcement of Law.

On the matter of the impartial enforcement of the laws the message says:

"A few years ago there was loud complaint that the law could not be invoked against wealthy offenders. There is no such complaint now. The course of the department of justice during the last few years has been such as to make it evident that no man stands above the law, that no corporation is so wealthy that it cannot be held to account. Everything that can be done under the existing law, and with the existing state of public opinion, which so profoundly influences both the courts and juries, has been done. But the laws themselves need strengthening in more than one important point; they should be made more definite, so that no honest man can be led unwittingly to break them, and so that the real wrongdoer can be readily punished.

"The two great evils in the execution of our criminal laws to-day are sentimentally and technically. For the latter the remedy must come from the hands of the legislatures, the courts and the lawyers. The other must depend for its cure upon the gradual growth of a sound public opinion which shall insist that regard for the law and the demands of reason shall control all other influences and emotions in the jury box. Both of these evils must be removed or public discontent with the criminal law will continue."

Use of Injunctions.

Referring to the question of the use and abuse of injunctions the president declares:

"Instances of abuse in the granting of injunctions in labor disputes continue to occur, and the resentment in the minds of those who feel that their rights are being invaded and their liberty of action and of speech unwarrantably restrained continues to grow. Much of the attack on the use of the process of injunction is wholly without warrant; but I am constrained to express the belief that for some of it there is warrant. This question is becoming more and more of prime importance, and unless the courts will themselves deal with it in effective manner, it is certain ultimately to demand some sort of legislative action. I earnestly commend to the attention of the congress this matter, so that some way may be devised which will limit the abuse of injunctions and protect those rights which from time to time it unwarrantably invades."

Among the recommendations made in the message are for federal inspection of railroads, the establishment of an employers' liability act, and for the extension of the present eight-hour law by the government.

In Industrial Disputes.

The president favors compulsory investigation by the national government of industrial disputes, saying:

"Strikes and lockouts, with their attendant loss and suffering, continue to increase. For the five years ending December 31, 1905, the number of strikes was greater than those in any previous ten years and was double the number in the preceding five years. These figures indicate the increasing need of providing some machinery to deal with this class of disturbances in the interest alike of the employer, the employe and the general public. I renew my previous recommendation that the congress favorably consider the matter of creating the machinery for compulsory investigation of such industrial controversies as are of sufficient magnitude and of sufficient concern to the people of the country as a whole to warrant the federal government in taking action."

The recent strike of the telegraphers is cited as an instance where such power might profitably have been used.

Child Labor Evil.

The necessity of checking the evil of child labor is pointed out with much directness. On the relation between capital and labor the president asserts that public opinion must be aroused in condemnation of evil practices on both sides. The work of the department of agriculture is given high praise and the importance of the department pointed out. Cooperation with farmers' associations is urged. The necessity of a national system of inspection and grading of grain, to correct evils complained of, is also pointed out.

National Water Highways.

Showing the necessity for the development of the national water highways the message says: "Our great river systems should be developed as national water highways; the Mississippi, with its tributaries, standing first in importance, and the Columbia second, although there are many others of importance on the Pacific, the Atlantic and the gulf slopes. The national government should undertake this work, and I hope a beginning will be made in the present congress; and the greatest of all our rivers, the Mississippi, should receive especial attention. From the great lakes to the mouth of the Mississippi there should be a deep waterway, with deep waterways leading from it to the east and west. Such a waterway would practically mean the extension of our coast line into the very heart of our country. It would be of incalculable benefit to our people.

"As an incident to creating the deep waterway down the Mississippi, the government should build along its whole lower length levees which, taken together with the control of the headwaters, will at once and forever put a complete stop to all threat of floods in the immensely fertile Delta region. The territory lying adjacent to the Mississippi along its lower course will thereby become one of the most prosperous and populous, as it already is one of the most fertile, farming regions in all the world."

"I have appointed an inland waterways commission to study and outline a comprehensive scheme of development along all the lines indicated. Later I shall lay its report before the congress."

Public Lands.

Extension of the work of irrigation and the reclamation of waste lands is advocated, together with a revision of the present land laws in the interest of the actual home-maker. The unlawful fencing of public lands for private grazing, the president says, must be stopped, but at the same time the necessity which occasioned it must be provided for. Several plans are recommended.

Conservatism of the mineral wealth of the country, and the necessity for the preservation of the forests to prevent a timber famine, are dwelt upon. Drastic action by the congress is urged.

Would Repeal Duty on Wood Pulp.

The president declares in favor of the repeal of the duty on wood pulp, at the same time declaring that it should if possible be accompanied by an agreement with Canada that there should be no export duty on Canadian pulp wood.

That the government should own and lease mineral and oil lands is the belief of the president.

Work on the Panama canal is declared to be proceeding in a satisfactory manner, and figures given to substantiate the statement.

For Postal Savings Banks.

On the questions of postal savings banks and the establishment of a parcels post system the message says:

"I commend to the favorable consideration of the congress a postal savings bank system as recommended by the postmaster general.

"I further commend to the congress the consideration of the postmaster general's recommendation for an extension of the parcel post, especially on the rural routes. These recommendations have been drawn up to benefit the farmer and the country storekeeper; otherwise I should not favor them, for I believe that it is good policy for our government to do everything possible to aid the small town and the country district. It is desirable that the country merchant should not be crushed out."

Some form of local self-government for Alaska is asked of the congress, and that the rights of citizenship be conferred upon the people of Porto Rico.

Campaign Contributions.

The president says: "It is well to provide that corporations shall not contribute to presidential or national campaigns, and furthermore to provide for the publication of both contributions and expenditures. The need for collecting large campaign funds would vanish if congress provided an appropriation for the proper and legitimate expenses of each of the great national parties, an appropriation ample enough to meet the necessity for thorough organization and machinery, which requires a large expenditure of money. Then the stipulation should be made that no party receiving campaign funds from the treasury should accept more than a fixed amount from any individual subscriber or donor; and the necessary publicity for receipts and expenditures could without difficulty be provided."

The extension of the Ocean Mail act of 1891 is recommended as an aid to American shipping. A subsidy for Pacific steamers, the president thinks, is necessary.

That the army in the past has been niggardly provided for and should be more generously dealt with is dwelt upon at length, together with recommendations for future legislation.

Yearly additions to the navy are recommended and in the president's judgment the country should build four battleships this year.

Reason for Pacific Cruise.

Concerning the dispatch of the fleet to the Pacific, the president believes it should be shifted between the two oceans every year or two as a means of teaching officers and men how to handle the vessels in a time of war.

Although the results of The Hague conference are declared not to have been up to expectations, a degree of good is said to have resulted, notably a provision by which the powers taking part in the conference agreed not to have recourse to armed force for the collection of debts owed to their citizens by foreign countries.

The expectation of the government is declared to be to turn over Cuba to a government chosen by the people of the island within the coming year.

German Tariff Agreement.

Concerning the tariff agreement entered into with Germany, its object is declared to have been the prevention of a tariff war between the United States and that country. The work of the commission which made the agreement is praised.

The president asks for authority to remit to China all indemnity in excess of the sum of $11,655,492.69 and interest at four per cent.

In conclusion the message congratulates the country on its present cordial relations with all countries, particularly the sister republics to the south.

HAD HER PLANS WELL LAID.

William Was Not Likely to Take Vira Away in a Hurry.

Vira, the Morses' sable cook, announced to her mistress that she intended to be married the next week, says the Youth's Companion. Mrs. Morse was filled with regret. "O Vira," she cried, "I was afraid William would persuade you at last! You said you'd never leave us."

"Why, I isn't gwine to leabe you, honey," and Vira patted the shoulder of her young mistress in a comforting way. "I's jes' nachelly marrying dat Willum now to keep him from pestering me. He's been roun' too much lately, an' yet if I cas' him off, he'll get into mixtrious comp'ny. I's marrying dat boy to sabe him."

"Yes," said Mrs. Morse, somewhat reassured by Vira's tone, but slightly bewildered, nevertheless, "I know it will be a fine thing for him, Vira, but won't he want to take you away?"

"Whar he get de money?" inquired Vira, returning to her work of beating eggs with renewed vigor. "I's sabed de money fo' his honeymoon trip, and I's got his plans all laid out fo' him. He's got a ticket out to Californy an' to bring my ole farder back eas'; an' den I's gwine send him down souf fo' my sister, an' den up in Canady fo' my brudder, an' when he gets da fam'ly all rounded up, an' has to suppo't 'em mostly, you t'nk he's gwine be in a hurry to hab me to suppo't, honey?"

Left a Generous Will.

Signor Eugenio Padova's tradespeople will bless his memory. He was a rich Italian gentleman who lived for many years in Paris, and has just died, leaving an original but generous will. He bequeaths $600 to be divided among all the barbers who ever shaved him at a hair-dresser's where he went regularly. Every waiter who served him in the restaurants in which he was accustomed to dine gets a legacy. He leaves money also to the clerks of the shops of which he was a regular customer, and to the servants of the clubs to which he belonged.

NIGHT SWEATS, NO APPETITE, USED PE-RU-NA.

MRS. LIZZIE LOHR, 1155 W. 13th St., Chicago, Ill., writes:

"I take pleasure in writing you these few lines, thinking there may be other women suffering the same as I did.

"I had my complaints for over a year, *night sweats* all winter and *no appetite*. I was *run-down* so far that I had to sit down to do my cooking, I was so weak.

"I tried many different medicines and doctors also. Nothing seemed to do me any good. The doctors wanted to operate on me.

"At last I wrote to Dr. Hartman. I told him just exactly how I was, and he told me what ailed me and how I should take Peruna.

"I did as he told me for four months, and *now I am all cured.*

"No one can tell how thankful I am to him, as I had given up all hopes of ever getting well again.

"I am a widow and the mother of six small children who depend on my support. I work all day and seldom get tired.

"I took five bottles of Peruna in all.

"Any woman wishing to know more about my case may write to me and I will gladly tell all about it.

"I thank Dr. Hartman for what he has done for me."

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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Some of the choicest lands for grain growing, stock raising and mixed farming in the new districts of Saskatchewan and Alberta have recently been Opened for Settlement under the

Revised Homestead Regulations

Entry may now be made by proxy (on certain conditions), by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader. Thousands of homesteads of 160 acres each are thus now easily available in these great grain-growing, stock-raising and mixed farming sections.

There you will find healthful climate, good neighbors, churches for family worship, schools for your children, good laws, splendid crops, and railroads convenient to market.

Entry fee in each case is $10.00. For pamphlet, "Last Best West," particulars as to rates, routes, best time to go and where to locate, apply to

E. T. HOLMES, 315 Jackson St., St. Paul, Minn.; or W. V. BENNETT, 801 New York Life Bldg., Omaha, Neb.

Money Scarce

in winter? Better turn your extra time into cash. I pay *$3.00 per day*, in cash, for good work, and supply all the capital besides. Write for details to-day. This offer will not appear again.

ATKINSON, 1024 Race St., Philadelphia.

SPOT CASH

FOR SOLDIERS AND HEIRS

All federal soldiers and sailors who served 90 days between 1861 and 1866 and who homesteaded less than 160 acres before June 23, 1874, are entitled to additional homestead rights which I buy. If soldier is dead, his heirs can sell. Talk to old soldiers, widows and heirs. Find some soldier relative who went West or South after the war and homesteaded government land. Get busy and make some easy money. Write HENRY N. COPP, Washington, D. C., for further particulars.

DEFIANCE STARCH—16 ounces to the package—other starches only 12 ounces—same price and "DEFIANCE" IS SUPERIOR QUALITY.

ENTOMBED ALIVE

BETWEEN FIFTY AND SIXTY MINERS MAY BE DEAD.

BIG FIRE DAMP EXPLOSION

Tons of Rock and Coal Bury Pennsylvania Workmen—Medical Aid Has Been Sent.

Monongahela, Pa., Dec. 2.—Between fifty and sixty miners are entombed in the Naomi mine of the United Mine and Coal company at Fayette City as the result of an explosion of firedamp at 8 o'clock last night.

It is thought many are dead behind tons of rock and coal which fell during the concussion and blocked the entrance. The explosion was caused, it is said, when a miner with an open lamp entered one of the old workings.

Medical aid has been sent from Monangahela and surrounding towns. Details are meager, owing to the defective telephone service. Messengers have been sent out from here.

One Body Recovered.

Fayette City, Pa., Dec. 2.—One dead body has been removed from the Naomi mine, in which an explosion of black damp occurred last night. It is estimated that sixty miners are stil entombed and it is feared most of them are dead.

State Mine Inspector Lontitt is on the scene and pronounces the explosion serious. A large force of men are working in relays, but it is feared that it will be hours before the inner workings are reached.

DUMA ENDS IN RIOT.

Monarchists Assault Orator Who Attacks Government.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 1.—The session of the duma yesterday which was devoted to the continuation of the debate on the declaration of the government presented by Premier Stolypin on Friday, broke up in a ri t. The reactionaries assaulted Fedori Roditcheff, orator of the constitutional democrats, and attempted to drag him from the tribune in order to end his vitriolic attack on the government.

Premier Stolypin and the cabinet members witnessed the demonstration and departed when it became evident that the howling mob had intention of allowing the session proceed.

M. Roditchaff, in a ringing speech in which he was constantly interrupted by applause or jeers, was eulogizing the hundreds of victims of courts martial, and when he referred to the officials of the government as hangmen, a hundred reactionaries led by Vladimir Purishkevitch, monarchist, and two priests, stormed the tribune.

President Khomiakoff, after vainly ringing his bell for order, abandoned the chair and declared the sitting closed.

The constitutional democrats and social democrats charged to the rescue of M. Roditcheff, who was being roughip handled. They formed a phalanx around him and bore him, still shouting defiance to one corner of the hall.

FORAKER TO DIVIDE PARTY.

Taft and His Rival Both May Be Eliminated.

Washington, D. C., Dec 1.—Senator Foraker's declaration of unrelenting war on Secretary Taft in Ohio and announcement of his candidacy for the presidency constituted the main subject of discussion in all quarters here yesterday. There was much talk as to its probable effect.

It was generally agreed it would mean the elimination both of Taft and Foraker as presidential factors, that it would result in a divided delegation, that it would perhaps result in the state going democratic next year and altogether would make it impracticable for the republican national convention to pick its candidate from Ohio. Friends of other presidential candidate were not a little delighted at the developments, as they considered it a final blow at Secretary Taft's boom.

CANNON AND WILLIAMS

Former Renominated By Republicans and Latter Choice of Democrats.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 1.—Hon. Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois was last night nominated by the republican members of the house of representatives for his third term as speaker and he will be re-elected to that office upon the convining of the house at 12 o'clock Monday.

By agreeing to place in nomination for speaker John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, the democratic members of the house in effect decided to continue him in the position of minority leader for the Sixtieth congress

Oklahoma Will Get Money.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 1.—Senator Owen of Oklahoma, who called at the White house yesterday, said he had been assured that Oklahoma would next week receive the $5,000,000 due from the national government appropriated in lieu of school lands in the Indian territory. This money he said, would be deposited by the treasury in state banks, without delay, thus relieving the financial situation.

PROOF FOR TWO CENTS.

If You Suffer with Your Kidneys and Back Write to This Man.

G. W. Winney, Medina, N. Y., invites kidney sufferers to write to him.

To all who enclose postage he will reply telling how Doan's Kidney Pills cured him after he had doctored and had been in two different hospitals for eighteen months, suffering intense pain in the back, lameness, twinges when stooping or lifting, languor, dizzy spells and rheumatism. "Before I used Doan's Kidney Pills," says Mr. Winney, "I weighed 143. After taking 10 or 12 boxes I weighed 162 and was completely cured."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

EQUAL TO THE OCCASION.

This Servant Girl Was Evidently a Person of Resource.

As a source of humor the Irish servant girl has long since fallen from her high estate, a result probably due to the better class of young women from the Emerald Isle who come here annually to help confuse the eternal "servant girl question." But now and again one of the old, naively ignorant sort turns up in a New York household, as was demonstrated the other day to a caller at a house on the West Side.

The girl who responded to the bell was asked if her mistress was at home. To this inquiry she surprised the caller by putting her arms behind her back and replying in a rich brogue, as she thrust her face toward the caller: "Put th' tickets in me mouth, ma'am, an' I'll go an' see. Me hands is wet."—N. Y. Press.

SORES AS BIG AS FENNIES.

Whole Head and Neck Covered—Hair All Came Out—Cured in Three Weeks by Cuticura.

"After having the measles my whole head and neck were covered with scaly sores about as large as a penny. They were just as thick as they could be. My hair all came out. I let the trouble run along, taking the doctor's blood remedies and rubbing on salve, but it did not seem to get any better. It stayed that way for about six months; then I got a set of the Cuticura Remedies, and in about a week I noticed a big difference, and in three weeks it was well entirely and I have not had the trouble any more, and as this was seven years ago, I consider myself cured. Mrs. Henry Porter, Albion, Neb., Aug. 25, 1906."

A Frank Advertiser.

The new commercial morality has spread to Ceylon. From one of the newspapers of that balmy island we take the following:

"CH. A. HORSE—Rising seven, fine mouth and paces, about 15 hands; fine Lady's Hack; shows a lot of breeding; Reason for selling, bad with motors; won't go in harness; jibs when leaving stables; catches rider by seat of breeches when mounting; but a darling pet. Apply, &c."—London Daily Mail.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

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"Experience is the best teacher," remarked the man who indulges in trite sayings.

"Yes," answered the skeptic; "but occasionally, as in distinguishing between mushrooms and toadstools, your education comes too late to be of any service."

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.
PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

The whole of virtue consists in its practice.—Cicero.

PRODUCTIVE POWER OF WESTERN CANADA SOIL

Winnipeg Correspondence.

There has never been any who have doubted the productiveness of the soil of Western Canada, but there are sometimes found those who question the fact of its superiority. During the past season it has been shown that in grain raising qualities it possessed the very best. The late spring prevented grain being sown in many cases before the middle of May. Yet, a large percentage of that sown at that time produced excellent yields. Had it not been for the frost early in August, which visited most of the north half of the continent, there would have been a magnificent yield in every district in Western Canada. Throughout the Southern Alberta district where about 100,000 acres was sown to winter wheat the yield will be enormously large. There are vast tracts of valuable grain growing land in Western Canada that are available for homesteads, the Canadian Government giving 160 acres free, and entry may be made by proxy, by any near relative, thus saving considerable cost to the American who may have entry made in this way. Any Canadian Government Agent will give you the particulars.

Your correspondent has just received the following letter from Craik, Saskatchewan, which bears out the statement made in the first part of this letter.

"Craik, Sask., Aug. 1907.

"May 24th we planted a Dahlia root, which we brought with us from Minneapolis. Aug. 12th, 80 days later, it was in bloom. The plant is now 4½ feet high and covered with blossoms. We never got half as many flowers on it in Minneapolis, even during September and October, although we had more time to attend to it there."

I mention this only as an example of the great productive power of the soil here in Saskatchewan, Canada.

At the County Fair.

"Doing a land-office business, eh?" remarked the man from the city. "What is that you are selling, anyway?"

"Blessed if I know myself, boss," whispered the fakir at the county fair; "it has zigzag lines all over it and when a woman comes up I sell it to her as a skirt pattern and when a man comes up I sell it to him as a guaranteed and genuine map of Mars."

Shy Amateurs.

"Splendid spectacles," that is the definition towards which athletics in England are gradually drifting, and chiefly, it is to be feared, upon the current of highly trained professionalism. The ordinary man, conscious of his own mediocre ability, is afraid to venture into the field.—North China Herald.

Not All There.

Bleeker—Your wife seems to have a mind of her own.

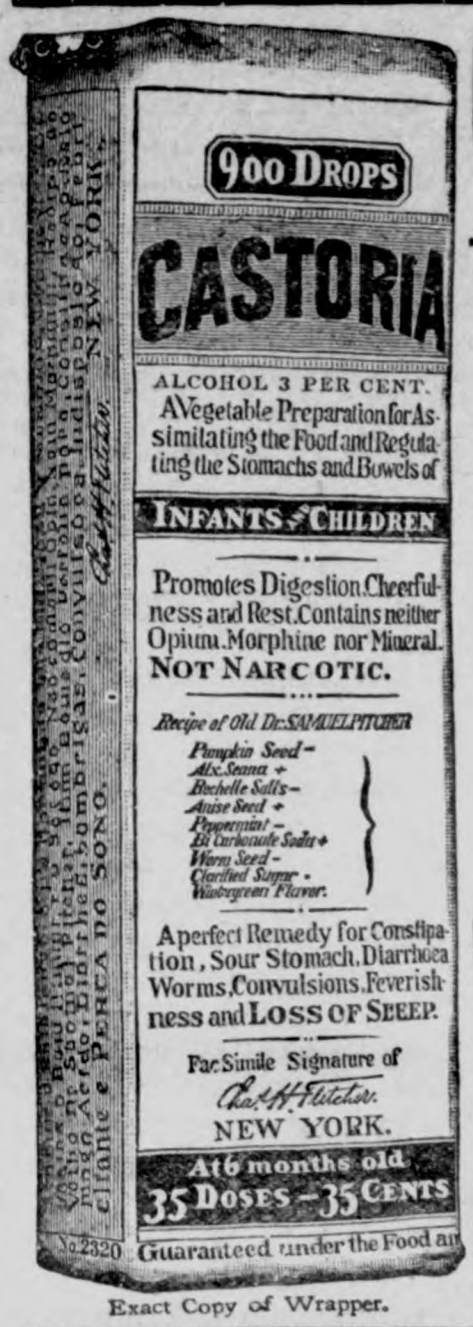
Meeker—She did have before our marriage, but she hasn't any more.

Bleeker—What's the answer?

Meeker—She has given me several pieces of it since we faced the parson together.

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE"
That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

It sometimes happens that a man stops work after securing a political job.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German M. E. Church Items

Quite a number are nursing a bad cold.

Chas. Schmidt went to Oelwein Monday for a visit.

Roy Schaefer started to attend the Klemme school Monday.

F. C. Griewe returned to his work in Kossuth Co. on Wednesday.

Mrs. Kahler and children returned from their trip Wednesday.

Mrs. H. Gruetzmazher was an over Sunday visitor with Klemme folks.

The Germantown League gave a Thanksgiving program on last Sunday evening.

Our Klemme janitor gave the church a good cleaning up the first of the week.

The Klemme Standard Bearers will meet Friday evening at the home of Henry Lau.

We urge our people to attend one of the three prayer meetings which are held each week.

Herman Gast finished his seasons work at H. J. Stille and took to trapping for a past time.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Riemer left Wednesday morning on a trip to Wisconsin to visit with relatives.

Quarterly meeting in our Klemme church Saturday and Sunday. No services in Germantown next Sunday.

Fred Arnold, Sr. has been failing decidedly the last week and there is, humanly speaking, little hope for his recovery.

Edwin Schmidt started out Monday to learn telegraphy. He is receiving instruction from our station agent Mr. Turgasen.

Hugo Neff came home from Mason City to spend Thanksgiving with his grandmother. He returned Monday morning.

The Germantown W. F. M. S. meet with Mrs. Wm. Bredlowon Tuesday and the Klemme society meet with Mrs. H. L. Schuldt on Thursday.

In our items of last week we sent Mrs. Arthur Wellemeyer and son to Charles City for the Thanksgiving day, when in fact she was at home. They had planned to go but the little boy not feeling well she gave it up.

On Thanksgiving day Mr and Mrs. H. C Beier had their little girl cristened naming it Ethel May. On the same day, at the home of Herman Lemke their little girl was baptised and received the name Ruth Emma.

Gust Kahler and family took the train at Klemme last Wednesday evening for Grundy Center. He had made arrangements with a lad from Garner to come down on the same train, take his team home and attend to Mr. Kahler's chores during his absence. But the youngster failed to materialize and the team stood out in the street all night. Neighbors did his chores and looked after the team.

Goodell and Vicinity.

Fred Ralston shot a crane last Sunday.

Will Wilson was married on Thursday Nov. 28.

Will Wilson and wife spent Sunday at J. Griggs and family.

Frances Parker spent Sunday with John Hartfelder and family.

Quite a number in Avery Center attended the dance at Jim Wilson's Thursday evening.

Thomas Hamilton, Sr. and wife spent Thanksgiving with their son Tom and wife.

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STATEMENT

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ASSETS

Amount of Bills, Bonds and other evidences of debt discounted or purchased actually owned by the Bank (carried out)		$105,885 61
Amount of cash on hand described as follows:		
Gold coin,	15 00	
Silver coin and bullion	200 38	
Legal tender and national bank notes and subsidary coin	2973 00	
Drafts and checks on other solvent banks and other cash items not dishonored on hand and belonging to the bank	2764 56	5,737 56
		5,952 94
Amount subject to be drawn at sight on deposit with solvent banks or bankers (specifying names and locations of the banks):		
Continental Nat'l Bk. Chicago, Ill.	514 62	
Merchants Nat'l Bk. Cedar Rapids, Iowa	1,019 36	
Drovers Deposit National Bk Chicago, Ill	32 56	
Farmers Nat'l Bk. Garner, Iowa	5,160 55	
Century Savings Bk. Des Moines, Iowa	2,194 01	8,921 10
Overdrafts secured		2,915 93
Value of real property (owned by the Bank)	8,963 57	
Value of personal property [owned by the bank]	1,784 92	10,748 49
Total Assets		134,424 07

LIABILITIES

Amount of capital stock actually paid up in cash		15,000 00
Total amount due depositors, as follows:		
Amount sight deposits	44,204.19	
Amount time deposits	69,056.39	113,260.58
Indebtedness of every kind, due banks, bankers, or persons other than regular depositors:		
Surplus fund	4,000 00	
Other profits on hand (after deducting taxes and expenses)	2,163 49	6,163 49
Total Liabilities		134,424 07
Amount of all liabilities to the Bank on part of its directors:		
As borrowers	5,477 61	
As endorsers	4,246 10	9,723 71

STATE OF IOWA, HANCOCK COUNTY, } ss.

We, W. R. Bloom, President and P. M. Griesemer, Cashier, of the Bank above named, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is full, true and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief, that the assets therein set forth are bona fide the property of said Bank in its corporate capacity and that no part of the same has been loaned or advanced to said Bank for the purpose of being exhibited as a portion of its assets.

W. R. BLOOM, President.

P. M. GRIESEMER, Cashier.

SEAL

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence by W. R. Bloom and P. M. Griesemer, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1907.

ISAAC SWEIGARD, Notary Public

Attested by:

A. Kelly
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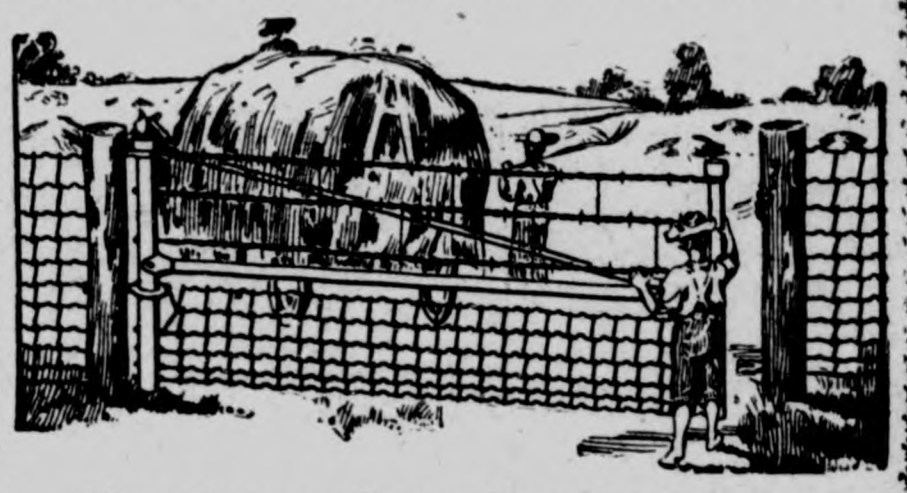

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Klemme, - - Iowa

Destiny is darkness without a star to light the midnight gloom.

In Berlin they number the houses with illuminated paint. How about the keyholes?

It is pretty difficult to question the orthodoxy of the man who believes and acts as he professes.

How often we imagine that friends and the world have betrayed us when the fault is with ourselves.

The Vanderbilt baby is heir to $60,000,000, in addition to colic, measles, croup, mumps and other things.

The time we spend in fearing and nursing trouble should be used in gayly kicking it out of the house.

Judge Keller gave a divorce to a man who cooked while his wife danced. Anyone would dance at the mere sight of most men cooking.

A Virginia girl found a diamond in the core of an apple. The pearl in the traditional restaurant oyster is getting hopelessly outclassed.

Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, who bemoans the fate of being rich, can depend upon it that some millions of brave Americans are willing to leap to her rescue.

Henry Phipps has opened an apartment house whose tenants must all have children. These Pittsburg millionaires are going the limit in freakishness.

Gladys Vanderbilt's share of her father's estate has grown from $7,500,000 to $12,000,000. Perhaps her husband-to-be will see to it that nothing of the sort happens again.

It is not likely, however, that the plan of those New York doctors to alleviate pain by exposure to a strong light will receive any testimonials from the bad trusts.

The trouble in Persia has got to such an etxent that they are organizing women's committees. The east will find public matters a very different affair when the feminine finger once gets in the political pie.

Two men and a woman have been arrested by the New York police for carrying on a game of swindling in Wall street. They certainly can plead some extenuation of their offense in the influence of environment.

The Aurora (Ill.) man who is trying an exclusive diet of peanuts for 60 days has two rivals at that place. One is eating nothing but sauer kraut, and the other nothing but beans. Another man who started on green onions has given up the job. His breath got so strong that he could not control it.

Church circles in Washington, D. C., are profoundly stirred over the case of a bride who had the wedding ring placed on her fourth finger because it was too small to go on the third. Owing to an oversight on the part of the early fathers the church now provides no adequate penalty for an offense of this kind.

The New York judge who rebuked a complaining wife and told her that when her husband gave her, as he did, each week, $34 out of his $35 salary, she had no right to suspect him of leading a double life, that the man could not do it, was eminently right. That husband could obviously lead no more than the thirty-fifth part of a life.

An explorer declares that coal is to be found around the north pole. Hitherto all the expeditions to discover this elusive point have been more or less scientific, but now that its discovery is getting down to business the public may expect to see the coal trust organize an expedition to see this black diamond treasure first.

While China is meditating and Russia is endeavoring to hedge in the matter of formulating a constitutional government, King Menelik of Abyssinia has issued a decree forming a cabinet and reorganizing the administrative system of his country upon the most up-to-date European models. Abyssinia may yet show Russia how to do it.

New York university has opened a night college which offers regular academic courses and is empowered to confer ordinary degrees. At first sight this seems to belong with the night court, the "day-and-night" bank and other enterprises which keep New York awake 24 hours a day. Yet it is not a startling innovation, after all, for night schools have long been established in American cities, there are institutions giving evening instruction in law, medicine and engineering, and much studying has always been done by the light of mid-

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

MAYOR ISSUES ORDERS.

That Davenport's Saloons Will Obey New Regulations.

Davenport.—Mayor Waldo Becker of Davenport is going to make the Davenport saloons obey part of the mulct law any way, if they don't obey it all.

Ninety of the Davenport saloonkeepers a few days ago agreed to a petition, which was handed the mayor, as follows:

"We, the undersigned saloonkeepers of Davenport, request the authorities to enforce the following regulations and rules for all saloons in this city:

"First—No saloon to be open for the sale or delivery of liquor after 11 o' clock p. m., or before 5 o'clock a. m.

"Second—No saloon to be open on any primary or election day.

"Third—No free lunches to be served in and about any saloon.

"Fourth—No liquor to be sold or delivered anywhere on Sunday before 2 o'clock p. m.

"Fifth—No side or back rooms having closed doors to be operated in connection with any saloon for the sale of intoxicating liquors.

"Sixth—No intoxicating liquors to be sold to any minor, either by glass, bottle, can or pitcher.

"Seventh—No women to be harbored in any about any saloon.

"Eighth—No curtains to be in front of windows of saloons.

"Ninth—No liquor to be sold to any intoxicated person."

In compliance with the request of the saloonkeepers, Mayor Becker issued the following orders for the strict enforcement of all the clauses of the agreement:

"Thomas Atkinson, Chief of Police, Davenport, Iowa.—Dear Sir: In order that all saloonkeepers in the city may be treated alike in the matter of the control of their respective places of business you will from and after this date consider as orders from me, Nos. 1 to 9 inclusive, as will more specifically appear in the instrument, or paper hereto attached.

"Order all men on the force to see to it that the said orders are enforced. Instruct all officers to report forthwith any failure on the part of any man engaged in the saloon business to comply with said order, and failure to so report by any officer will cense of any man engaged in the saloon business who fails to obey these orders will be summarily revoked.

"Waldo Becker, Mayor."

FIENDISH DOUBLE MURDER.

Young Married Couple Killed With a Club.

Muscatine.—Mr. and Mrs. William Van Winkle, man and wife of less than five months, were clubbed to death in their home at Fairport, 6 miles northwest of Muscatine, a few nights ago.

The bodies of both, with skulls crushed and faces and bodies so steeped with blood as to be almost unrecognizable, were found by a cousin of the murdered man, Glen Brewer, who went to the Van Winkle home to ascertain why the man did not start to work.

The murder is believed to have been committed by Harry Jones, a desperate character who, it is known, had declared late the night of the murder that he was going to Van Winkle's to stay all night. He was drunk at that time, and could secure lodging no where else, and said he could always find lodging with the Van Winkles.

When the bodies were discovered it was found that the spare bed in the home had been occupied and as Jones was missing, suspicion at once rested upon him.

A posse took up the search for the murderer, who is believed to be heavily armed, and who is known to be desperate when under the influence of liquor. Lynching was threatened, but the sheriff is keeping a close watch on the situation.

FRANK PALMER IS DEAD.

Prominent Iowan Passes Away in Chicago.

Des Moines.—One of the men most prominent among those contributed to the nation by the state of Iowa, W. Palmer died of pneumonia quite pasesd away on the 3rd, when Frank suddenly in Chicago.

He had resided in that city since his retirement from the office of public printer a year or two ago, and at his bedside were his children, Robert F. Palmer, who is engaged in insurance in Chicago and resides at 175 Lakeview avenue, and his daughter, who is a teacher in the Chicago High school.

Shoots Himself In The Leg.

Mason City.—Peter Feierisen, a farmer living a short distance north of here, shot himself through the leg a few inches below the groin by the accidental discharge of a revolver he was handling. The ball cut a large and jagged wound, the muzzle being so close to the limbs as to burn the flesh. The danger is from blood poisoning.

NEW BANK FOR CHARITON.

It Will Take Place of Defunct First National.

Chariton.—It is now pratically certain that the First National bank of Chariton will never reopen its doors, and upon the strength of this certainty prominent men have taken steps to establish a new national bank to be known as the Citizens' National bank, and to begin business about Jan. 1.

A letter from Mrs. Jessie Mallory Thayer, one of the stockholders in the bank, written for herself and her mother, Mrs. Mallory, to a Chariton editor, makes certain that the defunct bank will not be put on its feet again. Her letter also makes certain that the Mallory interests will not be able to do anything more than meet their legal obligations to the bank and its depositors, if that much. The stockholders are legally responsible for twice their stock holdings.

Replying to a direct inquiry as to what the Mallory interests would do about the bank, Mrs. Thayer said that as they now understood the affairs of the defunct bank, they could not possibly reopen it nor pay the depositors in full. "We do expect to meet our legal obligations to the depositors in full, in so far as we are now informed as to the condition of the bank," she wrote in effect, "but more than this it is utterly impossible and useless to try to do." Mrs. Thayer suggested that if any legal obligations of any magnitude not now known were to arise they might prevent a payment even of legal obligations in full.

MACKOWN SET FREE.

Jury Declares Alleged Embezzler Not Guilty.

Fort Dodge.—"Not guilty" was the verdict brought in by the jury in the case of George Kackown, charged with embezzling $10,000 from the Northwestern Felt Shoe company of Webster City.

The jury was out over twenty-four hours before it reported.

Judge Evans took occasion to rebuke the jurors severely for their finding in the case. His remarks were to the effect that under the evidence there could be no reasonable doubt as to the guilt of the defendant and that the verdict was evidently the result of sympathy or prejudice. He concluded his remarks by stating that he did not think the verdict was a fair one.

It is reported that the jury stood eights for acquittal and four for conviction from the start. One of the jurors is reported to have afterwards stated that the strongest point for George Maskown, and the one which more than all else was responsible for clearing him, was the fact that the company collected money from an insurance company on an invoice which they claimed during the trial to be false.

POSSE CAPTURES SLAYER.

Harry Jones Is Driven Out of Woods by Hunger.

Muscatine.—Harry Jones, alias Walter Beatty, alleged murderer of Mr. and Mrs. William Van Winkle, was captured at Coal Valley, a small mining town twelve miles east of Rock Island. The fugitive came out of the woods and went to the postoffice for something to eat. The postoffice is in a general store. The postmaster at once recognized the man, and sent a boy out to alarm the town.

Fifty armed men rushed through the open door as he stood at the counter eating and bore him to the floor.

Jones fought like a mad man, kicking, biting, and possessed the strength of a giant. His pocket was full of rifle shells. Jones had on the murdered man's shoes.

When arrested, Sheriff Benham rushed to the scene, and identified him as the man wanted.

Jones denies the deed vigorously. It is proven that he is Walter Beatty of Washington, Pa., wanted on the charge of murder or attempted murder at that place.

AMES CAPTURES TROPHY.

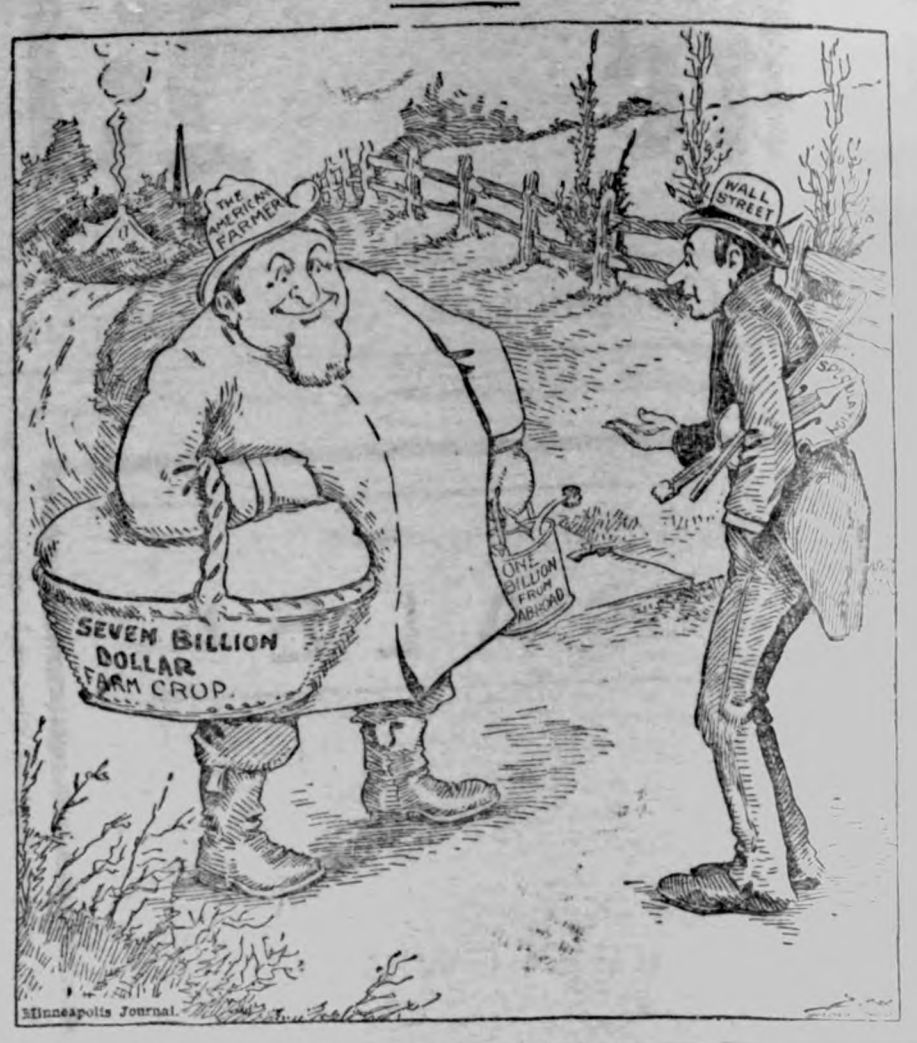
Chicago.—The yell of the Iowa agricultural college awoke the echoes in the international live stock show pavilion on the 2d, for it was announced that this institution had carried off most of the honors in the students' judging contest.

Iowa was declared by the judges to have made the best general average, with Ontario second and Missouri third. The other entres ranked in the following order: Ohio, fourth; Kansas, fifth; Texas, sixth; Washinton, seventh, and South Dakota, eighth.

The Iowa school retained the bronze trophy for horse judging, and Ontario that for judging cattle, sheep and swine. Both of these schools by virtue of previous victories are now permanent posessors of the handsome statuettes.

Iowa won three of the five farmers' sons scholarships established by J. Ogden Armour, and Missouri two, Ontario being ineligible.

THE GRASSHOPPER AND THE ANT.



TO CUT CANAL BOND ISSUE

CORTELYOU DECIDES ON ONE-HALF REDUCTION.

Allotments to the Amount of Only $25,000,000 Made—Reasons Given.

Washington. — Secretary Cortelyou has decided to reduce by one-half the issue of Panama canal bonds and allotments to the amount of only $25,000,000 have been made. The lowest price at which offers will be accepted will be between 102 and 102½ ranging up to over 106, the average being a figure slightly in excess of 103. The amount of certificates which will be allotted is between $12,000,000 and $15,000,000.

During Mr. Cortelyou's term as secretary of the treasury the permanent addition to the interest bearing debt of the country has been increased by $25,000,000 of Panama bonds and the temporary debt running only for one year has been increased by $15,000,000 certificates. The interest bearing debt on July 1, the beginning of the present fiscal year was approximately $894,000,000, which on November 1 had been reduced to $858,000,000, a reduction of $36,000,000, and counting the Panama bonds, a net decrease of $11,000,000. The annual interest charge since the first of the year has been reduced by over a million dollars.

MRS. BRADLEY ACQUITTED.

Slayer of Ex-Senator Brown Is Set Free by Jury.

Washington.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Annie M. Bradley, charged with the murder of ex-Senator Arthur Brown, of Utah, at a local hotel on December 8 last, Tuesday morning brought in a verdict of not guilty. The jury reached the courtroom at 10:08.

When the court asked the jurors if they had reached a verdict the foreman answered: "We have."

"What is your verdict, gentlemen?"

"Not guilty."

A demonstration of applause followed the announcement of the verdict.

Immediately after the jury delivered its verdict the court thanked the jury for the manner in which it had performed its duty and the jury in turn, through its foreman, expressed to the court and counsel its thanks for the consideration and courtesy shown it. The jury was then discharged and Mrs. Bradley was released from custody.

MICHIGAN BANK IS CLOSED.

State Treasurer Glazier's Institution at Chelsea in Trouble.

Detroit, Mich.—In order to avoid a threatened run on the bank Tuesday and to afford all depositors and creditors an equal chance in the settlement of the bank's affairs, State Banking Commissioner Zimmerman Monday announced that the Chelsea Savings bank would not open for business Tuesday.

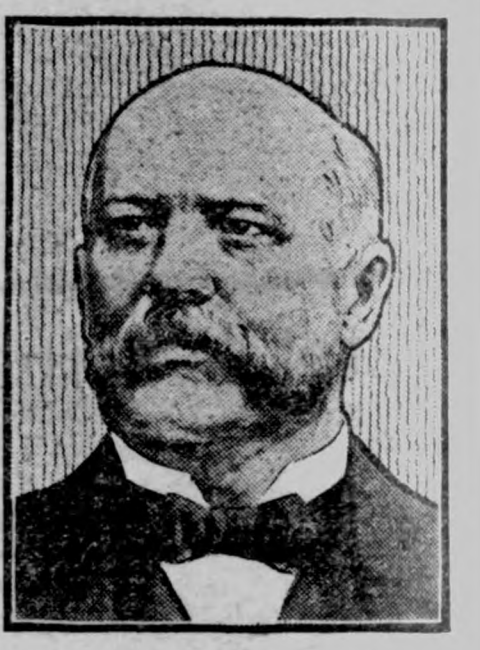
The president of the bank is State Treasurer Frank P. Glazier, who has deposited in the bank approximately $684,000 of the funds of the state of Michigan. Attorney General Bird said Monday night that the state is protected by the state treasurer's bond of $150,000, so that the state would not suffer any loss unless the assets of the bank should fail to pay 50 cents on the dollar, which is considered altogether improbable.

HENRY O. HAVEMEYER DEAD.

Head of Sugar Trust Succumbs to Heart Failure.

New York.—Henry Osborne Havemeyer, president of the American Sugar Refining company, died Wednesday at his country home, Merrivale Stock Farm, at Commack, L. I., of heart failure, following an attack of acute indigestion on Thanksgiving day.

From the first the patient's heart was affected and his condition was critical. Resort to the use of oxygen



Henry O. Havemeyer.

to prolong life was had a few hours before the end. When death came Mrs. Havemeyer, her son Horace and her daughter Electra and Dr. L. C. Frisbell, were at the bedside.

Mr. Havemeyer was the son of the late Frederick Christian Havemeyer, who, with his father, was the pioneer in sugar refining. He was born on October 18, 1847, in this city, where his father and grandfather amassed a fortune in the sugar refining business. After an education in the public schools he entered the business of Havemeyer & Co., and later was with Havemeyer & Elder. His genius for organization showed itself in the formation of the American Sugar Refining company in 1887. His brother, Theodore A. Havemeyer, was elected president of the company and held the office until his death four years ago. H. O. Havemeyer succeeded him in the presidency.

TAFT IS SPEEDING HOME.

Stops in Berlin Only Long Enough to Attend Reception.

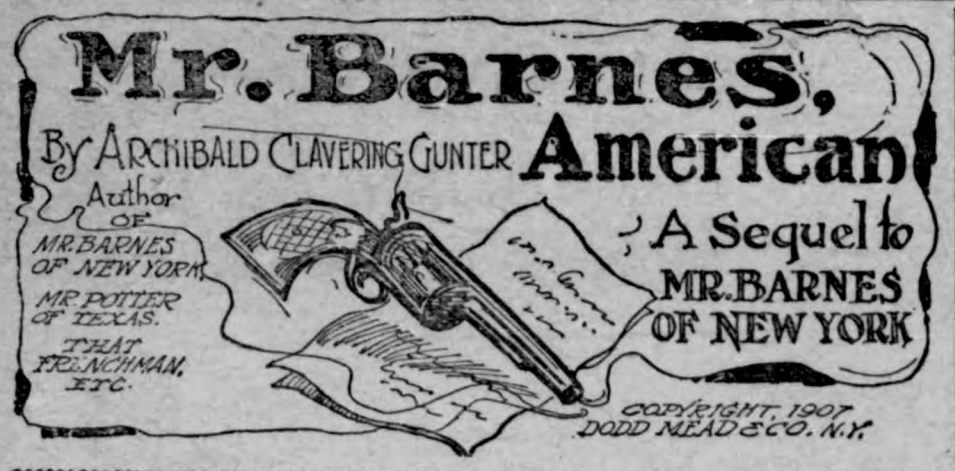
Berlin.—Secretary of War Taft and the members of his party arrived here Friday evening from Russia, and late at night, after attending a reception in his honor, the secretary and his son departed for Hamburg and Cuxhaven, where they embark on Saturday on the steamer President Grant for New York. Mrs. Taft at the same time left for Paris. Ambassador Tower and Lieut. Col. John P. Wisser, the American military attache, met the secretary and his party at the railway station here.

A number of German and foreign newspaper correspondents joined Mr. Taft's train en route from the frontier and came with it to Berlin.

Former Mayor Is Fined.

St. Cloud, Minn.—State Senator J. C. Robinson was fined $100 Wednesday on the charge of malfeasance in office when he was mayor of this city over a year ago. The prosecution was the result of the failure of Robinson, as mayor, to enforce the Sunday closing law. The fine was paid.

Mr. Barnes, American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SYNOPSIS.

Burton H. Barnes, a wealthy American touring Corsica, rescues the young English lieutenant, Edward Gerard Anstruther, and his Corsican bride, Marina, daughter of the Paolis, from the murderous vendetta, understanding that his reward is to be the hand of the girl he loves, Enid Anstruther, sister of the English lieutenant. The four fly from Ajaccio to Marseilles on board the French steamer Constantine. The vendetta pursues and as the quartet are about to board the train for London at Marseilles, Marina is handed a mysterious note which causes her to collapse and necessitates a postponement of the journey. Barnes gets part of the mysterious note and receives letters which inform him that he is marked by the vendetta. He employs an American detective and plans to beat the vendetta at their own game. For the purpose of securing the safety of the women Barnes arranges to have Lady Chartris lease a secluded villa at Nice to which the party is to be taken in a yacht. Suspicion is created that Marina is in league with the Corsicans. A man, believed to be Corregio Danella, is seen passing the house and Marina is thought to have given him a sign. Marina refuses to explain to Barnes which fact adds to his latent suspicions. Barnes' plans for the safety of the party are learned by the Corsicans. The carriage carrying their party to the local landing is followed by two men. One of the horsemen is supposed to be Corregio. They try to murder the American. The cook on the yacht—a Frenchman—is suspected of complicity in the plot. The party anchors at St. Tropez. The yacht is followed by a small boat. The cook is detected giving signals to the boat. Barnes attempts to throw him overboard, but is prevented by Marina and Enid.

CHAPTER VI.—Continued.

"And why, to-night, against the regulations of my vessels," adds Anstruther, "he kept this galley fire unbanked so that the light shining through his open porthole indicates to the felucca what craft it is to pursue."

Marina puts these questions to the cook and translates the following answer. "The ice was necessary. After I am on shore to get it, I sent a telegram, as I promised, to Monsieur Deupez, who had come to me in Marseilles and said: 'You go on the Seagull. The Cafe Vefleur will want you as soon as their grand chef Meudon goes to Paris. To engage you, they must know where you are. To miss your services would be a blow for the great restaurant. So they can communicate with you, telegraph me immediately on landing from each port the yacht stops, that they can get you the instant Meudon leaves.' He gave me money for this. Therefore the moment I am on shore, I telegraph simply: 'St. Tropez. I am here. Leboeuf.' Soon I received a return message: 'Hold the yacht three hours.' I have vegetables to buy, also flowers. That takes time, after the market is closed. I don't hurry. What matters if a pleasure yacht leave a little later? From Marseilles I receive no further answer. The chef of the Vefleur has not yet gone, so I come on board. This night, the morning watch want coffee; Monsieur Graham say give it to them, so I leave my fire unbanked. It was very hot; I open the porthole of my galley. That's all. Voici, what I have done is simply business. I am a great cook. The Cafe Vefleur wishes to engage me; that is all."

"Aha," cries Enid generously; "you see the chef simply expected to get a good position in the kitchen of a leading Marseilles restaurant."

Listening to this, Edwin and Barnes go into consultation. Probably the memory of his magnificent cuisine makes them lenient to the artist. "I believe the little beggar is innocent," says the sailor.

"Simply a matter of vanity," remarks Burton. "He thought they wanted him very much for the Cafe Vefleur."

"If we don't put the little chap on shore, we must trust him," remarks the American. Then he says briefly to Marina: "Please show Leboeuf what danger he has placed upon us by his telegram."

And this being explained to him by the beautiful women, both fair ones almost speaking together, Leboeuf beginning to comprehend the plot against even their lives, the little Frenchman breaks out excitedly and gallantly in a mixture of polyglot: "Mille. tonnerres, murder you, angels of mercy? Nevaire! I, Felix Leboeuf, vill defend you both vith my life." He seizes and kisses their hands. "Zese assassins shall answer to me for making me zeir instrument. No more telegrams while I am a Seagull. Zat I swear to you," and the little fellow's eyes glow with gratitude as they rest upon the gentle creatures who, as they have stood between him and marlinspike and pistol, have seemed divine in mercy.

But despite the innocence and fealty of Monsieur Leboeuf, Edwin and Barnes leave his galley dismayed.

"We must settle exactly how we proceed," whispers Barnes to Edwin, the two ladies having retreated to the stern. "What do you propose?"

"Why, as not only a sailor but a man of common sense, I propose to get away from these sneaky devils as far as possible; crack on everything, round Sardinia, drive for the Strait of Gibraltar and up the Atlantic and Bay of Biscay to England."

Barnes glances over the stern—far away in the gloom of the coming morning is the felucca. "There's practical proof that the vendetta is ever following us," he says, simply. "That cruel craft is sent to dog us to any port where we may land. In England, you will be too prominent to escape notice. Besides, do you or I want to live our lives always looking over our shoulders for some enemy behind us? No, there is one way—my original plan.

"Get the ladies concealed and guarded as carefully as possible with Lady Chartris at Villefranche, then you and I turn about and meet these devils, and, if necessary, destroy them; at all events, destroy the man who has the money, that permits these assassins to follow us to the ends of the earth."

So the next day, beating out upon the sea between Elba and Corsica, is a very different vessel to the brilliant pleasure craft that left Marseilles. Upon its deck are people also changed.

The intimacy of a yachting excursion to young men and young women who love each other, generally makes the deck of the craft under soft suns fanned by refreshing breezes, nigh onto a heaven, but haunted by the supposed deft letters of Cipriano Danella, the Seagull is an inferno.

"The deck of this vessel has become," Edwin muttered gloomily to Barnes, "nigh unto hell. Can't you see," he whispers despairingly, "that every day Marina grows more anxious and more nervous? My God, it is for me."

This remark is made to the American as the two men sit smoking between the main and the foremast late the next evening.

"Did you notice," adds Anstruther, with a sigh, "she had no appetite?"

"You mean your sister?" says the American.

"Certainly not; Marina! My wife didn't eat a mouthful."

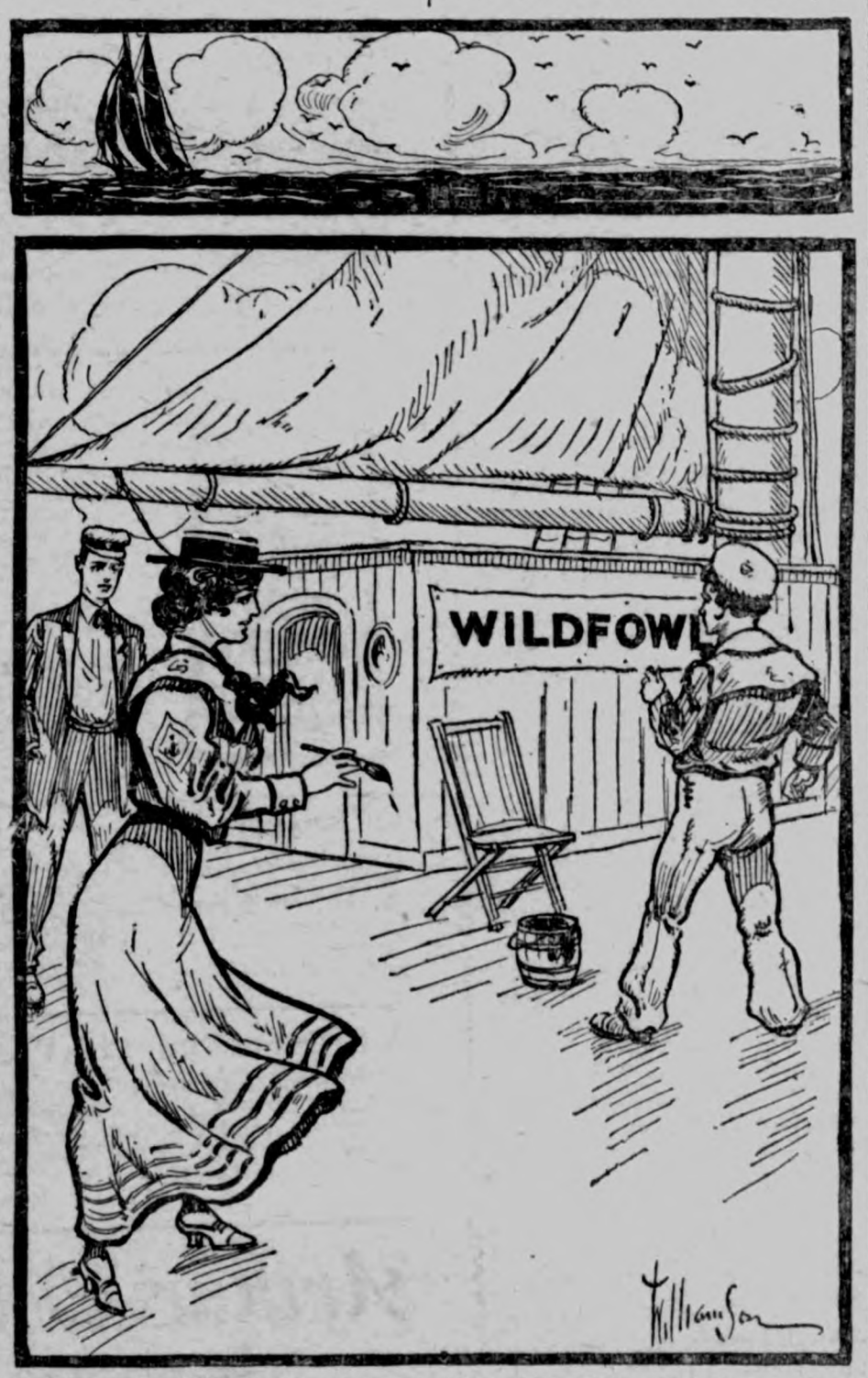
"Neither did Miss Anstruther!"

"Nonsense! Enid was enthusiastic over our parlez-vous cook's culinary triumphs."

"Yes, with her lips, but not with her teeth," mutters Burton, grimly. "Womanlike, she cried out about filet mignon and omelette souffle and affected to eat—but—"

"But stored away no cargo," suggests Anstruther. "So much the better for you, old man; when a girl gets off her food she's hard hit in some other part of her anatomy than her stomach. My sister's a good sailor, so it isn't sea sickness affects her."

"Sea sickness!" jeers Barnes, savagely. "Can't you see that every hour Enid grows more cold and more



Miss Anstruther Who Is Now Interested in the Matter, Painting a New Name, the Wildfowl on a Piece of Canvas.

haughty to me, punishing me because I didn't wed her that day in Marseilles, when even Emory, the cold-blooded Yankee detective, shuddered and said it would be a crime for me to marry with this devilish threat I carry in my pocket against any woman who is unfortunate enough to become my wife."

"It concerns my sister; supposing you show it to me!" suggests Edwin.

"Supposing you show it to me!" comes to them in a clear voice from the neighboring cutter.

"My God, you overheard?" Barnes faces his beautiful fiancee as she steps from the large boat that, after the merchant fashion, has now been stowed on the deck amidship.

"Certainly! Hoping I had done your love an injustice, I have been trying to overhear some such revelation as this for the last few days." The girl's eyes are beaming now, tender with love and hope.

Then she breaks forth almost passionately, "You owe this to my love for you. Since you seemed reluctant to wear me as your bride, to accept my wifely devotion, my pride has suffered so much that you, Burton, cannot deny me the sight of that letter so that I may again trust the ardency of your desire to make me yours."

"By heaven, you are right," answers Edwin.

"Now the best way to do it?"

Over this they hold consultation, and the result is that next morning when they are off Porto Ferrajo, still finding the felucca in sight, they take the following action: That day, sailing well beyond the famed island of Monte Cristo, the night coming on dark and heavy, Anstruther put out every light on the vessel and turns about, and the next morning, piloted by Graham, who knows this sea, they are alone at anchor in a little cove, sheltered by the sterile rocks of Gorgona.

Here the English officer changes the appearance of the Seagull almost entirely. Paint pots are got out and she soon has a black hull; Miss Anstruther, who is now interested in the matter, painting a new name, the Wildfowl, on a piece of canvas, that is tacked over the stern. Then both topmasts of the vessel are sent down on deck and a leg-of-mutton mainsail that Graham reports in the vessel's sail locker, is bent on the main boom, the gaff being removed. In addition, the rigging is overhauled and made more slack and slouchy like that of some careless merchant trading schooner.

"Best give it to her," remarks her sailor brother, grimly.

"You advise it, then?"

"Yes, she will never rest without it now, if I know Enid of old."

Barnes silently places the accursed threat against the woman whom he dares to marry and her offspring in the hand of his betrothed.

She carries it to the binnacle light and reads it carefully twice over. Then she returns to them, her eyes brilliant with determined devotion, yet swimming with tenderest love. "You let such a chimera as this little piece of paper, the ravings of some maniac on revenge, stand between you and my love."

"No, no; this threat—you have had proof enough—is a menace all our lives. I desire to put its author where he can do no harm to you before I wed you."

"Before? After you wed me!" cries his fiancee, in exalted mood. "Let us together face and annihilate this fiend."

"But remember this is an undying feud. Think what my self-reproach would be if I let your love for me bring miserable death to you, my adored," whispers Barnes.

"My death couldn't happen, sweetheart, unless you died also, Burton," she says simply.

"I demand of this gentleman," she continued, "who says he loves me, that he weds me the moment we go on shore at Nice even if it brings me into the unhappy feud proclaimed against him. No, no; don't refuse me, Burton," she whispers, determinedly, "'tis the last chance. You wed me then or never wed me! If you cannot trust me with your woes, I'll not take part of your joys."

More enamored than ever with the charming girl who will risk death to be his bride, Barnes silently extends his arms, and she falling into them, the yacht's deck becomes a heaven to these lovers.

The next day the sun again rises bright over the Mediterranean. The felucca is never sighted. Monsieur Leboeuf serves meals fit for a fairy princess in the salon, and Enid and Barnes have such appetites the cook is delighted.

A few days later the Seagull, under the name of the Wildfowl, drops her anchor in the little bay at Villefranche, coming in, not like a sprightly yacht, but like a slow, lumbering, carelessly sailed and inadequately handled merchant craft.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Explanation Was Necessary.

As the Pratts' dog was at last detached from the trousers leg of the new milkman by Mr. Pratt's vigorous efforts, the victim of the onslaught began to express his mind with considerable freedom. "I wouldn't keep a dog like that," he said, indignantly, but Mr. Pratt broke in before he had time to say any more. "He's only playful, that's all," he insisted, and at the same time he pressed something into the new milkman's hand. The man glanced at the wad of green, and then, as he transferred it to a safe pocket, his expression changed. "I guess I can take a little fun as well as anybody," he said, dryly. "But till you explained it, I had a notion that dog was in earnest when he bit that piece out of my trousers."—Youth's Companion.

Slavs in Connecticut.

The Slavs are colonizing Connecticut valley. Old Hadley is said to be full of them, occupying the colonial residences up and down the elm-shaded streets of that beautiful New England town in tenements, four or five families in a house, and even taking in boarders. Industry is their watchword, and they are taking up the farms that the New England stock is abandoning. They bring a lower standard of living. This is to be regretted, but, it is said, that they are making the New England farms pay, and as they get rich, they spend more and live better.—Lewiston Journal.

Birds Share Nest.

A curious friendship between birds has been observed. A blackbird built her nest in a quiet covert and after laying four eggs she was joined by a thrush, who also laid four eggs in the same nest. Owing to the sheltered nature of their retreat the hospitable blackbird and her friend hatched the double brood in peace. This appears to be the earliest recorded instance of the maisonette in ornithology.—The Scotsman.

Catching Buses in Europe.

Buses and trains do not stop on signal, but only at certain street corners indicated by signs. There they will receive only as many passengers as they have vacant seats, and in the order of the numbered checks presented to the conductor. These checks passengers draw from a box in the adjacent waiting room.—Travel Magazine.

Best Money Maker.

Each Sabbath school scholar was told to take a quarter and make as much money as possible from it by making and selling articles. The one who netted the most money did so by making fancy ribbon bows.

ECHOES FROM RELIGIOUS FIELDS

MISSION WORK IN AFRICA.

Success Which Has Followed the Adoption of Scholarship Plan.

The writer has spent some 27 years on the mission field, and has either tried or seen tried many of the usual schemes for securing the attention of native African children and winning them into the Christian life. Moral suasion is good, just as far as it will go. Industrial missions are excellent, just so far as the mission has the cash to the bills. The best method, open to every mission, is to take the child out of the heathen home and plant it in a Christian home, where it soon learns to believe in the Gospel. Believing this, the child is seldom at rest till the other members of the family are also in possession of this great happiness.

African Mission Chapel.

For 15 years we tried the usual methods, and met with indifferent success. For the last ten years we have followed the scholarship plan, and have doubled our output of profitable fruitage every year during that entire period. Churches in the homeland that have accomplished so much are rare indeed. We had nine members some nine years ago and we have over 1,200 now, while there is an average of more than 50,000 outside people reached per month.

How is this all accomplished? The children do pretty much the whole of it. It is most interesting to found a station and watch results, which almost immediately appear. A teacher is found—not a learned man at all; but he is good as far as the beginning of addition, and he can read hesitatingly, in the Testament only; but he can preach like Niagara! Lots of noise, much volume, and here and there a good bit of truth. He is married. He is given money to sustain 15 little mission children as soon as he can secure them. In six months he has them. They are allowed all the little visits home they choose to make; and every time they go, they preach by their clothing, their quiet manners and their avoiding the purely heathen, all of which, though they speak not a word of their religion, teaches most powerfully. If they talk of their faith, as most do, they will the sooner bring brothers, sisters, cousins, aunts and the whole connection to the mission station. This inevitably follows in the regular course of events.—E. H. Richards, in Christian Herald.

NEW FIELD OF WORK.

Evangelists Being Sent to Great Prairie Land of Western Canada.

A recent enterprise for giving evangelists to the Great Prairie Land in Western Canada, is that of Archdeacon George Lloyd, who first entered the Saskatchewan country in 1903, at the time when emigration there from Canada began. Since that time a railway has helped to open the country, and more than thirty missions have been established. About a year ago Archdeacon Lloyd returned to England to secure a band of Prairie evangelists, and has now returned to his field with a numerous band of men to serve as catechists, each in charge of from one to two hundred square miles of territory, where they are to open centers of worship. Five ladies have also volunteered as deaconesses for work with women and children.

A Blessed Work.

About 18 months ago the missionaries of the London Missionary society commenced work among the "Kuravers," a wild people in South India, and 61 one of them have recently been baptized. Rev. William Robinson writes: "So far as I know, these Kuravers are the first of their tribe to be baptized in any mission. They have such tenacity of will that they are not at all likely to revert, whatever may happen. I have to-day seen another company of Kuravers. They ask for a teacher and a school, and their headman says they are determined to worship the God whom we present to them."

Arabs Baptized.

Rev. J. C. Young of the Scotch Presbyterian Mission in Arabia, writes from Sheikh Othman: "Last Sunday I admitted into the Christian church, through the rite of baptism, six persons, all Arabs, one of whom was Saleh Hassan, a man of education and position. Our services are better attended than they have been for years and we are much encouraged."

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Lesette Schwichtenberg went to Clayton county with her uncle last week.

The little boy of J. J. Stille was seriously ill a few days the first of the week.

A little boy made his appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stille last Friday.

Julius Ridder of Fenton, spent a few days with his brothers Aug. and Fred and their families.

Minnie Lenz, Emil and Bertha Bettin took in the Bettin-Boevers wedding at Fenton last week.

W. F. Lau has been transfered to the Swea City section of the Rock Island road for a few weeks.

Mrs Wessel and Lurena can tell you how it feels to be locked out. They had some experience in this line last week.

Ralph Blank was home a few days on furlough from his maiden trip as fireman on the Rock Island road. He has already learned that rail roading is not all what it seems.

Fred Arnold Sr. passed away Thursday morning at 7 o'clock. The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon from the German M. E. church An obituary will follow next week.

It being 25 years ago Monday Dec. 9. when Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sampson stood at the nuptial alter. They commemorate the occasion by inviting their relatives and a number of particular friends to a silver wedding dinner.

Dr. Hirsch, president of the Charles City College, will preach in the Klemme and Germantown churches Sunday. As Mr. Carnegie has pledged himself to give $25,000 to the college on condition that friends of the school raise $50,000, the Doctor is about trying to find wealthy "uncles" who will contribute toward the raising of this sum.

BADLY MIXED UP.

Abraham Brown of Winterton, N. Y. had a very remarkable experience, he says: Doctors got badly mixed up over me. one said heart disease, two called it kidney trouble, the fourth blood poison and the fifth stomach and liver trouble. but none of them helped me so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all five doctors prescribed. Guaranteed to cure blood poison weakness and all stomach liver and kidney complaints by J L Harr & Co. druggist, 50c.

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The best of all "The Diamond Concert Co will exhibit one week at Klemme commencing Monday, Dec. 16th. The best singers, greatest dancers, funniest commedians. Admission 10c to all. Don't forget the date.

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fancy bib	comic kerchief
child's rocker	stocking cap
pussy hood	booties
baby shoes	high chair
2 yds wool taffeta for a dress	2½ yds eiderdown for a coat
½ yd stork sheeting for a pair of pants.	a Go Cart

FOR LITTLE BROTHER

iron clad stockings
leggings
muffler
mittens
mouth organ
jack knife
B B belt
slate and pencil
sleeve buttons
sweater
overcoat
express wagon

FOR LITTLE SISTER

toy broom
doll furniture
ring
comic kerchief
perfume
tablet
colored pencils
a clock
a little fur and muff
checkers
candy
peanuts

FOR THE YOUNG MAN

fancy socks
garters
cuff links
arm bands
nail nippers
tooth brush
brush broom
fob
watch chain
scarf pin
pocket book
pocket comb
a fur collar
suit case
flannel shirt
fancy suspenders
book case

FOR THE YOUNG LADY

side combs
back combs
purse
hand bag
"Swastika" hat pin
reefer shawl
"bear" scarf pin
pin trays
thimble
necklace
doily
center piece
pillow top
an elegant fur
goods for a Kimono
waist pattern
heatherbloom petticoat
plush slippers
"Princess" dresser

FOR MOTHER

black dress	sewing rocker
felt slippers	tabourette
shell hair pins	fine rug
box rushing	picture frame
table linen	carpet sweeper
fancy dist	sewing machine
crumb tray	"White Swan" flour

FOR FATHER

A large rocking chair
A box of cigars
A warm overcoat
A pair of fur driving mittens

FOR GRANDFATHER

warm shoes
carpet slippers
fur-lined plush cap
pulse warmers
fur coat
an easy chair

FOR GRANDMOTHER

feit shoes
fascinator
hood
wooden knitting needls
woolen blankets
large rocker

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Two or more members of the family may club together and buy a piece of furniture for the home such as—

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A durable yet elegant "car plush" couch.
A parlor table, rockers.
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Hay	5.00 to 7.00
Hogs	3 00 to 3.80
Cattle	3.00 to 4.50

LOCAL NEWS

Do not forget the Lewis sale Dec. 19th.

Last week Friday was a regular spring day.

Aug. Lau & Son shipped on Sunday three loads of hogs.

Glasses fitted and satisfaction guaranteed at J L Harr & Co.

Mrs. C. C. Suckow and Mrs. N. L. Palmer were at Garner Tuesday.

Mrs. Chris. Hansen of Avery twp. was confined to her bed last week on account of sickness.

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve—don't forget the name and accept no sub-titute. Get DeWitt's. It's good for piles. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

H. L. Schuldt who made an extended visit at Chicago, extended visit at Chicago, returned the latter part of last week.

You know as well as any one when you need something to regulate your system. If you bowels are sluggish, your food distresses you, your kidneye pain take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It always relieves. 35c tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

The weather man was kindly disposed on the 5th, the date of the H. C. Lau sale a large number attended and the net returns were over $5,200.

Thousands of men and women in all walks of life are suffering from kidney and bladder troubles. Don't neglect your kidneys. Delays are dangerous. DeWitt's kidney and bladder pils afford quick relief for all forms of kidney and bladder trouble. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Elmer Dow leaves today for Princeton, Minn., where he will accept a position on the Electric Light Plant of that town. The Register joins with his many friends and relatives in wishing him success in his chosen field of work.—Rake Register.

When the stomach heart or kidney nerves get weak then these organs always fail. Don't drug the stomach nor stimulate the heart or kidneys. That is simply o makeshift Get a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The restorative is prepared expressly for these weak inside nerves. Strenghten these nerves build them up with Dr. Shoop's restorative—tablets or liquid—and see how quicly help will come. Free sample test sent on request by Dr Shoop, Racine, Wis Your health is surely worth this simple test. All Dealers.

Read the First National Bank change of ad.

There came a little "Luft" on Wednesday morning.

There will be a show in the M. W. A. hall all next week.

Mr. Geo. Ulrich of Germantown, is a new subscriber to the Times.

Henry Lewis and Sam Kirkwood took in the sights at Clear Lake last week.

For good full blood stock attend the Lee Lewis sale east of Klemme, Dec. 19.

We can fit that sewing machine of yours with needles and shuttles at Schuler's. tf

A little son arrived at the home of Julius Henschen and family Wednesday morning.

I am selling childrens headwear at Cost. Those pretty bear skin hoods at almost one-half price. Mrs. J. Josten.

If you want to see a large stock of foot wear call at F. Gruetzmacher's, all sizes and prices also horse blankets and fur robes. tf

Just a little Cascasweet is all that is necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peevish. Cascasweed contains uo opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommended by mothers everywhere. Conforms to the National Pure Food Law. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

NOTICE.—Cottage for sale, two blocks south-west of Court House two lots, good well and barn. We also offer our residence property for sale. Inquire at THE TIMES office or Mrs. Mann, Garner, Iowa.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's catarrh reedy. Sold by All Dealers.

The statement of the First National Bank shows over $8,000 actual cash on hand and over $25,000 in Banks, making a total of $33,000 on hand and in banks. This is over 30 per cent. reserve on their deposits of $117,500 in round numbers, being in fact double the amount legally required. This statement shows conservatism and strength in every line.

Are you having trouble with your kidneys? There are lots of people today who wonder why they have pains across the back why they are tired and lacking in energy and amoition. your kidneys are wrong. They need relief without delay. Take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills, they are for weak back inflammation of the bladder backache and weak kidneys. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

In this edition of the Times upon another page will be found the conditions of the State Savings Bank at the close of business on Dec. 3rd. 1907. This statement shows that the bank is in a good healthy condition and growing a little every day. We wish to extend congratulations to the officers in charge for trying to build up a strong and conserative institution.

Whenever you feel that your stomach has gone a little wrong or when you feel that it is not in good order as it evidenced by mean headaches nervousness bad breath and belching take something at times and especially after your meals until relief is afforded. There is nothing better offered the public today for stomach troubles dyspepsia indigestion etc. than Kodol. This is a scientific preparation of natural digestants combined with vegetable acids and it contains the same juices found in every healthy stomach. Kodol is guaranteed to give relief. It is pleasant to take, it will make you feel fine by digesting what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Fresh oysters every day in the week at Kluckhohn's.

Watches and jewelry at J. L. Harr & Co. All goods warranted. tf

All glass set free of charge if brought to the store of G. F. Schuler. tf

Miss Huldah Klotzbach of Giard, Iowa, is visiting her sister Mrs. Geo. Ulrich.

It pays to buy good stock and you can get it at your own price at the Lewis sale on Dec. 19th.

Mrs. C. H. Mann, mother of this scribe, made us and family a pleasant visit last week Friday and Saturday.

J. L. Harr & Co. have a Holiday ad, which is worth your time to read. Get a nice Xmas present for your sweet-heart.

A new lot of picture molding just received at Schuler's. Bring in those pictures you have stored away and have them framed. tf

Art Wellemeyer isn't bashful in letting you know that he has Holiday goods for you to inspect and buy. Read his large display ad.

This is the season of decay and weakened vitality, good health is hard to retain. If you'd retain yours forti fy your system with Hollister's Rocy Mountain Tea the surest way. 35 cts tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

NOTICE—Bring in your harnesses and have them oiled for half price now to avoid the rush in the spring. F. Gruetzmacher. tf

There is something about Kennedys laxative cough syrup that maes it different from others as it causes a free yet gentle action of the bowels through which the cold is forced out of the system. At the same time it heals irritation and allays inflammation of the throat and lungs. It is pleasant to take. Children like it. Contains no opiates nor narcotics. Sold by J L Larr & Co.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

John G. Tanner, Goodell
P. C. Kossen, Bergen by Alkmaar, Nederland, Europe.

To check a cold quic get from your druggist some little candy cold tablets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing Preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly effective and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sicening. Taken at the sneeze stage preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis, lagrippe, etc. Hence the name preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5 cts. Sold by All Dealers.

Our citizens were taken by surprise on Tuesday evening by hearing "sweet strains" of music by Klemme's used to be celebrated brass band. The boys being out of practice did well considering. All the merchants were serenaded and the boys were royally treated. There is good timber for a band here and a little encouragement from our business men, we would have a good bard again and liven up our town.

A tickeling cough from any cause is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's cough cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless and safe that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to young babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountain ous shrub furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's cough cure. It calms the cough and heals the sore and sensative bronchial membranes. No opium no chloroform nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract that help to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the Doctor uses "The Sacred Herb." Always demand Dr. Shoop's cough cure. All Dealers.

All kinds of fruits at Kluckhohn's.

Get the Hoffmanette cigar at Kluckhohn's.

F. J. Wenck spent over Sunday at Garner.

G. W. Kluckhohn has a large display Holiday ad.

J. L. Harr transacted business at Garner Wednesday.

Mrs. A. B. Shafer has been on the sick list the past few days.

Mrs. John Gruetzmacher visited relatives at Garner Monday

P. M. Griesemer clerks the Lewis sale Dec. 19th. Read our ad.

Remember the H. Lau & Son shooting match on Wednesday, Dec. 24th.

The Diamond Concert Co. all next week commencing Monday, Dec. 16th.

Wm. Schmidt and his son W. A. were at Garner Tuesday on business matters.

Diamond Concert Co. at M. W. A. hall all next week. Fun for both old and young.

R. R. Lemke and family are the happy parents of a new daughter on last week Thursday.

Miss Estella Merten of Garner, visited with Miss Matie Stork last week Thursday and Friday.

Saturday our farmers were well represented here and our merchants realizing a nice business.

J. W. Griggs of Avery Center, bought a single seated buggy of the Gruetzmacher Bros. last week.

Ralph and Aggie Blank, L. Pals and his sister Remka took in the sights at Garner last week Friday.

Geo. Culp arrived from Garrison. Iowa last week Saturday and is the guest of J. W. Scott and family.

Carl Bush is building a barn and a few other buildings. This will make a great improvement to his farm.

Aug. Steinaker of Lisbon, N. Dak. called on his old time Klemme friends the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Asa Gibbs and her daughter Mrs. F. A. Arnold and son Freddie were at Garner last week Saturday.

Wm. Kulper of Waterloo, is a new subscriber to this paper Mr. Kulper is a brother-in-law of the Beier brothers.

Ralph Blank left Tuesday for Estherville where he will again resume his duties as fireman on the Rock Island R'y.

Wm. Schlawin and family who have been visiting with Herman Benken and family at Stout, Iowa, returned Tuesday.

FOR SALE—Five full blood Poland China pigs which are registered.
tf H. Lau & Son.

Elmer Schmidt of German township, was fortunate enough one day last week to shoot an owl that measured 4 feet and 7 inches.

The coming attraction for next week is the Diamond Concert Co. The show contains singing, dancing and comedy. Admission 10c to all.

L. Pals and his sister Miss Remka who have been visiting with the Blank family, returned to their home at Lamoure, N. Dak. Monday.

Vick Carlson resigned his position on the G. W. Waterman dray line and expects to visit with relatives at Humboldt and other points over the holidays.

SAY!

When your harnesses, shoes, etc. needs repairing, call on me Also make a specialty of upholstering of all kinds. Located at photo gallery.

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AUG. LAU & SON.

IF

you have any old iron to sell I will be pleased to buy it. I will pay 30c per hundred in cash. Anyone having a load on hand, notify me.
My address is Goodell, Iowa.

K. Friedman.

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DES MOINES LETTER

Items of Interest From Our Correspondent at the State Capital.

Will Enforce Mulct Law.

Des Moines.—Frederick W. Zollman of St. Paul, general counsel of the Wholesale Brewer Association, visited Des Moines to find out the extent to which the agitation for law enforcement had gone in Iowa, and with William Ewald of Waterloo, who had charge of the legislative lobby for the Retail Liquor Dealers' association of Iowa last year called at the capitol to interview Mr. Byers as the law enforcing officer of the state.

Mr. Byers reiterated his position in favor of strict enforcement of the law regulative of the liquor traffic and informed the general counsel of the brewers that it was the purpose of the legal department to see that the law is enforced to the letter.

Protest was made on behalf of the liquor interests by their representatives that they intended to conform to the law. It was said that it was the intention of the retailers in Iowa to obey the law without being compelled to do so.

It is the intention of Attorney General Byers to use the power of the legal department of the administration, backed by the executive power of the governor, to see that the mulct law is obeyed to the letter in every community where it is violated.

Work toward this end has been progressing even since the statement issued by Attorney General Byers a week or ten days ago.

"Not only is this department going to use its power under the law to enforce the mulct law," said General Byers, "but it is proposed to enforce it in its entirety.

"Propositions for the partial observance of the law will not be sanctioned by this office.

"If it is within the power of human effort to close the saloons of Iowa, every saloon in Iowa, on every Sunday, it is going to be done. There will be no more open Sunday saloons in this state, if the office of the attorney general can stop it. Nor will there be saloons in Iowa with wine room appendages and other institutions in violation of the statue.

"If enforcement of the law results in a single term of office for the attorney general, that fact will not change the policy of this department."

Davenport Must Come to Time.

Davenport saloonkeepers have been given until the 14th to obey the mulct law.

A short conference was held on the 8th by Attorney General Byers and his assistants, C. W. Lyon and Walter Cosson, who returned from Davenport Saturday night after having spent Thursday, Friday and Saturday investigating conditions relative to nonenforcement of the mulct law in that city.

The policy of the state legal department having been determined, General Byers proposes to see that the mulct law is enforced to the letter. The conferences begun yesterday relate to the procedure to be followed in achieving that result.

In Davenport the situation is summed up as follows:

"Davenport saloon keepers must be obeying the mulct law by one week from today. If the are not complying with its provisions by that time, complaints will be filed and the saloons will be forced to do so. The peace officers of Scott county must see to it that the law is enforced. If they do not, they will be prosecuted. The officials whose duty it is to direct the peace officers must instruct their men to see that the law is enforced. If they do not and are derelict in their duty they may be prosecuted."

It is said there, however, that the assistants to the attorney general believe that Davenport and the county will accept the provisions of the law without being forced to do so from outside interference. They are quoted there as saying that they have been in conference with many of the leading business men in the city and all seem to look at the matter in a reasonable light and are willing to do everything in their power to see that the law is complied with.

Minimum Charge Twenty-Five Cents.

An order has been entered by the railroad commission fixing the minimum charges for shipments on two or more railroads in Iowa at 25 cents.

Under an order made at the time the vehicle of joint rates was made last August the minimum charge was fixed at 40 cents. The new rate is a concession to the shippers.

It conforms, also, to the rate fixed by the railroads for their interstate business. This new rate goes into effect Jan. 1. For many years the railroads made a minimum charge of 25 cents on each of the railroads over which the shipment traveled. The 40 cent rate covered the minimum charge on two or more roads and in itself was a very great reduction of rates on such shipments. The new order still further cuts down the charges which the roads may make on business within Iowa.

Nurses Number Hundreds.

Certificates have been issued by the state board of nurses to 566 applicants who are entitled to certificates under the law without examination. It is said that there will be a number of others. The state gets $5 from each person to whom the certificate issues. Receipts from this source so far amount to $2,830.

Over 100 Life Men.

There are 102 convicts in the penitentiaries of Iowa serving life sentences for murder.

Of the 102 about fifteen are persons who were convicted of murdering by the use of poison. Charles Thomas and Betsy Smith of Des Moines are among this number.

This fifteen have a new interest in living even beneath the shadows of the prison walls. Hope of release through legislative pardon makes existence in the Fort Madison dungeons endurable. To this hope is added another, now—eventual freedom through and by force of the moral influence of a decision of the United States supreme court on the legislature.

The attorneys for Charles Thomas expect the federal supreme court to take up their appeal for him in the March or not later than the April term. Decisions are made by that court within thirty days after submission of a case. Every convict in the Iowa prisons serving for life for murdering by poison has his eye fixed on May 1.

It was in the Polk Wells case that the Iowa supreme court upheld the doctrine that without respect to intent, he who caused death by administration of poison must be guilty of murder in the first degree or innocent. Since then about fifteen persons have been sent to prison for life on that basis. It is the contention that the jury has the right to determine the degree of murder of which an accused who administered poison is guilty.

The fifteen who are in for murdering by poison slept on their rights that they did not present the plea now made in Washington by Judge Cole and John Mulvaney for Charles Thomas. Directly the decision of the court, if for Thomas, cannot affect them, but such a decision, giving Thomas a new trial, would be a powerful influence on the legislature in pardon cases.

State Fights Filth.

Secretary Thomas of the state board of health proposes an anti-spitting crusade in Des Moines which will begin with the street cars.

He will urge the management of the company to post notices directing that the horrible habit be stopped, directing the conductors to have guilty persons arrested and noticing the fact that the penalty is $20 fine for each offense.

"If the law were enforced a few times it would be rarely that any man would be guilty of the crime," said Dr. Thomas. "These are two places in which this sort of thing ought not to be tolerated for a moment—I mean two places about which there will be instant agreement of opinion—the street cars and the theater approaches."

That the campaign alluded to by Dr. Thomas merely awaits courageous action by officers of the law and the interested people is disclosed by the adoption by the state board of health recently of a rule forbidding expectoration upon public streets, in public buildings and in public conveyances. The penalty for violating a rule of the board of health is $20 fine.

Convention Urges Tariff Revision.

The Iowa Implement Dealers' association went on record as unequivocally demanding a revision of the tariff. The resolution expressing the sentiments of the several hundred dealers present on it is as follows:

"Resolved, That the present tariff laws should be revised. Present conditions warrant such an action, as we believe that very many of our industries have fully outgrown the necessity of such protection."

It was first planned to adopt a resolution calling for the revision of the tariff by a nonpartisan commission, but when it came to drafting the resolutions, all reference as to how or why or by whom it should be done was left out.

The following officers were elected: president, W. D. Hoyt of Manchester; vice president, W. F. Fuller of Grinnell; director, J. H. Johnston of Eldora. Mr. Hoyt has been vice president and succeeds J. J. Gaston of Winterset as president. Mr. Fuller succeeds D. A. Fesler of Riverside as director.

Court Personnel Displeases Kulp.

Captain Kulp of Davenport, it is understood in military circles, expects to protest against the personnel of the court convened by the governor and adjutant general to try him for disobedience of orders in not stopping the prize fight at Davenport.

KING OSCAR IS DEAD

AGED AND BELOVED MONARCH DIES AT 9:10 SUNDAY MORNING

RULER EXPIRES IN PEACE

New King Issues Proclamation and Refuses To Permit His Father's Cabinet to Resign.

Stockholm, Dec. 9.—Oscar II, king of Sweden died at 9:10 o'clock yesterday morning. The death of the venerable monarch occurred in the royal apartments of the palace, where surrounded by members of his family, including the aged Queen Sohpia and the crown prince, Oscar Gustav and high ministers of state, the inevitable end had been awaited, while outside the palace great crowds stood with bowed heads and tearful eyes long after the announcement came of the death of their well beloved sovereign.

The whole country is bowed with grief for King Oscar was something more than a ruler of his people and had endeared himself to them as an intimate and personal friend. When the flag on the palace was dipped to half mast there was a moan of angrief, for King Oscar was something and many of them cried "our dear old king is dead".

The following official bulletin was posted after the king's death: "The strength of the king continued to decrease throughout the night and the state of unconsciousness became more marked. His majesty passed quietly away at 9:10 a. m."

In a room near the death chamber, the first marshal of the court read to the cabinet a draft of the new king's proclamation to the Swedish people. In an ante-chamber high officials and officers discussed the probable policy of the new king. One by one the ships in the harbor and the buildings throughout the city displayed the flag at half mast and the people soon crowded the streets and open places near the palace, but all spoke in whispers, bearing witness to the kindliness of him who had departed and to the love they bore for him.

The succession to the throne of Sweden now passes to Ocar Gustav Adolphe, duke of Vermland, the oldest son of the late king. At a meeting of the council of state this afternoon the new king took the oath of allegiance under the title of Gustav V, and adopted the motto, "With the people for the fatherland". The princes then took the oath of allegiance and the new monarch accepted the homage of the state officials.

NEW FIRE ROUTS RESCUERS.

But Fifty-Three Bodies of Coal Miners Recovered.

Monongah, W. Va., Dec. 9.—But fifty-three bodies had been recovered from mines Nos. 6 and 8 of the Fairmont Coal company when darkness closed over the little town of Monongah last night.

Fifty hours had elapsed since the awful explosion and a majority of the bodies brought to the surface were in a terrible condition, necessitating almost immediate burial. It is now believed that the number of dead will not be over 400.

Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon fire broke out in mine No. 8, and the rescuers were driven to the surface. Efforts were then directed toward extinguishing the fire and it is thought it will be subdued within a few hours, when the work of rescue will again be taken up.

Members of the rescuing party say that over 100 bodies have been located in both mines and that they will be brought to the surface as soon as the fire has been extinguished. It is not believed the fire will reach any of these bodies.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

National Meeting to Be Held at Chicago June 16.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 8.—Chicago was yesterday selected as the place and June 16, 1908, the time for the meeting of the next republican national convention. This decision by the republican national committee followed a long and hard fought contest between the advocates of Chicago and those of Kansas City, Denver, Colo., coming in at the end with a formidable but not important effort to secure the convention.

The vote stood 31 for Chicago, 18 for Kansas City and 4 for Denver, after which the Chicago choice was declared to be by acclamation.

The result of the meeting of the national committee here and the selection of Chicago as the place for the holding of the convention, instead of Kansas City, is widely accepted here as a victory for the anti-Taft forces.

Sunday Theaters Hard Hit.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec 8.—The county grand jury yesterday afternoon returned indictments against 201 theatrical managers and and players now at the local theaters for violation of the law against working on Sunday. The sheriff began serving warrants at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon, just as the matinees were ending. Those arrested were taken before Judge William Wallace in the criminal court and compelled to give bond for appearance later. All the theaters, with the exception of the Willis, which was closed Sunday, are affected.

NOTED ACTRESS A SUICIDE

MRS. CLARA BLOODGOOD KILLS HERSELF IN BALTIMORE.

Only Known Reason for Action Is That She Feared Attack of Nervous Prostration.

Baltimore, Md.—Mrs. Clara Bloodgood, the actress, committed suicide by shooting in her room at the Hotel Stafford here Thursday evening.

Mrs. Bloodgood's body was found lying on the bed with a bullet hole through the roof of her mouth. Nearby lay a book entitled "How to Shoot Straight," and a 38-caliber revolver with three chambers empty. She attended a matinee performance at Albaugh's theater in the afternoon and returned to her hotel about four o'clock, seemingly in the best of spirits.

Later when it was time for the curtain to rise for her own show at the Academy of Music, where she was appearing in "The Truth," she had not put in an appearance. Word was sent to the Stafford and a bellboy was sent up to her room. Just as he approached the door he heard a pistol shoot. Hurrying back to the office he notified the clerks and an investigation was made and Mrs. Bloodgood was found dead on her bed.

Before retiring to her room she had a talk with her stage manager, John Emerson, who declared that he observed nothing unusual in her demeanor. The only motive he can ascribe is that Mrs. Bloodgood feared an attack of nervous prostration. She had been working very hard, he said and she feared a breakdown. Mrs Bloodgood left a note addressed to her husband, who was said to be on his way to this city.

The audience at the Academy of Music was dismissed with the announcement that there would be no performance owing to a sudden indisposition of Mrs. Bloodgood.

KANSAS CITY BANK CLOSES.

Second Financial Institution in That City Is in Distress.

Kansas City, Mo.—The National Bank of Commerce, the second financial institution in importance in Kansas City, announced its suspension Thursday morning, after a steady run of six weeks, during which the bank had paid off $10,000,000 of its deposits, reduced its loans $3,500,000, cut down its cash resources $11,750,000 and sold $2,000,000 of high-grade bonds in an effort to meet demands upon it.

The comptroller of the currency appointed James T. Bradley, national bank examiner, as temporary receiver of the bank, and he at once took charge. He has issued no statement as to the bank's condition, nor have the officers of the bank. The directors of the bank made a statement to the public saying that the bank could not stand "slanderous statements made against it," and saying they do not believe it possible for a depositor to lose a dollar.

BEAR DINNER AT WHITE HOUSE.

President Entertains Louisiana Hunters and Other Guests.

Washington.—President Roosevelt entertained at dinner Friday night a number of bear hunters from the Louisiana cane brakes. The guests included Clive and Harley Metcalf, of Greenville, Miss., famous bear hunters; John and "Tom" Osborn, John M. Parker, Maj. Amacker, Mr. Vasey, Surgeon General Rixey, Postmaster General Meyer, Assistant Secretary Bacon, Secretary Loeb, Gifford Pinchot, Representative Ransdell of Louisiana, J. M. Dickerson, Col. Cecil Lyon and Capt. Fitzhugh Lee. Bear meat was served.

MAJ. W. L. GEARY IS DEAD.

Was the First American Child Born in San Francisco.

San Francisco.—Maj. William L. Geary, U. S. A., died early Friday in the army general hospital at the Presidio, where he has been ill with Bright's disease. Maj. Geary was the first American child born in San Francisco, his father having been the last alcalde and the first mayor of San Francisco. He entered the army during the civil war when 13 years of age as drummer boy in a Pennsylvania infantry regiment, was breveted captain at the close of the war and then was graduated from West Point.

Oklahoma Bank Robbed.

Carney, Okla.—Five men, at an early hour Thursday morning, succeeded, after firing nitroglycerin shots, in breaking into the coin safe of the Carney bank and securing $1,000.

While two men time after time charged the safe cracks with nitroglycerin, and explosion after explosion shattered and broke up bank furniture, the other robbers stood guard on the outside of the building and kept up a steady rifle fire in every direction, shooting at any citizen of the town who made an appearance.

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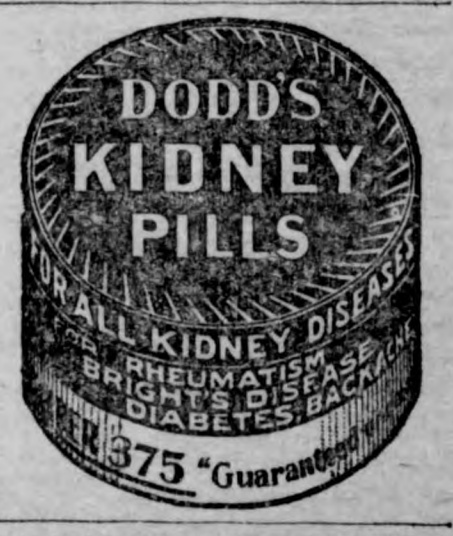

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Fairmont, W. Va., Dec. 7.—It is now admitted that not less than 400 miners were killed by the explosion. Of these victims six dead bodies had been taken from mine No. 6 at midnight and sixty-five others were piled up in the entry waiting completion of facilities for bringing them to the surface.

From mine No. 8 at the same hour fourteen bodies had been removed and a number of others are ready to be brought out as soon as arrangements can be completed.

Monogah, W. Va., Dec. 7.—Three charred and blackened bodies lying in the improvised morgue prepared near the entrance to the mine, four men hovering between life and death from the awful bruises sustained and the deadly gases inhaled in a temporary hospital into which one of the company buildings has been transformed and 315 men imprisoned by tons of coal, rock and mine debris in the depths of hills surrounding this mining town, with the chances all against a single one of them being alive is the most accurate summary obtainable yesterday of the results of the mine explosion yesterday, which in all probabilities was attended by greater loss of life than any former disaster in the history of the bituminous coal mining industry of America.

The explosion occurred shortly after 10 o'clock yesterday morning after the full force of 400 men had gone to work in the two mines affected. Those mines are Nos. 6 and 8 of the Consolidation Coal Company, located on opposite sides of the West Fork river at this place, but merged in their underground workings by a heading and on the surface by a great steel tipple and bridge.

The four living men are unable to give any detailed report of the disaster, or to even explain how they reached the surface. The state that immediately back of them when they began their frantic struggle for liberty that was a large number of men engaged in a similar struggle, while still further back in the workings there was a larger number of whom they knew nothing.

It is the opinion of the mine officials and others familiar with mining that these men had not penetrated the mine as far as had the majority of the day shift when the explosion occurred, and that they headed for and reached the main entrance before the heavy cavein that now blockades the entrance more than a hundred feet beyond the main opening of mine No. 6.

Mining experts, a large corps of physicians and other familiar with mining, hold out practically no hope to waiting friends that any of the men now imprisoned in the mine will escape. The mine caught fire after the explosion, further handicapping the rescuers and furnishing a new menace to the lives of the entombed men, should any of them have escaped the explosion.

This accident is said to be the first wherein a loss of life occurred by explosion in the history of the region, comprising some sixty men, owned and operated by the Consolidation Coal company. In an explosion at the Barry burg mine forty miles south, operated by a tributary company, nineteen men lost their lives two years ago.

PRESIDENT OUT OF IT.

Tells Pennsylvania Banker He Wants No Third Term.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—Strong reinforcement was given yesterday to the idea that President Roosevelt has determined not to accept a third term, when Samuel Watts, a Pennylvania banker, on urging the president to consent to renomination, received this answer from Mr. Roosevelt:

"That cannot be. I cannot serve beyond my present term. I am grateful to the American people for their kindly feeling toward me, but somebody else must carry on the work."

That the president had given utterance to this expression was not denied by Secretary Loeb when he was informed it was to be published.

It comes on the heels of a number of incidents in recent days that seem to make it practically certain the president has made up his mind to keep out of renomination if he can possibly control the situation. Further than this, the president has apparently determined to give Secretary Taft a further trial. He will go to al' reasonable lengths to get Taft nominated, so his close friends say. At the same time he will not interfere with Cortelyou. He has, however, let it be understood that federal office holders must not work for Cortelyou to the injury and harm of Taft by misrepresenting his own attitude and by statements to the effect that the president is for Cortelyou as much as for Taft. This is not the case, as Taft is his first choice.

He wants no underhand advantage of Taft taken by Cortelyou boomers. Taft managers feel bitter on this subject, and it looks as if there might be a break in the cabinet over it between Taft and Cortelyou, or at least an unpleasant coldness.

CONTAGION A QUESTION OF PREVENTION

Sinks, drains, eating and cooking utensils, sick room linen and clothing frequently carry the dreaded disease-germ unnoticed by the household.

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Mean Revenge.

A man had been very badly treated by the proprietors of a boarding house, and when in temporary financial difficulties had been forced to leave. Some time later, smiled upon by fickle fortune, he achieved success and prosperity as a popular dentist, and soon found means to revenge his former landlady's slight. The method he adopted was simple but extremely effective, quite ruining the business of his enemy. Directly opposite the boarding house he opened his new dental establishment, and upon the largest window in bold letters appeared the following notice: "Steel-pointed boarding house teeth a specialty!"

Not for Vacation Use.

It seemed to Bobby that there was no end to the advice and instructions his mother gave him when he was starting off with his father for a week's trip.

"Now I want you to be sure you have everything you need," she said, opening his bag in spite of his assurances that it held all a boy could possibly require. "Why, Bobbie, where is your hairbrush? You were forgetting it!"

"No, mother, I wasn't forgetting it," said Bobby, looking desperate. "I thought you said I was going on a vacation."

Corpse in No Hurry.

Respect is due to the man on his last journey to the cemetery, and the New York cabman who was making for the Central station showed the proper feeling in driving for some distance along the procession without trying to cross it. But at last he could contain himself no longer. Turning his horse across the hearse, he said, in a cabman's whisper: "Look 'ere, my fare's in a 'urry, an' yours ain't!"

And They Didn't Elope.

Gerald—Will you fly with me?

Geraldine—No; it isn't fly time yet.

BOTH GAINED

Man and Wife Fatten on Grape-Nuts.

The notion that meat is necessary for real strength and the foundation of solid flesh is no longer as prevalent as formerly.

Excessive meat eaters are usually sluggish a part of the time because they are not able to fully digest their food, and the undigested portion is changed into what is practically a kind of poison that acts upon the blood and nerves, thus getting all through the system.

"I was a heavy meat eater," writes an Ills. man, "and up to two years ago, was in very poor health. I suffered with indigestion so that I only weighed 95 pounds.

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"Now she is fat and well and has gained 40 pounds. We never have indigestion any more and seldom feel the desire for meat. A neighbor of ours, 68 years old, was troubled with indigestion for years; was a heavy meat eater, and now since he has been eating Grape-Nuts regularly, he says he is well and never has indigestion. I could name a lot of persons who have really been cured of indigestion by changing from a heavy meat diet to Grape-Nuts." "There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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HAD NO DOUBT OF HIS FATE.

Mr. Jerome Evidently Was Aware of His Wife's Culinary Ability.

Some weeks ago the wife of Judge Blank, of Pacific avenue, lost her cook, and since she had no other resource she rolled up her sleeves and for a week provided such meals as the judge had not enjoyed since those happy days when the Blanks did not keep a cook. The judge's delight was so great that by way of appreciative acknowledgment he presented Mrs. Blank with a beautiful ermine cloak. Quite naturally, the incident was a good deal noised about among the social acquaintances of the Blanks and a spirit of envious emulation was developed in certain quarters. It was in this mood that Mrs. Jerome recited the story to her husband. "What do I get, Jerry?" she asked, "if I will do the cooking for a week?" "Well," said Mr. Jerome, "at the end of a week, my dear, you'll get one of those long crepe veils."—San Francisco Argonaut.

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SOMETHING OF A CYNIC.

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Miss Marie Cahill, the actress, chose the chorus girls for her new play, "Marrying Mary," by measurement. The Bertillon system was employed.

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"'Father,' he said, 'what is a mirage?'

"The father answered glibly from behind his paper:

"'The union of a man and woman till death or the law them do part.'

"'But,' said the boy, 'that's marriage, ain't it?'

"'Same thing, sonny; it's the same thing,' replied the father. 'A man imagines he sees wonders and delights where there is nothing. Fight shy of 'em both, my boy.'"

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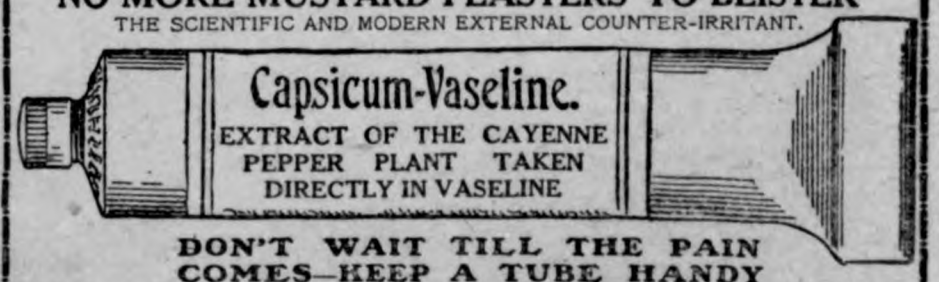

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OBITUARY.

Mrs A. M. Deyoe died Sunday, Dec, 8 at 12 M. aged 40 years 1 month and 17 days. Funeral service was held at the Congregational church Tuesday at 10:30 a. m. and interment was made in Concord cemetery. Rev. Henry preached the funeral sermon. Miriam Laura Bush was born in Galva, Henry County, Ill. Oct. 21, 1867. She was united in marriage to A. M Deyoe July 31, 1890. She joined the Cong. church at Grinnell and afterwards united with the M. E. church at Garner. Later she transferred by letter to the Cong. church at Garner of which she was an industrious worker in the Sunday school. She leaves a husband and two little ones Alan and Dorothy, father, mother and two brothers George and Fred to mourn her. We are in heart-felt sympathy with the bereaved husband, children and relatives.

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

School Notes.

Elmer Fuller started to school on Monday.

Oscar Schuldt has been absent for two weeks.

Lloyd Mann was absent from school on Monday.

The second grade are finishing the second reader.

On Tuesday there were three cases of tardiness in the primary room.

The pupils of all the rooms are reviewing for half year examinations.

The pupils of the primary room are making Christmas presents.

On Monday the sad intelligence was received that Mrs. Deyoe wife of Supt. Deyoe passed away.

Webner Haskin, Lillie Blumer, Herold Gruetzmacher, Holly Lewis, Gertrude Weiland were absent on Monday.

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Ell Center.

Harry Nesbit and wife were at Garner last Thursday.

Fred Henschen has been finishing moving to Klemme.

Mrs. T. Nelson visited with Klemme relatives one day last week,

Cloyd Lawhorn visited with Miller relatives the last of last week.

Mrs. Chas Lawhorn spent Saturday and Sunday with Klemme friends.

Mrs. Dan Webner, Sr. spent Friday with her daughter Mrs. T. Nelson, Jr.

Webner Haskin of Klemme has been spending several days with Georgie Lawhorn.

Pay Up.

To all those owing me on account I request them to pay me on or before Dec. 14, either by cash or bankable note.

2 F. H. Ridder.

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RESOURCES

Loans and discounts		$103,224 82
Overdrafts secured and unsecured		2,449 89
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		25,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		1,032 75
Banking house furniture and fixtures		2,050 87
Other real estate owned		
Due from National banks		8,395 08
Due from approved reserve agents		17,242 04
Checks and other cash items		1,274 83
Notes of other National banks		250 00
Fractional paper currency nickels and cents		100 80
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Specie	$ 5,715 15	
Legal tender notes	2,030 00	7,745 15
Redempion fund with U. S. treasurer.		1,250 00
Total		170,016 23

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25,000 00
Surplus fund	601 15
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	1,851 22
National bank notes outstanding	25,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	26,346 56
Demand certificates of deposit	900 00
Time certificates of deposit	90,317 30
Total	170,016 23

STATE OF IOWA, Hancock County, } ss

I, F. A. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemny swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. A. ARNOLD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Dec., 1907.

FRANK M. HANSON, Notary Public.

[SEAL]

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Avery Center.

Fred Chase and family visited at Lionel Fuller Sunday.

Chas, Winter's little girl was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. Chris. Hanson has been on the sick list last week.

Quite number in Avery Center attended the funeral of F. Costello Thursday.

F. Grosz of Meservey visited with P. Behringer and family Sunday and Monday.

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East Ell Township.

F. Coryer went th Clear Lake Saturday.

Mrs. Izermann visited at her parental home Friday.

Fred Izermann transacted business at Clear Lake Friday.

Miss Meyer spent Tuesday night with J. Newberger's.

Lydia Bock spent Sunday afternoon with Mary Thiemann.

Laura Meyer and Bessie Hoselton visited at T. Hamilton on Sunday.

PERE'S GOOD ADVISE.

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The Klemme Times.

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BETTIN-BOEVERS.

One of the prettiest home weddings occurred Wednesday evening Dec. 4 at seven o'clock in the presence of the contracting parties at the home of H. E. Boevers. At the proper time Miss Julia Klaus of Burt played Mendelsshon's wedding march to the strains of which the happy young couple appeared and stepped forward under an artistically arranged arch from which a wedding bell was suspended, where they stood while Rev. Klaus pronounced the solemn words which made Arthur Bettin and Henrietta Boevers husband and wife. The decorations were evergreen, carnations and ferns. The bride wore a white silk dress tastily made and carried a bouquet of carnations and ferns. The groom wore the conventional black wearing a small boquet of carnations and ferns Chasrles Vietmeyer of Rockford, Iowa, and Mae Boevers acted as groomsman and bridesmaid. After the ceremony all responded to an invitation to the dining room where a sumptuous repast was spread. They were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents.

The groom came here from Klemme Iowa, about three years ago and engaged in the telephone business in which calling he has been very successful. He is a young man of correct habits and genial disposition and will undoubtedly make a model husband. The bride is the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Boevers and grew to womanhood in this vicinity and has the qualifications of an exemplary wife and life companion.

From a distance were present Mrs Amelia Bettin of Chas. City, mother of the groom, Wm. and Chas. Vietmeyer of Rockford, Bertha and E. H. Bettin, sister and brother of the groom, and Minnie Lenz of Klemme, and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Boevers and family of Algona.

Mr. and Mrs. Bettin will go to housekeeping over the store building where the telephone office is located which building the groom recently purchased and remodeled the upper rooms for a residence where they will be at home to their friends after January 1st.

May they enjoy a long, happy and prosperous life.—Fenton Reporter.

The Child's Viewpoint.

Percy Alder, M. P., of London, told an amusing story of a small girl at a recent meeting of the Children's Happy Evenings association. The child had been sent away to the country for a holiday, and questioned as to what in all her holiday had pleased her most, this little slum maiden, whose London home adjoined a waste piece of land, replied: "Seeing no dead cats."

Birds Not Afraid of Man.

Among southern African birds which manifest wonderful tameness is the Cape wagtail, which not only penetrates to the living room in search of flies, but will pick them from the old Boer's velschoons as he sits on his stoep, and perch about his chair.

How He Hunted Bear.

A New York Irishman was visiting a friend in the Adirondacks and was taken with a desire to go hunting. Borrowing a gun from his friend he set off alone in search of game. Some time after his host heard a distant report of a gun. A few minutes later he heard some one shouting. From a window he spied, in the distance, his friend, hot-footing it for home, and behind him a bear, gaining at every step. Nearly spent, the pursued reached the door just in time to cry out:

"Quick, Mike! Quick! Open the door! I'm bringing him home aloive!"

New Decorative Idea.

The hostes who wishes something different is asked to try using striped and fancy grasses, rushes and little wild foliage plants that grow in damp places and along streams. A table can be made very pretty with these, using no flowers. Try it.

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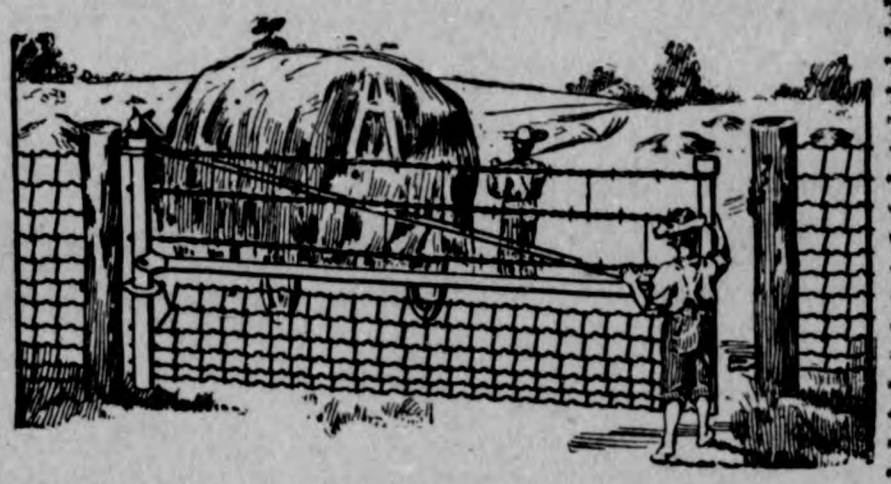

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The Klemme Times

C. H. Mann & Co., Pubs.
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Klemme, - - Iowa

Tne army needs more dentists. Even a soldier's teeth have to be drilled.

West Point is shy 73 cadets, but the country is yet to behold a West Pointer shy.

People who want to get fat cannot afford to pay what the butcher charges for it.

More than 200,000,000 corsets are turned out every year in this country. Surely enough to go around.

A shelter home for cats may be all right, but supposing the cats prefer the comforts of the back fence.

A Jersey miser was found to be an illicit distiller of applejack. He was consistently determined to be tight.

The woman who rushed into the burning building to rescue her false teeth also escaped by the skin of them.

The manner of the man will prove his meanness or nobility, poverty and riches making little difference to the soul.

It will take more gold than that turned out by the Philadelphia mint to develop anything like a yellow streak.

The optimist has a great advantage over the pessimist by looking on the bright side of life even when it seems the darkest.

Naturally the Utes feel aggrieved at the president for being so specific in his manifesto against those too lazy to work.

An Oklahoma newspaper runs a matrimonial department. Some editors are absolutely without dread of the enemies they make.

Washington sends out statistics to show that America is second in naval strength. It might have added that Japan is a long way from being first.

In addition to the weight of his 66 years King Edward is burdened now with the responsibility of having to own and look after a $750,000 diamond.

A man who paid $95,000 for a seat on the New York stock exchange not long ago has just sold it for $42,000. He was lucky not to have bought it on a margin.

A woman in doing housework is said to cover seven miles a day, a fact which may be of service to her if she is trying to get her husband to buy an automobile.

Now it is decided that the Panama canal is to be 110 feet wide. From the way vessels are increasing in size and speed, it might be a good idea to make the thing square.

A tract entitled "Good Newes from New England" sold for $1,250 in London, which shows that some one in the world can be intersted both in religion and in Massachusetts.

The way Glidden is going in for ballooning arouses the suspicion that he has wearied of appearing in court every time some one is run over by one of his automobile racers.

Prof. Percival Lowell says he has conclusive evidence that Mars is inhabited, but he does not go so far as to furnish any data concerning the present price of turkeys on the planet.

Notwithstanding the common check restrictions, the cashier of an Oklahoma bank drew $50,000 just before departing for parts unknown. Just think what a good thing a $10 limit would have been!

Lord Avebury says that the financial trouble in the United States is due to the nation's great prosperity. Gentlemen who have been too prosperous should hasten to plead guilty and throw themselves on the mercy of the court.

A New York man has just coughed up a nail which has been in his lungs for 18 months. Incidentally, he coughed up in the interval much more than a nail for bronchitis bills, as that is how the doctors diagnosed his trouble. Now he is taking iron in his system in the regular way.

A controversy is now on as to whether Americans appreciate real musical art. They appreciate it quite as much as the musical artists appreciate American dollars, for they all come over here when they feel the necessity of placing high art on a substantial basis.

In England the greatest possible phenomenon has happened. In the case of the threatened railway strike a precedent has been established by which both sides are satisfied. To establish a precedent is a wrench to the British mind in itself, but to satisfy everybody in doing so is so unprecedented as to redouble the shock.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

DRY SUNDAY AT DAVENPORT.

Has the First Dry Sunday in Its History.

Davenport.—In compliance with the orders of Attorney General Byers, contained in a letter to County Attorney Hamann, every saloon in Davenport remained closed all day Sunday, making it the first dry Sunday Davenport has experienced.

Saloon keepers held a largely attended meeting in the morning, at which County Attorney Hamann read Attorney General Byers' letter demanding immediate enforcement of the mulct law in Scott county, Hamann advised all saloon keepers to comply with the terms of the letter at once, and this the saloon keepers unanimously agreed to do. Not a saloon in the city opened in the afternoon at the usual hour of 2 o'clock, and it can be said with emphasis, "The lid is on in Davenport".

By reason of the new conditions of affairs, the customary Sunday afternoon concert at the coliseum was called off, and it is being freely predicted that the mulct law in Davenport will seriously interfere with numerous other amusement enterprises.

The sight of Turner hall and other large meeting places where pleasure seekers are accustomed to gather being locked all day occasioned much comment.

Hundreds of Davenporters crossed the river to Rock Island, where they escaped what they term the "blue laws" of Iowa, and spent the day. In this way hundreds of dollars of Davenport money was left in Illinois as a result of the first dry Sunday here, and this fact is already occasioning a wail of protest among many local merchants.

But whether for good or worse, the mulct law at last has reached Davenport, and according to the agreement of the saloon keepers it will be obeyed without any further trouble.

LOSES HIS SUMMER WAGES.

Webster City.—Charles Schroeder, a young man residing at Nora, Ill., is in the city "broke". While returning from North Dakota, where he has spent the summer in the harvest fields, he was robbed of his earnings and was unable to get father than Webster City. When he left North Dakota he purchased a ticket to a northern Iowa point, expecting to buy another ticket there under the Iowa and Illinois 2-cent fare law. He carried $312 in his pocket, all he had in the world. He boarded the train a stranger came into the car and sat at night and as he slept in the seat down beside him. In the morning both stranger and money were gone. The conductor, sympathizing with the man, took him to Fort Dodge. There he purchased a ticket for Webster City with a little change given him, expecting to find friends here. The latter had moved, however, and Schroeder was obliged to wire home for money to leave the city with.

Humeston Jury is Starved.

Humeston.—High indignation prevails among the six jurymen who have been hearing the case of F. T. McKibben vs. Jerry Cornell, because of the fact that for fourteen hours they were locked in a single room and not provided with food or drink. They were even barred from leaving the room on any pretext, so they say, and suffered tortures from thurst and hunger while trying to reach a decision in the case. Appeals were in vain, the officers refusing to bring them refreshments of any kind. The jury failed to reach a decision in the case.

Fifty Poisoned by Chicken.

Davenport.—In the neighborhood of fifty people, who attended a Lutheran church supper, are suffering from ptomaine poisoning, received from eating chicken which is supposed to have been poisoned in cold storage. The poison took effect on the patients five hours after eating, and between the hours of 2 and 6 a. m. nearly every physician in Davenport was summoned to attend the patients. The younger patients have most all recovered, but many of the older people are still in a dangerous condition. So far no deaths have occured.

"Lid" To Be On At Clarion.

Clarion.—The "lid" fashion has struck Clarion and a decree issued by Mayor Mickelson puts a crimp in the sporting proclivities of some of his constituency. The decree puts a ban on slot machines and dice throwing, which have enjoyed full freedom for some time. Billiard hall proprietors are also warned not to allow minors in their resorts.

Murders Wife, Then Kills Himself.

Keokuk.—J. W. Craig, after following his wife from South Dakota in an endeavor to induce her to return to him, shot her through the head, death being instantaneous. He then made a wild rush for a bluff 200 feet distant, but upon being intercepted by two city officials, fired a shot into his head, inflicting fatal injuries.

FOR LOVE OF NEIGHBOR WIFE.

Jefferson Farmer Shoots Himself And Dies At Her Feet.

Jefferson.—For love of his neighbor's wife, who had first accepted his advances, but who at the crucial moment decided she loved her home and her babies more, D. H. Breese, a wea thy farmer, 34 years of age, sent a bullet crashing through his brain. He fell at the feet of the woman he loved in her own home and her husband ,W. W. Fitch, a railroad contractor, witnessed the tragic affair.

Six months ago, Fitch went away from home, called by his business. During his absence, Breese paid court to Mrs. Fitch. She is a handsome woman, 40 years of age, and the mother of two children. He was spurned at first, but he persevered. He won. Weeks ago she pledged him that she would seek a divorce and marry him.

All this was while the husband was busy in the west with his men and his teams working on a railroad contract. A few days ago he returned. He was not long in ignorance of the true condition of affairs. Then, instead of getting mad and going after the wrecker of his home with a gun, he adopted new tactics. He proceeded to win back his wife. He succeeded. She decided that she still loved her home and her babies.

Breese, too, persisted in his suit. Finally the wife called him and with her husband the whole matter was gone over. Breese pleaded with Mrs. Fitch to keep her pledge, sue for divorce and marry him. The wife remained obdurate to his pleadings. Finally as the husband strode away, Breese called to him and entreated him to give up his wife. Fitch declared that he was done with the affair and would have nothing more to do with it. Breese made one last futile appeal to the woman, whipped out a gun and placing it to his temple, sent a bullett crashing through his brain.

Breese was wealthy. He owned considerable property in the vicinity of Jefferson and Glidden. Three weeks ago, while he held the assurance of Mrs. Fitch that she would sue for a divorce and wed him, he deeded to her a farm of 40 acres near Jefferson. On the body after his death was found a note unsigned. It declared that if he could not have the woman he loved he did not care to live.

BLUFFS BOY DIES OF PRANK.

Companions Who Perpetrated Outrage Are In Jail.

Council Bluffs.—Samuel Moffil, the young man who was terribly injured internally at the Union Pacific roundhouse as the result of two of his companions, W. E. Deshler and Edward Roberts, turning the compressed air machine upon him, died at the Edmundson Memorial hospital, after two days of suffering.

A post-mortem examination revealed a bad rupture of the large intestine. It also revealed other internal conditions which the surgeons declared would have soon resulted in the young man's death.

Deshler and Roberts are still in the city jail and no bond has been fixed for their release. No action of this kind is expected until after the coroner's inquest.

Deshler is a graduate of Ames Agricultural college and was a noted football player of that institution. He is studying mechanical engineering and lives with his mother at 711 West Washington avenue. Roberts was employed as a boiler washer at the roundhouse and lives on Nineteenth avenue. He is a single man.

CHAPLAIN COLE ACQUITTED.

Church Committee Returns Unanimous Verdict.

Marshalltown.—The Northwestern Iowa conference committee at Hubbard, in the case brought against Chaplain Jesse Cole of the Iowa Soldier's home, charged by W. F. Jordan, a discharged member of the home, with grave immoralities, returned a verdict of complete unanimous acquittal on every charge. It required the entire night to take the evidence and, while the documentory evidence of the prosecution did not conform to the rules of the church discipline, every thing was waived excepting hearsay evidence, in order that the charges might be probed to the bottom.

FERREN GIVEN FIVE YEARS.

Clearfield Banker Pleaded Guilty to Charge Against Him.

Bedford.—W. A. Ferren, wrecker of the defunct Farmers' State bank of Clearfield, entered a plea of guilty on one of the many indictments against him and was sentenced by Judge Towner to five years' imprisonment at hard labor at the penitentiary at Fort Madison.

Fingers Into the Sausage.

Cascade.—Lou Russell, an employe of a local butcher firm, had the fingers of one hand cut off while working a sausage machine.

HE WHO LAUGHS LAST.

OPERATION IS A SUCCESS

MRS. LONGWORTH'S CONDITION QUITE SATISFACTORY.

President's Daughter Has Vermiform Appendix Removed and Is on Way to Recovery.

Washington. — Mrs. Alice Longworth, wife of Representative Nicholas Longworth, and daughter of President Roosevelt, was operated upon for appendicitis Thursday. The operation, which was performed at the White House by Dr. Finney of Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, assisted by Dr. Sophie Nordhoff-Jung and Surgeon General Rixey of the navy, was declared by Dr. Rixey to have been successful in every particular and to have left the patient in excellent condition.

The following bulletin was issued at the White House at nine o'clock Thursday night:

"Mrs. Longworth has had a comparatively comfortable day. Her general condition is satisfactory. No more bulletins will be issued during the night."

Mrs. Alice Longworth.

At the conclusion of the operation Mrs. Longworth emerged from the influence of the anaesthetic in a very short time and after exchanging a few words with Mrs. Cowles, her aunt, and with her husband, she fell asleep naturally and enjoyed a nap lasting two hours. Her condition was such that President Roosevelt felt little apprehension and in fact did not hesitate to engage in his afternoon tennis game with Ambassador Jusserand, Gifford Pinchot and Assistant Attorney General Cooley.

The preparations had been making for the operation for nearly a month, it being known during that time that Mrs. Longworth was suffering from incipient inflammation of the vermiform appendix. About a week ago preparations were begun for the operation which it was deemed expedient to undertake before she had suffered a loss of strength that would be sure to ensue from a severe attack of appendicitis.

Washington.—The following bulletin was issued at the White House Friday night at 9:30 o'clock: "Mrs. Longworth had a very good day. She is progressing rapidly and her condition is entirely satisfactory."

Peculiar Suicide in Paris.

Paris.—An old man was run down and killed Friday afternoon on the Champs Elysee by an automobile owned by James Watson, of Calumet, Mich. Neither Mr. Watson, who was in the car, nor his French chauffeur, who was driving it, was detained, as the policeman in charge of the regulation of traffic at the spot where the man was killed, declared it was a case of suicide.

New York Banks Swindled.

Augusta, Ga.—It was learned here Friday that parties in New York have swindled banks in that city out of a large sum of money on fictitious cotton warehouse receipts purporting to be from Augusta.

KIDNAPED CHILD FOUND.

Lillian Wulff of Chicago Located at Momence, Ill.

Momence, Ill. — Little Lillian Wulff, who was kidnaped in Chicago Saturday while playing near her home, was found Friday five miles south of Momence. The man and woman who were her captors were arrested. They gave their names as Mr. and Mrs. William Jones, and said they were on their way from Pennsylvania to Missouri, where they intended settling. They refused to discuss the kidnaping. Jones is about 30 years of age and the woman about 25. The child declared they picked her up on the streets of Chicago, put her in a wagon and drove away.

The arrest of the couple was brought about through the fact that a farmer's wife, living south of Momence, notified Deputy Sheriff Reilly that she had seen a man and woman with a little girl drive past her house in a wagon. Deputy Sheriff Reilly followed them and placed them under arrest.

The child acknowledged that her name was Wulff, but said she had been traveling under the name of Jones. According to her story she escaped once while on the road between Kankakee and Chicago, but was recaptured. The child has seemingly been neglected since she was stolen away a week ago, her appearance indicating that in all that time she has gone without bathing.

THREE HUNDRED BODIES OUT.

Victims of Fairmont Disaster Reach High Total.

Monongah, W. Va. — Over 300 bodies have been removed from the scene of the Fairmont mine explosion, making the probable death list about 500, according to figures of the rescuers. The opening of the coroner's inquest has been set for next Monday. Gov. Dawson announced Thursday that he will personally attend the inquiry for the purpose of instituting a rigid investigation with a view to ending West Virginia mine disasters.

Relief funds are sufficient for the immediate wants of widows and orphans, but many of these will be dependents for a long time, making necessary a much larger fund.

Bishop P. J. Donahue of the Catholic diocese of Wheeling will provide for many of the orphans. He is considering the leasing of property for a temporary orphanage and later building a permanent institution.

WOMAN CALLED A FIREBUG.

Ohio Temperance and Church Leader Is Arrested.

Norwalk, O.—Mrs. Martha A. Campbell, president of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, superintendent of the Congregational Sunday school at Steubenville, and wife of a wealthy Greenfield township farmer, was arrested Friday in Sandusky on a secret indictment charging incendiarism.

The indictment charges that Mrs. Campbell burned a dwelling owned by Miss Loa Mather, a neighbor, in October. Miss Mather also has been indicted.

The fire insurance company asserts the women framed a plot by which Miss Mather was to take the insurance money and pay off the mortgage on her home, and on that condition Mrs. Campbell would buy the place. Both women are on bonds.

Oklahoma's Senators Elected.

Guthrie, Okla. — The election of the first two United States senators from the new state of Oklahoma was consummated late Wednesday afternoon by the two houses in joint session when Speaker W. H Murray, announcing the vote of Tuesday, declared Robert L. Owen of Muskogee and Thomas P. Gore of Lawton duly chosen.

Mr. Barnes, American

By Archibald Clavering Gunter

Author of Mr. Barnes of New York, Mr. Potter of Texas, That Frenchman, Etc.

A Sequel to Mr. Barnes of New York

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SYNOPSIS.

Burton H. Barnes, a wealthy American touring Corsica, rescues the young English lieutenant, Edward Gerard Anstruther, and his Corsican bride, Marina, daughter of the Paolis, from the murderous vendetta, understanding that his reward is to be the hand of the girl he loves, Enid Anstruther, sister of the English lieutenant. The four fly from Ajaccio to Marseilles on board the French steamer Constantine. The vendetta pursues and as the quartet are about to board the train for London at Marseilles, Marina is handed a mysterious note which causes her to collapse and necessitates a postponement of the journey. Barnes gets part of the mysterious note and receives letters which inform him that he is marked by the vendetta. He employs an American detective and plans to beat the vendetta at their own game. For the purpose of securing the safety of the women Barnes arranges to have Lady Chartris lease a secluded villa at Nice to which the party is to be taken in a yacht. Suspicion is created that Marina is in league with the Corsicans. A man, believed to be Corregio Danella, is seen passing the house and Marina is thought to have given him a sign. Marina refuses to explain to Barnes which fact adds to his latent suspicions. Barnes' plans for the safety of the party are learned by the Corsicans. The carriage carrying their party to the local landing is followed by two men. One of the horsemen is supposed to be Corregio. They try to murder the American. The cook on the yacht—a Frenchman—is suspected of complicity in the plot. The party anchors at St. Tropez. The yacht is followed by a small boat. The cook is detected giving signals to the boat. Barnes attempts to throw him overboard, but is prevented by Marina and Enid. The cook is found to be innocent of the supposed plot and is forgiven.

CHAPTER VI.—Continued.

To avoid the curiosity of passing boats, Edwin has anchored near the Beaulieu side of the bay. Upon this Barnes now directs his glass. Looking it over, the American thinks it will be much more probably the location of Lady Chartris, as it has a number of pretty villas, nestled among olive, almond and orange trees, a good many of them having water frontage and several being possessed of boat landings, as he suggested. But on none of them floats the flag of France, which he had asked Lady Chartris to use as a signal to locate her villa. He is almost putting his glass aside preparatory to a journey on shore to determine the location of Lady Chartris when he suddenly exclaims: "Hang that Maud!"

"Maud!" cries Edwin, who has been busy in making the vessel shipshape. "Is she above the horizon?"

"Very much," laughs Barnes. "Notice that overgrown girl romping with the big dog and waving the French flag at him. That flag, I imagine, was to have been our signal." Then he inspects the villa carefully and is pleased to see that a good solid brick wall of sufficient height to exclude any but very energetic intruders surrounds its pretty garden. Only on the water side are its lawns open to view, and this portion of the quiet bay appears at present devoid of boats.

A light flight of stone steps that enter the water and a tasty little floating wooden landing stage indicate the former owner of the villa had been aquatic.

"That's just the place to put the ladies on shore as soon as it's dark," remarks Edwin, for the two young men had concluded it would be best to make their entry into Villefranche very quietly.

"Very well, order the cutter away," says Barnes, "and I'll get ashore and see that everything's all right."

In a few minutes the American is at the little landing stage. As he runs up the stone steps, Maud's bright eyes light upon him. The girl stops her romping with the big dog, and crying: "Glory, glory, Mr. Barnes of New York. I thought you were in London!" flies down to him with additional exclamations of surprise and delight.

"Where is your mother, Maud?" remarks Burton, pleasantly, as the girl snuggles one of her rather soiled hands into his.

"She's in the house, there. She's so blessed easy, I think I'm going to have a step-papa," answers Miss Chartris, gaily.

"Ah, Von Bulow," remarks Barnes, sententiously.

"Perhaps. But mamma has other admirers now," returns Maud.

This news is not at all satisfactory to Mr. Barnes. The more followers Lady Chartris has lounging about, the less will be the retirement of the villa.

"Very well, run off and play, Maud; I'll see you a little later," he remarks, gleefully.

They are entering the ample portico of the house.

Lady Chartris at her door receives generous Mr. Barnes effusively. "The villa is perfectly delightful, thank you, dear Burton," she observes pleasantly. "I selected it as you wished—just near enough to be in touch with the gaiety of Nice and far enough away for the honeymoon retirement of Edwin and his bride."

Leading him into a delightful drawing-room, she adds: "You must see what a charming home I have for all of us. Marina and Enid are on the yacht, I suppose?"

"Yes, the ladies will be here this evening, my dear Lady Chartris," assents Barnes. Then he asks, desirous to know if the privacy of the villa has been preserved: "You have driven into Nice once or twice since you arrived?"

"Yes, I've only been here five days, and have been literally overwhelmed with attentions," Prunella remarks, rather grandly. "My horses"—Barnes had paid for them—"take me into Nice in 25 minutes over that beautiful forest road."

"Ah, and Von Bulow?" he suggests, roguishly.

"Oh, Baron von Bulow was in ecstasy at my presence. Franz gave me a lunch at the Casino."

"Oho, it has got so far as 'Franz,'" laughs Burton. "And your other admirers?" his tone is insinuating. "You cannot persuade me you hadn't more than one, Lady Chartris."

"Oh, several, but I—I don't like to speak about them." The widow's face becomes rosy.

A good deal of this has been said as Prunella has been showing Mr. Barnes about the pretty house, and he has inspected the rooms set apart for Edwin and his bride and Miss Anstruther.

Then, despite his hostess' suggestion, for Lady Chartris has a lovely chamber overlooking the water for him who is really the master of the villa, Burton selects for his own use a much inferior bedroom, but one that gives him a commanding view of all the country lanes that lead to the grounds.

"Seeing that everything is all prepared, I'll bring Marina, Miss Anstruther and Edwin on shore this evening. Please make no preparations for us. Treat us all en famille. I think I'll go down to my boat," says Mr. Barnes.

As he leaves the house he asks: "Are there any letters for me?"

"Why, yes. A Mr. Emory, who acts as your agent, I presume—he paid your bill at the Grand hotel—came to me as I was leaving Marseilles and asked me to deliver this personally." Lady Chartris runs upstairs, and returning, places an epistle in Burton's hand, adding: "Here is also another addressed in the same hand that arrived three days ago, under enclosure to me." The contents of the first makes him knit his brows.

It reads:

Marseilles, May 27, 1883.

My Dear Mr. Barnes:

I send this by Lady Chartris. Any further communications until I again see you will be mailed under cover to that lady, as I dare not give our adversary any chance of finding your location by the post, for we have to deal with somebody whose devilish ingenuity beats that of Old Nick himself. The way he substituted his own assassins in place of the two Frenchies I had hired to ride behind your carriage and guard you when you left Marseilles, will prove this.

He must have got onto me immediately after you employed me. Someone must have followed you and seen our chat at the Hotel des Deux-Mondes and guessed that you engaged me. All that day I must have been shadowed so slick I never suspected it. By this means they must have guessed that I hired Jamieson's yacht for you and the men to guard you to the embarkation. Any way, the two Frenchmen, who were to see you safe, while waiting for you and party to get into your carriage, left their nags at the door of a wine-shop just around the corner from your hotel, in the Rue du Musee, and stepped in to drink and that is the last either of the bums know about anything until they woke up with a thundering headache and were told they had been asleep in the wine-shop for the last six hours.

When they came out, about midnight, they found their nags waiting for them, but so bunged up they must have carried the two men after you till they jumped me at the Roucas Blanc. I have questioned them and they admit that a bystander asked them to drink wine with him.

In addition, if it isn't too late, I want to warn you about the cook for the Seagull, whom Graham hurriedly engaged. The devil who's running this vendetta on you may have got to him also in some way, though everybody about the docks says that Leboeuf is square.

I shall be in Nice not later than June 4, as from what you said to me I reckon you won't be back before that time.

Yours anxiously,
ELIJAH REUBEN EMORY.

Then he opens the second letter from the American detective, dated June 2d. It contains a receipted bill from the Grand, that he had paid for Mr. Barnes, and also a statement that young Bernardo Saliceti had arrived from Ajaccio on the Wednesday boat, but so far as Emory could discover, had met no one in Marseilles, though he had received some telegrams.

"I am onto this young Corsican cock-a-doodle," wrote the detective, "and as I find he is leaving for a trip along the coast toward Nice I shall follow him to see if he will lead me to the head villain.

"I've also written to Perrier, whom you can trust, to look out for you. His address in Nice is 239 Rue Palermo. You mention to him 'Vendetta,' and he'll know you and reply, 'Marseilles.'"

It ended with a curious postscript. "I have just discovered that young Saliceti's first stop is St. Tropez."

Mr. Barnes has very little time to turn these communications over in his mind, for he is interrupted by a sudden

"Lady Chartris Runs Up Stairs, and Returning, Places an Epistle in Burton's Hand."

wish of short skirts and Maud, standing beside his, demands: "How much for mamma's other suitor?"

"I don't believe I want him, Miss Bribery and Corruption," mutters Burton, being anxious to reflect upon Emory's letters.

"Not curious to know of the man who brought mamma home yesterday?" she asks eagerly, "the chappie who kissed her sure; but whether her hand or her lips, I couldn't see," grins the girl.

"Indeed, who is the ardent gallant?" sneers Barnes, indifferently.

The answer that comes strikes the American's nerve centers.

"Count Corregio Cipriano Danella," remarks Miss Chartris, affably. "You know his poor brother, Musso, is dead."

"What, the fellow who gave Marina the letter in the Marseilles depot that made her faint?" The light of battle springs into Barnes' face. "You put me within ten paces of that gentleman with the scar over his eye, Maudie," he remarks slowly, "and you shall die of bonbons."

Here Miss Chartris shocks his nerve centers again.

"Oh, he's not scarry at all!" cries Maud, indignantly. "That dissipated looking creature is not Corregio Cipriano Danella. Corsican hat and plumes—so romantic—in deep black—so sad—manners like a dancing master—quite actor-like, too. He buttered me all over with compliments till my pigtails stood on end with joy. While ma was primping after her drive, we played rolly pooly on the green and I told him how a chap who had a kind of family likeness to him had mashed Marina and passed her a billet doux that knocked her silly in the Marseilles railroad station.

"Then somehow he jollied me along till I got gay and told him how anxious you were to buy the letter from me, and I—I only had sold you the three-quarters of it that I had picked up on the floor of the depot—the part that didn't give anything away."

"Then you have the other part?"

Burton's tone is so searching, his manner so severe that Maud dare not tell him, and falters out a lie: "Of course, I haven't. Didn't I tell you I only picked up what I gave you?"

Barnes has risen and is striding determinedly back to the house, a definite resolution upon his set face.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Graphic Battle Picture.

In Lew Wallace's autobiography appears this battle picture: "Then at a signal—a bugle call probably—the army having attained its proper front, it started forward slowly at first. Suddenly, after the passage of space, arms were lifted, and, taking to the double quick, the men raised their battle cry, which, sounding across the field and intervening distance, rose to me on the height, sharper, shriller and more like the composite yelling of wolves than I had ever heard it. And when to those were presently superadded a tempestuous tossing of guidons, waving of banners and a furious tramping of the young corn that flew before them like splashed billows, the demonstration was more than exciting—it was really fearful; and watching it I understood, as never before, the old Vandal philosophy which taught that the sublimest inspiration of courage lay in the terrible."

MOOSE ATTACKS A HORSE.

And the Horse Retorts in Kind—An Incident of the Maine Woods.

Three young men from Milltown, near Calais, went out into the country districts recently to pass the day and left their old horse standing under the shade of the whispering pines while they communed with nature some little distance away, according to the Kennebec Journal. They were startled by the neighing and snorting of their steed and upon reaching the spot where the animal was tied they witnessed an exciting encounter between a bull moose and the horse. The monarch of the forest just happened along and found the horse encroaching upon his domain and very naturally resented the intrusion. He made a run for the unfortunate steed and a bow-on collision was almost a sure thing, when the old horse's fighting blood got up and, instead of waiting to be rammed like a fishing boat in a fog, he stood up on his hind legs and caught the bull moose a swat fair upon the nose with both forefeet. Both animals sat down suddenly to think the matter over, the moose from the surprise of the shock, and the horse because he lost his balance, and it would doubtless have gone hard with the latter, which was incumbered with the harness and rigging, had not the young men set upon the forest king with yells just as he was about to resume the attack upon his helpless adversary. Any one who remembers the noise which a Milltown man is capable of making when out for a good time will pardon the moose for his sudden and undignified retreat.

Great ideas travel slowly, and for a time noiselessly, as the gods, whose feet are shod with wool.—James A. Garfield.

TROOPS TO REMAIN

GEN. FUNSTON LEARNS AMAZING STORY FROM LABOR MAN.

HOW BLOODSHED IS AVOIDED

American Federation Delegates Declare They Have to Go Armed to Avoid Trouble.

Goldfield, Nev., Dec. 16.—Members of the commission sent by President Roosevelt arrived in Goldfield last night. Mr. McNeill, labor commissioner, said that the commission would go at once into the labor conditions in Goldfield.

General Funston is preparing a report to be sent to Washington based on the revelations made by him yesterday by the delegation from the American Federation of Labor.

Goldfield, Nev., Dec. 16.—Yesterday a delegation from the American Federation of Labor called upon General Funston who is continuing his investigation of conditions here with a view of determining the necessity for the presence of federal troops in Goldfield.

"These gentlemen made the most remarkable statement I have yet heard," said General Funston in an interview with the representative of The Associated Press last night. "They have considered it necessary for their self-protection to go armed at all times, and have been compelled to avoid personal contact with members of the Western Federation of Miners in order to prevent serious trouble. This condition of affairs, they have told me, obtained until the arrival of the United States troops, since when the conditions have been greatly changed."

BIGGIST SCHOONER IS LOST.

The Thomas W. Lawson Is Wrecked Off Scilly Islands.

Hughtown, Scilly Islands, Dec. 15.—In a terrific storm which swept Broad sound on Friday night and Saturday the seven masted schooner Thomas W. Lawson of Boston, the largest in the world, was wrecked. All the crew but two were lost.

The schooner turned turtle and is now floating bottom up. Three dead bodies have been found off Annet Island of the Scilly group. One of the two survivors has been landed at St. Agnes by the St. Agnes life boat and is only partly conscious. The captain of the schooner was rescued from a rock near the wreck. The sailor from the schooner who was picked up alive yesterday afternoon by the St. Agnes boatmen is Edward Rowe of Boston.

The Thomas W. Lawson was the first seven masted schooner afloat. She was launched in 1901 at Quincy, Mass.

The vessel measured 480 feet over all. Her breadth was 50 feet and she drew 26 feet of water. The Lawson had a cargo capacity of 8,100 tons. She carried 13,000 square feet of canvas, which was attached to steel masts weighing about twenty tons each. The big schooner was equipped with six engines used in handling her anchors and sails.

Signals of distress were heard at the Bishop Rock light house on Friday afternoon. Two life boats at once put out and found the Thomas W. Lawson landed in a dangerous position just north of Gunner's Rock. Great seas were running, and the life boats, although they stood by for several hours, were unable to render assistance.

SAYS EXERCISE RIGHTS.

Ex-Secretary Hitchcock Gives Advice.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—At the banquet of the Commercial club last night Ethan Allen Hitcock, former secretary of the interior, delivered an address covering the organization and work of the department of the interior. He narrated in a general way all that had been accomplished by the department since its inception, covering his own administration. He detailed the problems which the department is compelled to meet from time to time and said:

"If the laws are unjust and oppressive the answer has been and still is to amend or repeal them. If the people fail to exercise their rights and duties at the primaries they cannot complain if politicians, thinking only of their political debts, resort to methods and accomplish results which the patriot would regard with contempt or indignantly expose.

"Just so long as government officials wear the collar of those to whom they are indebted for their nomination and appointment, just so long will we have land frauds by perjured plunders, illegal fencing of the public domain to the exclusion of the pioneer home builder and the speculative grafter ready and eager to rob the nation's wards of their rightful inheritance."

Before commencing his formal address Mr. Hitchcock briefly discussed the public land laws, declaring that they are too numerous and imperatively need revision. He particularly urged the immediate repeal of the timber and stone act, the desert land act and especially the eighth section of the homestead law, under which he said that the grossest frauds have been and are being prepetrated.

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School Notes.

Minrie Blank has been absent the past week.

Albert Krous started to school Tuesday morning.

Bonnie Dow visited school on Monday afternoon.

Vacation will begin on Friday and continue for two weeks.

Room 1 are planning on having a short programme Friday afternoon.

Minnie Blumer returned to school after several weeks of sickness.

Helen Bloom was absent several days last week on account of sickness.

Gertrude Weiland started to school again this week after a spell of sickness.

The final examination will be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

The Primary and Intermediate rooms assembled in the advanced room Monday morning for opening exercises.

BADLY MIXED UP.

Abraham Brown of Winterton, N. Y. had a very remarkable experience, he says: Doctors got badly mixed up over me. one said heart disease, two called it kidney trouble, the fourth blood poison and the fifth stomach and liver trouble. but none of them helped me so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all five doctors prescribed. Guaranteed to cure blood poison weakness and all stomach liver and kidney complaints by J L Harr & Co. druggist, 50c.

German M. E. Church Items

F. C. Griewe returned home on Tuesday and will remain over the holidays.

Fred Sampson is planning a trip to Beltrami, Minn. to visit his brother and sister.

Mrs. Geo. Ulrich and her sister Hulda spent a few days with relatives in and around Clarion returning Wednesday.

The Germantown Sunday school will give their Christmas program Tuesday evening and the Klemme school on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno Hartwick and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Schneider of Clayton county attended the Arnold funeral and remained a a few days.

Dr. Hirsch spent a few days among us in the interest of the $50,000 endowment which he is raising for the college. He has about one third raised and he received some encouraging promisesfrom our people.

A Complete Defense.

An irish woman was accused of having stolen an iron soap kettle and cracked it, so that its usefulness was ended.

Her defense, when brought before the judge, was as follows: "Oi have witnesses here, yer honor, t' prove, first, that Oi niver had th' kittle in me possession; second, that Oi returned it t' Mrs. Casey widout a crack in it; and, third, that th' old kittle was cracked whin Oi sthole it."

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leggings
muffler
mittens
mouth organ
jack knife
B B belt
slate and pencil
sleeve buttons
sweater
overcoat
express wagon

FOR LITTLE SISTER

toy broom
doll furniture
ring
comic kerchief
perfume
tablet
colored pencils
a clock
a little fur and muff
checkers
candy
peanuts

FOR THE YOUNG MAN

fancy socks
garters
cuff links
arm bands
nail nippers
tooth brush
brush broom
fob
watch chain
scarf pin
pocket book
pocket comb
a fur collar
suit case
flannel shirt
fancy suspenders
book case

FOR THE YOUNG LADY

side combs
back combs
purse
hand bag
"Swastika" hat pin
reefer shawl
"bear" scarf pin
pin trays
thimble
necklace
doily
center piece
pillow top
an elegant fur
goods for a Kimono
waist pattern
heatherbloom petticoat
plush slippers
"Princess" dresser

FOR MOTHER

black dress	sewing rocker
felt slippers	tabourette
shell hair pins	fine rug
box rushing	picture frame
table linen	carpet sweeper
fancy dist	sewing machine
crumb tray	"White Swan" flour

FOR FATHER

A large rocking chair
A box of cigars
A warm overcoat
A pair of fur driving mittens

FOR GRANDFATHER

warm shoes
carpet slippers
fur-lined plush cap
pulse warmers
fur coat
an easy chair

FOR GRANDMOTHER

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fascinator
hood
wooden knitting needls
woolen blankets
large rocker

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LOCAL NEWS

Change of Ad. State Savings Bank.

Aug. Lau did business at Garner Tuesday.

The Rock Island System have a change of ad,

Glasses fitted and satisfaction guaranteed at J L Harr & Co.

Remember the H. Lau & Son shooting match on Wednesday, Dec. 24th.

Aug. Lau & Son shipped three car loads of hogs from Goodell Wednesday.

Mrs. E. P. Dow and children of Rake, Iowa, are visiting among relatives and friends here.

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve—don't forget the name and accept no substitute. Get DeWitt's. It's good for piles. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Several of our citizens attended court at Garner this Thursday. They were call there by "request."

you know as well as any one when you need something to regulate your system. If you bowels are sluggish, your food distresses you, your kidneye pain take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It always relieves. 35c tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

Mrs J. W. Scott and son visited with her father-in-law and family at Vinton, also visited at Trear, they returned Monday.

Thousands of men and women in all walks of life are suffering from kidney and bladder troubles. Don't neglect your kidneys. Delays are dangerous. DeWitt's kidney and bladder pils afford quick relief for all forms of kidney and bladder trouble. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

E. F. Carpenter of Forest City, who is treasurer of the Woodwork and Blacksmith Association, met with the blacksmiths here and neighboring towns Dec. 12th.

When the stomach heart or kidney nerves get weak then these organs always fail. Don't drug the stomach nor stimulate the heart or kidneys. That is simply o makeshift Get a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's restorative. The restorative is prepared expressly for these weak inside nerves. Strenghten these nerves build them up with Dr. Shoop's restorative—tablets or liquid—and see how quicly help will come. Free sample test sent on request by Dr Shoop, Racine, Wis Your health is surely worth this simple test. All Dealers.

Shooting match Tuesday, Dec. 24th.

T. A. Monaghen was up from Goodell Monday.

Phil. Ell and wife were at Garner last week Friday.

Monday, Dec. 23d is the date of Wm. Brooks sale—don't forget.

We can fit that sewing machine of yours with needles and shuttles at Schuler's. tf

Steve Day, the carpenter, is putting on the finishing touches at the N. L. Palmer house.

Mrs. H. Mann and daughter Lucile were visiting with grandparents at Garner Wednesday.

Aug. Lau drove to Goodell Tuesday evening to look after his grain and stock business.

Mrs. Stanley of Garner after visiting among relatives and friends here over Sunday return to Garner Monday.

I am selling childrens headwear at Cost. Those pretty bear skin hoods at almost one-half price. Mrs. J. Josten.

When winds shriek high in fiendish glee,
And enters winter with his key
Protect yoursely, from disease be free;
Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. J L Harr & Co.

The Diamond Concert Co. who are playing to large audiences in our city this week are giving satisfactory entertainments. It is well worth the price of admission.

Just a little Cascasweet is all that is necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peevish. Cascasweed contains uo opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommended by mothers everywhere. Conforms to the National Pure Food Law. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

NOTICE.—Cottage for sale, two blocks south-west of Court House two lots, good well and barn. We also offer our residence property for sale. Inquire at THE TIMES office or Mrs. Mann, Garner, Iowa.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's catarrh reedy. Sold by All Dealers.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

Wm. Bredlow, Garner
John Newberger, Ventura
Wm. Schmidt. Garner

Are you having trouble with your kidneys? There are lots of people today who wonder why they have pains across the back why they are tired and lacking in energy and amuition. your kidneys are wrong. They need relief without delay. Take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills, they are for weak back inflammation of the bladder backache and weak kidneys. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Rev. Hutchinson has been appointed to fill the Klemme Eng. M. E. church charge. His first sermon will be next Sunday morning. A large attendance is wished for.

Whenever you feel that your stomach has gone a little wrong or when you feel that it is not in good order as it evidenced by mean headaches nervousness bad breath and belching take something at times and especially after your meals until relief is afforded. There is nothing better offered the public today for stomach troubles dyspepsia indigestion etc. than Kodol. This is a scientific preparation of natural digestants combined with vegetable acids and it contains the same juices found in every healthy stomach. Kodol is guaranteed to give relief. It is pleasant to take, it will make you feel fine by digesting what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

All kinds of fruits at Kluckhohn's.

Do not forget the Wm. Brooks sale for good live stock.

G. W. Kluckhohn has a large display Holiday ad.

Fresh oysters every day in the week at Kluckhohn's.

Watches and jewelry at J. L. Harr & Co. All goods warranted. tf

All glass set free of charge if brought to the store of G. F. Schuler. tf

C. C. Suckow is doing the finishing work in the N. L. Palmer residence.

Remember the Shooting Match on Tuesday, Dec. 24th. Come and shoot and win a prize.

Mrs. Gittie M. Sweigard arrived from Goodell Tuesday for a visit with her brother Allie White and family.

There will be a shooting match in Klemme on Tuesday, Dec. 24. Come and try your luck.

H. Lau & Son.

J. L. Harr & Co. have a Holiday ad. which is worth your time to read. Get a nice Xmas present for your sweet-heart.

FOR SALE—Five full blood Poland China pigs which are registered.

tf H. Lau & Son.

A new lot of picture molding just received at Schuler's. Bring in those pictures you have stored away and have them framed. tf

This is the season of decay and weakened vitality. good health is hard to retain. If you'd retain yours fortify your system with Hollister's Rocy Mountain Tea the surest way. 35 cts tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

Mrs. Wm. F. Lau and son visited over Sunday with her aunt Mrs. Moss and family at Rake. They returned Tuesday evening.

There is something about Kennedys laxative cough syrup that maes it different from others as it causes a free yet gentle action of the bowels through which the cold is forced out of the system. At the same time it heals irritation and allays inflammation of the throat and lungs. It is pleasant to take. Children like it. Contains no opiates nor narcotics. Sold by J L Larr & Co.

Wm. Bredlow of Germantownship. made the Times office a pleasant call last week Saturday and a renewal on subscription.

To check a cold quic get from your druggist some little candy cold tablets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing Preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly effective and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sicening. Taken at the sneeze stage preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis, lagrippe, etc. Hence the name preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5 cts. Sold by All Dealers.

NOTICE.—The Central Telephone office will be closed on Dec. 24th from 6:30 p. m. We will also close on Christmas and New Year days.

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A tickeling cough from anv cause is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's cough cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless and safe that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to young babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountain ous shrub furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's cough cure. It calms the cough and heals the sore and sensative bronchial membranes. No opium no chloroform nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract that help to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the Doctor uses "The Sacred Herb." Always demand Dr. Shoop's cough cure. All Dealers.

Get the Hoffmanette cigar at Kluckhohn's.

P. M. Griesemer clerks the Wm. Brooks sale Dec. 23d.

Some bargains will be had at the Wm. Brooks sale Dec. 23.

Geo. Alberts of near Klemme is another new subscriber added to our list.

Dr. A T. Hartbeck of Colesburg, is visiting Henry Wille and family over Christmas.

J. J. Scallon and wife of Ackley, Iowa, visited with J. G. Tanner and family returning Wednesday evening.

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

Geo Culp who has been visiting with J. W. Scott and family returned to his home at Garrison Monday evening

A DANGEROUS DEADLOCK

that sometimes terminates fatally is the stoppage of liver and bowel functions. To quicly end this condition without disagreeable sensations Dr. King's new life pills should always be your remedy. Guaranteed absolutely satisfactory in every case or money back at J L Harr & Co drug store. 25c

Monthly Report of School No. 1 Twin Lake, Dec. 13, 1907.

Number enrolled	23
Percentage of attendance	94

The pupils neither absent nor tardy were Elsie Josten, Rosa Etchen, Clara Swalve, Lena Swalve. Myrtylle Christie, John Etchen, J. Swalve, Joe Houghton.

Fred Haupt, Director.
J, D. G. Houghton, Teacher.

A REAL WONDERDAND.

South Dakota with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations is a vertible wonderland. At Mound City in the home of Mrs. E D Clapp a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. Exhausting coughing speils occurred every five minutes, writes Mrs. Clapp when I began giving Dr. King's new discovery the great machine that saved his life and completely cured him. Guaranteed for coughs and colds throat and lung troubles by J L Harr & Co.

Card of Thanks.

To those who have so kindly given assistance during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, we hereby express our heartfelt thanks.

Mrs. Mary Arnold
and children

North Germantown.

Ed Lunn is reported sick.

Ralph Lunn is on the sick list.

Wm. Brouwer helped Upmeyers shredd corn the first of the week.

Paul Kropp was a welcome caller on Route 3 the first of the week.

Fred Reithm sold a nice bunch of sheep to Stanton & Stork on Monday.

Otto Lemke and wife were the guests of L. Schmidt and wife last Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Haes arrived from Grafton Monday to visit with the boys for a few days.

J. J. Stille, J. E. Stille, Paul Gast and Chas. Bredlow attended the sale of Mrs. E. Schramm near Miller last Friday.

Art Upmeyer departed for New Beemen, Ohio. He will work in the blacksmith shop for his brother-in-law Emil Solms. We wish him health a happiness.

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SANTA'S LIGHT LOAD

By BERTHA E. BUSH.

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"BUT, mamma, Santa Claus can go anywhere where there is snow. He has his sleigh, you know. And there is snow here, plenty of snow."

The sick woman, lying on the bed in the little pioneer cabin, looked at the white whirl of flakes that shut out all but the gray daylight from the little windows and shuddered. Yes, there was plenty of snow. You could not see even the dimmest outline of anything that was ten feet away. And somewhere out in the snow—she knew not where—her husband was journeying. Three weeks ago he had started to the nearest town 60 miles away for supplies. He had been sure that he would return in a week. Was he lying now under one of those huge white drifts? Was he out in this dreadful blizzard, perhaps freezing to death at this very minute. She turned away from the window and moaned. She could not bear to answer the child. But Hattie, the hired girl, who never seemed to lose heart, answered cheerily:

"Land sakes, yes, there is plenty of snow, Lillie. But you know Santa Claus is getting old. He can drive in the snow of course, but a howling blizzard like this might freeze him stiff. You'd better make up your mind not to get any Christmas presents this year, Lillie. You wouldn't want dear old Santa Claus frozen to death."

"No, of course not. But papa goes out on the prairie. Why shouldn't Santa Claus? Don't you think he could get here with a light load? You know, when we came, we got stuck in the sloughs lots of times and papa unloaded the wagon and got it across empty. Don't you think Santa Claus could do that?"

"But if he unloaded his sleigh he couldn't bring you any Christmas presents."

"Oh, he could just take out the heavy things. Don't you think he might bring me some present that was light, Hattie?"

"Yes, he shall," said Hattie, with determination.

She was only the hired girl who had come in friendly pioneer fashion to help the settler's wife through her sickness; but to the inmates of the little cabin she was a ministering angel. Strong and faithful and efficient, an angel could hardly have done more in that prairie home. Yet she did not look in the least like an angel as she put on the pioneer's old cap and coat, tied a red woolen scarf around her neck, drew old stockings over her shoes and floundered out through the drifts, stout and rosy in the wind, to do the chores for the night. Not a glimpse of the near by barn could be obtained from the cabin door. Hattie tied a long rope to the door knob and carefully held the other end as she walked toward it. She knew too well how more than one pioneer had lost their way in the trackless whiteness at no greater distance than this from their homes, and been frozen to death.

She pulled down hay and fed the stock and milked. She brought out pails full of the snow water she had melted in the big wash boiler for them to drink. She brought in a great supply of fuel and made everything outdoors and in as snug and cheery as possible. Then she cooked the supper—that did not take long for there was little to cook—and washed up the dishes and cared for the sick woman and the little babe. She put Lillie to bed in the queer little trundle-bed—the child chattering about Santa Claus every minute—and tucked her in as happy as if there were no fear or anxiety in the world; oh, what would the pioneer families have done without the "girls" of that time?

The mercury ranged 4 and 5 degrees below zero. The storm outside howled with the fury of a legion of demons. In some drift out there in the whiteness John Carver might be sinking to death now.

The baby cried and the sick woman moaned. There was no lack of occupation for the young helper. Hattie's strong arms held the child till it was quieted and at the same time heated flannels, brought water, smoothed pillows, and did everything that could be done for the anxious young mother.

"Hattie, you haven't anything to worry you," cried the sick woman, enviously.

"Not a thing except what worries other people,' answered Hattie. But she knew that all the time she carried beneath her songs and cheery words a heartache that was as hard to bear as the young wife's own.

It was Mark for whom her heart ached. A year ago she had thought that by this time she and Mark would be settled in a pioneer cabin of their own. Her quilts were all quilted, her store of household goods was ready. But a coldness had come between them, and Mark had gone away—"back east where girls were plenty." Since then she had been learning to live without him and it was a bitter lesson. True she did not speak of it, not even to her best friends, but the ache was always there.

Her work was done at last. She had time to look at little Lillie slumbering in her low trundle-bed with her stocking spread out trustingly on the pillow beside her. Now was the time for Santa Claus to come. But the sick mother was too ill and broken with anxiety to be bothered. There was nobody to fill that stocking but Hattie, and nothing to fill it with except what her girl's wit might devise.

She was very tired. All day she had been battling against storm and sickness, doing a woman's work and a man's too. Now she must do Santa Claus' work. Was ever a Santa Claus so sleepy? Oh, what would she not give to throw herself on the bed, dressed as she was, and sleep? But there was no time for that. Santa Claus must come to the waiting child. She knew that in a little while the sick woman would rouse again and need her. Softly and wearily she lifted the one little drop-leaf table over to the window farthest from the sick mother and placed the lamp upon it. Then she got out her precious, diminishing store of letter paper that had to be brought to her from 6 miles away, like the rest of the supplies, and the clumsy shears, and began to make paper dolls.

Clip, clip, went the big shears. That and the rustle of the paper were the only sounds to be heard. Gradually she realized that the howling of the wind had ceased and the blizzard had gone down.

Lillie's words kept repeating themselves sleepily in her tired brain. "A light load." Surely this Christmas gift would be light enough for Santa Claus to take anywhere. Clip, clip, went the shears, and wonderful creations fell from Hattie's hands. There was a father with a miniature newspaper spread out before him. There was a mother with a baby in her arms and another in a tiny paper cradle at her feet. There were brothers and sisters.

Snip—snip—Her hands went slower and slower until the last of the paper family trailed off into aimless cutting. Then Hattie's weary head sank down on the table and Hattie was asleep. Asleep and dreaming of Mark.

In the daytime she could keep the thought of him away from her with fierce determination. In the night it would come. She was dreaming and she knew it. She had dreamed of him too often not to know. And in her dream the door burst open and Mark stood before her. Of course it could not be real. Or, rather, it was a dream of Mark's ghost all deathly white. But even Mark's ghost was welcome. There could not be any harm in embracing a ghost in a dream. She threw her arms around his neck—

But this was no dream. It was too solid and it was too cold. It was a real man who stood before her, benumbed with cold, and covered with snow from head to foot.

In a flash she came out of her dream. It was well for Mark that she was just what she was, and that she knew what to do. She brought the great tub of melting snow-water, cut off the frozen footwear and mittens and plunged his feet and hands in it. She rubbed his face with snow. She made hot coffee—blessing the forethought that had kept the kettle filled with boiling water for the sick woman's use—and forced him to drink it. Little by little life and strength came back to him and incoherent words.

"Started—with Craver. He wanted—to see—his wife. I wanted—to see—you. Blizzard came up. Lost our way. Dug a hole in the snow and stayed two night. Went a long while—and came to Smith's farm. Craver—too badly frozen—to go on. Will be all right after awhile, but couldn't go on then. Wanted to like fury. Smith had to hold him back. Good thing. He couldn't have come on his frozen feet. I—came on—alone. Got lost again. Been lost all day. Pretty near—gave out. Thought I'd have—to give up. So dark and cold. Saw—your light when wind went down. Came to—you."

The words might be jerky and disjointed, but Hattie understood it and never words sounded sweeter.

"Santa Claus did come in the night," chirruped Lillie. "I saw him. He was all white. And he brought me this." She held up the precious paper doll family.

"Aren't they lubbly. I fought he could get froo with a light load." Then another thought came to her.

"But he didn't bring anyfing to you, Hattie. That's too bad."

"No, no, it's as good as it could be." Hattie laughed out in pure joy. "He brought me the one thing I wanted most in the world. And I shall be thankful to him every day I live; for if I had not kept my lamp burning in the window while I was working—I mean waiting for him—Mark would not have found the way."

Willing to Prove It.

The Christmas spirit warmed the old lady's heart, and she said to the tattered, shivering tramp:

"If I give you a nickel how can I be sure that you won't go straight off and get intoxicated with it?"

"Madam," the man answered, pointing to the laurel-decked corner saloon, "it would give me great pleasure to afford you practical demonstration that the sum isn't enough for the purpose."

On this evening many children may be seen standing about in groups, and gazing wistfully up into the sky, looking for the heavenly messengers of "Peace on earth, good will to men."

'TWAS JUST BEFORE CHRISTMAS

Hard to Explain.

Uncle George was an old colored man who tried awfully hard to be good, but it was very difficult for him to keep from stealing. As he explained it, "I just nachally want to take what I lay my hands on."

Uncle George's latest theft was a pig. The more he thought about what he had done the worse he felt. About the middle of the night his wife awoke and saw uncle still kneeling by the bedside in earnest prayer.

"Why don't you get in bed?" she asked.

"Oh, let me alone," replied Uncle George; "I'se tryin' to 'splain to heaven jus' how I happen to have that pig, and the more I 'splain the wusser mixed I get."

BLACK, ITCHING SPOTS ON FACE.

Physician Called It Eczema in Worst Form—Patient Despaired of Cure—Cuticura Remedies Cured Her.

"About four years ago I was afflicted with black splotches all over my face and a few covering my body, which produced a severe itching irritation, and which caused me a great deal of suffering, to such an extent that I was forced to call in two of the leading physicians of ———. After a thorough examination of the dreaded complaint they announced it to be skin eczema in the worst form. Their treatment did me no good. Finally I became despondent and decided to discontinue their services. My husband purchased a single set of the Cuticura Remedies, which entirely stopped the breaking out. I continued the use of the Cuticura Remedies for six months, and after that ever splotch was entirely gone. I have not felt a symptom of the eczema since, which was three years ago. Mrs. Lizzie E. Sledge, 540 Jones Ave., Selma, Ala., Oct. 28, 1905."

Cruel.

"Boo, hoo!"

"What's the matter, John?"

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"Did he thrash you?"

"No; made me eat the apples. Boo, hoo-hoo!"

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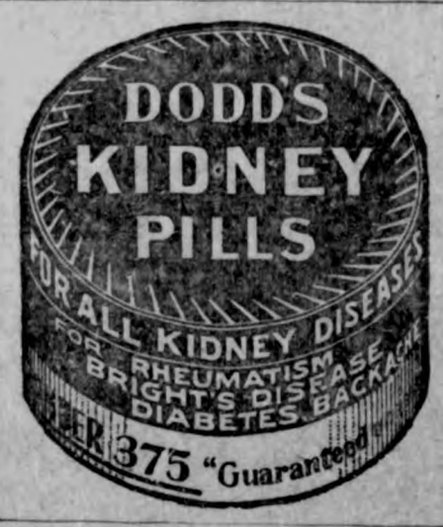

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IS NOT A CANDIDATE

PRESIDENT PUTS AN END TO THE THIRD TERM TALK.

ALL DOUBT DISPELLED

Formal Statement Issued by Mr. Roosevelt Repeating That Made the Night of Election in 1904.

Washington. — President Roosevelt will not be a candidate for a third term. All doubt on this point was dispelled Wednesday night by the authoritative statement from the White House that Mr. Roosevelt still adheres to the declaration of renunciation made on the night of the election three years ago.

In the statement issued President Roosevelt says he has not changed and shall not change the decision communicated to the American people in 1904.

It appears that President Roosevelt has been awaiting the call for the Republican national convention to afford the proper opportunity for making his position clear and unmistakable, thus leaving the field clear for Fairbanks, Taft, Cannon, Knox, Foraker and other declared or receptive candidates for the Republican nomination. The president's statement follows:

"In view of the issuance of the call of the Republican national committee for the convention, the president makes the following statement:

"On the night after election I made the following announcement: 'I am deeply sensible of the honor done me by the American people in thus expressing their confidence in what I have done and have tried to do. I appreciate to the full the solemn responsibility this confidence imposes upon me, and I shall do all that in my power lies not to forfeit it. On the fourth of March next I shall have served three and a half years, and this three and a half years constitute my first term. The wise custom which limits the president to two terms regards the substance, and not the form, and under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination.'

"I have not changed and shall not change the decision thus announced."

The announcement that the president would not accept the Republican nomination, if tendered, came at too late an hour to become generally known in political circles, but among those who learned of it, Democrats and Republicans alike, the feeling was general that it left no element of doubt in the presidential situation, so far as relates to the third term talk, and that it definitely eliminates Mr. Roosevelt from the contest now being waged. Some Democrats, however, express a belief that a Roosevelt stampede in the Republican convention would shake his resolution and that he would prove no exception to the historic precedent that no American citizen ever refused a presidential nomination.

Administration Republicans declare that the announcement gives a great impetus to the Taft boom, while the Democrats, many of the leaders of which party are here attending the meeting of their national committee, are shouting that it means "Bryan in a walk."

ORCHARD TELLS OF MURDER.

Pictures Pettibone As His Paymaster for All His Crimes.

Boise, Idaho. — Showing signs of deep emotion, Harry Orchard, in the Pettibone trial Thursday afternoon, told of the assassination of ex-Gov. Steunenberg. In minute detail he testified in regard to the deliberate preparations for the crime; of his unsuccessful attempt to end the life of the governor, and finally of placing the bomb on the night of December 30, 1905.

Before telling of the Steunenberg murder Orchard detailed his alleged attempts on the lives of Fred Bradley at San Francisco; Justice Gabbert, Justice Goddard and Gov. Peabody at Denver, and of plans which he said were made to kill Sherman Bell, Frank Hearne, David Moffatt and John Neville. Throughout his story he pictured Pettibone as his paymaster, and in some of his attempted crimes he implicated the defendant as an active participant. In every detail his narrative was the same as given in the Haywood trial.

Brooklyn Bankers Arrested.

New York.—John G. Jenkins and his three sons, John G., Jr., Frank and Fred, all bankers of Brooklyn, were indicted jointly Wednesday for criminal conspiracy in having illegally obtained loans aggregating $947,000 from trust companies of which they were officers. The father, John G., Jr., and Frank were indicted for perjury in having made false statements to the state superintendents of banks. The four men were arrested, arraigned and, after pleading not guilty, held under bonds for a hearing.

CONVENTION GOES TO DENVER

DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE ALSO ACCEPTS $100,000 FUND.

Several Members Look on Sum Offered as Bribe—July 7 Named as Date.

Washington.—After deciding to hold the next Democratic national convention at Denver, Col., and fixing the date of the meeting for July 7, 1908, the Democratic national committee late Thursday entered upon a spirited debate on the propriety of accepting more of the $100,000 offered by Denver for the convention than actually needed to pay the convention expenses in that city.

The opposition to the acceptance of the contribution took the form of a resolution by Representative Clayton of Alabama, declining money not actually needed for convention purposes, but after a long debate the resolution was laid on the table by a vote of 31 to 14.

Mr. Clayton, Representative John Sharp Williams of Mississippi and Gov. Hoke Smith of Georgia all spoke in favor of the passage of the resolution. Mr. Smith was especially emphatic in saying that the $100,000 which had been offered to secure the Republican convention and refused by the Republican national committee had been offered to and was about to be accepted by the Democratic committee. He said the Republicans had turned down the offer because it was regarded as in the nature of a bribe and that Democrats, in view of that circumstance, could not afford to accept it. Mr. Williams spoke in similar vein, as also did Mr. Clayton.

Mr. Taggart advocated the acceptance of the $100,000, saying it would be needed now even worse than money was needed in 1904, and that at that time it would have been practically impossible to have opened headquarters for Judge Parker if they had not had the extra money secured from St Louis, where the convention was held.

In selecting the convention city on first ballot, Denver received 22 votes as against 17 for Louisville, five for Chicago and one for St. Paul. July 7 was selected after a very brief discussion.

The committee held two sessions during the day and adjourned finally at six o'clock.

WANTS GOLDFIELD FACTS.

President Sends Labor Department Officials to Investigate.

Washington.—Assistant Secretary Murray, of the department of commerce and labor; Charles P. Neill, commissioner of labor, and Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, left Washington late Wednesday afternoon for Goldfield, Nev., to make a thorough investigation of the trouble between the miners and mine operators at that place. Secretary Murray and Commissioner Smith made this announcement after a conference with President Roosevelt Wednesday.

Goldfield, Nev.—Gen. Funston arrived at 12:20 Thursday and was driven direct to the Casey hotel, where he went into conference with Gov. Sparks. Gen. Funston stated to the governor that he would remain here until the labor situation had cleared up and there was no longer danger of trouble. Gen. Funston says he is determined to take control of the camp under martial law upon the first outbreak of serious violence, but that he will not take any such action until the conditions warrant it.

QUEEN CAROLA IS DYING.

Last Sacraments Administered to Albert of Saxony's Widow.

Dresden.—The condition of Queen Carola, widow of King Albert of Saxony, who is suffering from nephritis, is hopeless. The last sacraments were administered Friday and the queen is not expected to live many hours. Queen Carola is a daughter of Prince Gustave Vasa of Sweden. She was married to Prince Albert of Saxony in 1853.

Minneapolis Pigeon Holds Record.

Boston. — At the twenty-seventh annual meeting of the International Federation of American Homing Pigeon Fanciers, which closed its session here Wednesday, the best record for the year was awarded to Tornado, belonging to Fred May, of Minneapolis, Minn., with a flight of 600 miles in 15 hours. Another record flight was by a bird owned by Dr. John Schilling, of Fort Wayne, Ind., which covered 1,000 miles in 47 hours

Carnegie Donates $2,000,000.

Washington.—Andrew Carnegie has added the sum of $2,000,000 to the $10,000,000 endowment fund of the Carnegie institute. Announcement of the fact was made at a dinner Tuesday night at the New Willard, of the board of trustees of the institute, to which had been invited a number of scientists and men prominent in public affairs.

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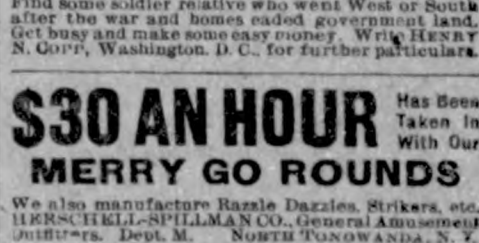

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OBITUARY.

Frederich Arnold was born in Meisenheim, Baden, Germany, Apr. 20, 1845 and came to this country with his parents when a lad six years old. The family settled in Clayton county, Iowa. The country was new and they were very poor, consequently had to endure many hardships and privations. Then the father's health failed, his eyes became impaired, he finally lost his sight and died in 1870. Thus the burdens and cares of the home were early thrust upon the only son. Hard work and strict economy were necessary to exist in those days. These conditions and environments contributed much toward moulding and shaping the character of the young man. As the country settled up and conditions changed, brighter days dawned. Favor and fortune began to smile upon them and they came to comfortable circumstances. In 1872 the deceased was joined in marriage to Mary Renziehausen. Their homes was blessed with three sons and three daughters all of whom were present at the funeral. Some years ago Mr. Arnold purchased a section of land near Klemme and in 1895 the old homestead was sold and the family moved to this county, purchasing several additional farmes and at the same time started the first bank in Klemme of which the deceased was president until his death Tho' favored with a strong body and rugged constitution, the hardships of former days had left their traces to tell in later years. About one year ago his vitality began to fail noticably. During the summer gangrene developed in lower limbs and he endured excruciating pains for many weeks. Later dropsy set in, his heart action began to fail and gradually his strength vanished. Everything possible was done to give him relief and add to his comfort, but with little result. He passed away on Thursday morning at 7 o'clock at the age 62 years, 7 months and 22 days. The funeral services were held Saturday afternoon. The attendance was one of the largest ever witnessed in Klemme. The German M. E. church was much too small to admit all who had come from every direction for miles around. Rev. Wessel preached a short sermon in the English language and Dr. Hirsch of Charles City followed in German The church choir furnished some very impressive music suitable to the occasion. Tho' Mr. A. was not a member of any church he always supported the same and believed in the principals of christianity. The minister was always welcome at his home. He had strong convictions of his own and could be quite out spoken at times, but he was kind-hearted and very sympathetic. He loved children and made much of home. He was much concerned about the bringing up of his children and giving them a good education. He dispised dishonesty and hypocrisy. During his sickness he spent much of his time in prayer. It was a severe struggle for him to give up his earthly possessions, ambition and plans and humbly, child like, commit himself to Him in whose presence he must soon appear, but he sought with the same determination and sincerity that he had always manifested in material things and we have reasons to believe he conquered. It was remarkable how meek and patient he became in spite of his sufferings. He is survived by his wife, three sons and three daughters, two sisters and three grand children. His remains were laid away in the Klemme cemetery. This community is in sympathy with the bereaved relatives.

The Colonel's Leg in History.

Col. Blank, who later called himself general, received, in a little skirmish of the Civil war, a slight scratch on the leg. In the days afterward he nursed his glorious wound with loving care and grew lamer year by year that the memory of his bravery might be ever fresh.

When grown old, as he sat one day caring for his leg and musing on the glorious past, a young man, a stranger visiting the family for a few days, approached him and inquired, sympathetically:

"Lame, general?"

"Yes, young man, I am lame."

"Been riding, sir?"

"No, sir," sternly and rebukingly. "I have not been riding."

"Ah, slipped on the ice, general?"

"No, sir!" with actual ferocity.

"Then, perhaps, sir, you have sprained your ankle?"

The old man slowly and carefully lifted his pet leg in both hands and tenderly set his foot upon the floor. Then he slowly rose from his seat and stood looking down with scornful pity at the unlucky youth. At last, in the sublimity of rage, he burst out:

"Go and read the history of your country, you puppy!"

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One day last week while Walker Schmidt was hauling manure with his manure spreader, his team became frightened and ran away His wife assisted him in trying to catch them and in the mix-up his wife was run over breaking her collar bone. She was in a very critical condition but at present is getting along as good as could be expected. Dr. Gilbert of Goodell and Dr. Zinn attended her. We hope for her speedy recovery.

BADLY MIXED UP.

Abraham Brown of Winterton, N. Y. had a very remarkable experience, he says: Doctors got badly mixed up over me. one said heart disease, two called it kidney trouble, the fourth blood poison and the fifth stomach and liver trouble. but none of them helped me so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all five doctors prescribed. Guaranteed to cure blood poison weakness and all stomach liver and kidney complaints by J L Harr & Co. druggist, 50c.

Avery Center.

Phil Behringer was on the sick list last week.

Will Bachman and family visited at Fred Haupt's Sunday.

Fred Grosz of Meservey visited his uncle Phil Behringer and family.

Henry Brade and Miss Meyers were Sundy visitors at Tom Hamilton.

Quite a number in Avery Center attended the show in Klemme last week.

Nettie Greffin who has been visiting her sister Mrs. F. Chase returned to her home in Garner Monday.

J. Hartfelder and wife and the Misses Gertrude and Francis Parker visited at John Tanner's Snnday.

SHOWING THE WEDDING GIFTS.

Charming Exhibitions Made at French Bridals.

In Paris most charming conceits are devised to enhance the effect of an exhibition of wedding gifts in the bride's home Sometimes the furniture is removed from one or two rooms to give space to show cases, where is made a tasteful array of the most delicate parts of the trousseau, and numberless bivelots. The heavier articles are suspended from screens or round the walls from hanging ribbons, pictures, or even dados of crinkled papier velours in some subdued shade. One of the most telling arrangements is dispersal against the walls of small tables covered with mignonette-green silk, and on which are artistically displayed the bridal treasures, to each of which is attached with a pink ribbon the card of the giver. The contents of every table are partly veiled by vaporous tulle held up to the wall by some bracket lamp, high statuette, and draped at the sides with large choux in pink satin. The coloring depends evidently on the prevailing tones of the house decoration. Such a treatment is light, tasteful and not too expensive. A scheme which involves larger reception rooms and a greater outlay of time and money consists of a triumphal arch in bamboo at the entrance to every door, often covered with climbers, whilst through the whole suite of rooms are distributed in profusion palm trees, jardinieres, tall vases and corbeilles full of flowers, giving the impression of a bower of flowers and foliage, in which are nestled the marvels of the bride's outfit and of her friends' generosity and taste.

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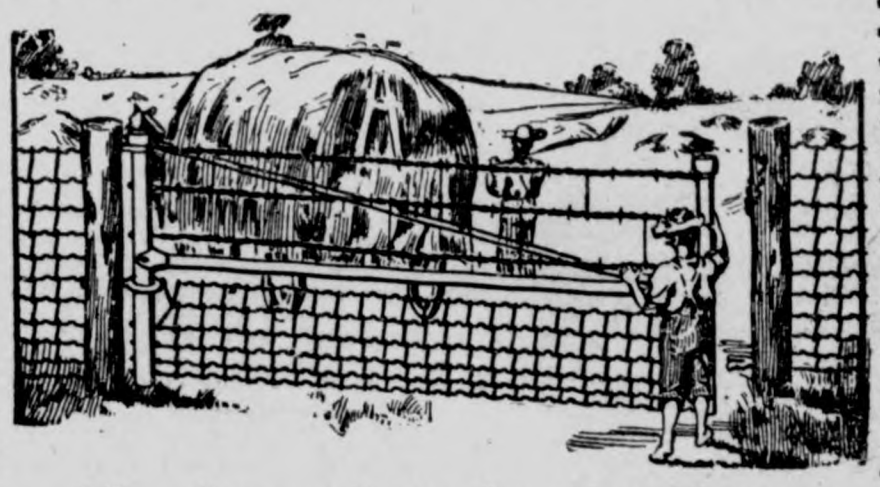

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TAFT'S TRIP ENDED

HE LANDS AT NEW YORK AND GOES ON TO WASHINGTON.

SCOFFS AT TALK OF WAR

Japan Wants Only Peace and Commerce—Ohioan Refuses to Discuss the Presidential Campaign.

New York.—William H. Taft, secretary of war, returned Friday from his trip around the world, bringing renewed assurance of Japan's friendliness toward the United States, but declining to say anything with respect to the political situation in this country.

He said that he had been too long out of intimate touch with political affairs at home to discuss them in any way. One of Mr. Taft's interviewers had the temerity to ask: "Well, secretary, tell us who is your choice for president."

Amid general laughter, in which he heartily joined, the secretary replied: "I guess I will have to leave that to inference."

Mr. Taft left for Washington on an early afternoon train, saying that ac-

William H. Taft.

cumulated matters in the war department would keep his nose to the official grindstone for some time to come, and that the preparation of his special report on the Philippines, which would be in book form, would also require much of his time in the near future.

"It is the height of foolishness to talk of possible war with Japan," declared the secretary. "Japan doesn't desire war with us and we certainly do not desire war with Japan. If there was any war spirit anywhere in Japan, I failed to find the slightest note of it. Everywhere there was talk of continued peace. I speak very confidently about this. Our trade relations with Japan are extensive and constantly growing. Japan's exports amount annually to about $160,000,000, of which we take about one-third. The exports consist largely of mattings, lace goods, embroideries and other fancy work, in the production of which many people are interested. We in turn ship vast quantities of flour, oil and such commodities to Japan. This sort of trade is a great pacificator."

"What about the Pacific fleet?"

"The sailing must have been a magnificent sight. We have fine ships and a fine personnel, and as long as the Pacific ocean belongs to us as much as to anybody else, I see no reason why we should not send our ships there on a practice cruise. The Japanese are too intelligent and high-minded to attribute any false motive to the movement.

Drowns in a Bathtub.

North Attleboro, Mass.—Frederick E. Sargeant, cashier and vice president of the Jewelers' National bank of this town, and prominently identified with Providence, R. I., and North Attleboro business firms, was found dead in the bathtub of his home in the bank building Tuesday night. Medical Examiner Holden stated that in his opinion death was due to accidental drowning.

IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

CAIN GOES UP FOR LIFE.

Murderer of Charles H Morris Must Go to Pen.

Des Moines.—Imprisonment for life in the penitentiary at hard labor is the penalty J. C. Cain must pay for shooting down Charles H. Morris at Enterprise last October. The jury reached a verdict of murder in the first degree after being out just three hours, including an hour for supper. Cain's guilt was established on the first ballot taken after the twelve men entered the jury room. It then only remained for them to decide the degree and the punishment. The next ballot resulted in a vote of eight for murder in the first degree and four for murder in the second degree. Two of the jurors who voted for second degree changed their votes on the third ballot. The next note resulted in all twelve jurors declaring for murder in the first degree. The fifth and last ballot resuted in a unanimous vote for life imprisonment. None of the jurors was in favor of inflicting the death penalty.

Cain shot Morris and Johnson on Oct. 16 at his home in Enterprise. Mr. Morris, who was superintendent of the Enterprise Mining company, and Johnson, who is manager of the Saylor Supply company, went to Cain's place on his invitation. After talking over the value of the property they started upstairs. Cain picked up a revolver and fired three shots, one striking Mr. Johnson in the back and two hitting Mr. Morris. Both men were brought to Mercy hospital, where Mr. Morris died ten days afterwards. Cain left Enterprise after the shooting and remained in hiding for three days, then gave himself up.

DAVENPORT NOT BLUFFING.

Saloons Close Promptly at 10 O'clock —Getting Bonds.

Davenport.—C. W. Lyon, assistant to Attorney General Byers, is in the city making sure that the Davenport Saloon keepers are obeying the mulct law in fact and not by pretense. He declared that every saloon keeper would have to file the $3,000 bond required by law, a formality which it is understood most of the saloon keepers hoped to be allowed to omit.

Mr. Lyon said regarding the results of his investigation.

"I made a trip around the downtown section of the city last night and found that the saloon keepers universally closed their doors and turned out their lights at 10 o'clock. As long as the saloon keepers show a disposition to get under the mulct law and take steps in this direction, no radical measures will be used to force them into it. They will be given a reasonable time to act of their own accord. We have set no definite time in which they must act."

Davenport awaits with intense interest the public announcement of the decision of the Kulp court martial. No one in Davenport talks of much except the saloon situation and the Kulp trial. Some hot headed persons suggested meeting Captain Kulp at the train with a brass band when he returned from the trial, but cooler counsels prevailed, and the city has settled back to wait for the worst, while hoping for the best.

ELOPERS IN HASTE.

Daughter of H. G. McMillan Weds at Marshalltown.

Marshalltown.—Hurrying from a train to the home of a minister, asking an immediate performance of a marriage ceremony, and leaving the city twenty minutes after the ceremony for a wedding trip throughout the south, was the culmination of events following an elopement of pretty Florence McMillan of Cedar Rapids, daughter of H. G. McMillan principal owner of the Farmers' Tribune of Sioux City, and former owner of the Cedar Rapids Republican, and an ex-United States district attorney, and Floyd B. O'Brien, son of a merchant of Ames.

It is claimed by friends here that the bride's parents objected to her marriage of O'Brien, wishing her to wed a Pennsylvania man.

Town Defies Standard Oil.

Decorah.—The city council of Decorah has defied the power and might of the Standard Oil company and ordered the great oil company to remove its distributing tanks here to a place of safety outside the city limits. The company protested through its attorneys, but the vote of the aldermen was 6 to 2 for removal. The tanks now are a menace to property and they have caused an increase in insurance rates on property nearby. Decorah has set a precedent in Iowa in this matter.

Waterloo Wants Convention.

Waterloo.—Waterloo expects to extend an invitation to the second republican state convention of 1908 to meet here. Waterloo is well situated to entertain it with its large auditorium and ample hotel facilities.

TWO KILLED; ONE INJURED.

Train Entering Des Moines Demolishes Buggy.

Des Moines.—While crossing the Great Western railroad tracks at Eighteenth street in southwest Des Moines, Mrs. B. F. Scofield was killed, Miss Alice French was fatally injured, dying later at Mercy hospital, and Miss Emilly Tafford was seriously hurt by a passing passenger train.

The women were coming from the Scofield home on Park avenue to Des Moines in a covered buggy. It was their intention to do their Christmas shopping. As they reached the Eighteenth street crossing the buggy was stopped by a passing freight train. After waiting until the freight train had passed by the horse was driven directly onto thec rossing, when it was struck by a flying passenger train coming from the opposite direction. The horse had cleared the track, but the buggy, filled with women, was hurled into the air and the occupants thrown for many feet.

Mrs. Scofield fell upon her head at the side of the track fully fifty feet from where the crash occurred. Miss French, a girl of 16, was picked up a few feet away in an unconscious condition, and Miss Trafford was writhing in pain from broken bones when she was found. The buggy was completely demolished.

The train was stopped and backed to the scene of the accident. The victims were placed in the baggage car and brought to Des Moines, where they were conveyed to Mercy hospital in ambulances. The body of Mrs. Scofield was taken to the Gray undertaking rooms.

A passenger on the train said it had had trouble all the way from Kansas City, passing through two herds of cattle and killing several. These accidents delayed the train three hours.

BIG DRAINAGE PLANS AHEAD.

Hamilton County Will Probably Spend $200,000 for Ditches.

Webster City.—Before the end of next year Hamilton county will have expended more than $200,000 in the construction of drainage ditches.

The largest of these will be the Robbins drainage ditch in Freedom township. An estimate for the construction of the ditch has been made by the county surveyor, who has placed the figure at $22,000. This will be one of the several largest drainage ditch contracts made in this county.

Another contract is to be let for the Brandrup ditch in Williams township. The estimated cost of the ditch by the county surveyor is $7,252. The other is the Elkins ditch in Webster and Hamilton townships at an estimated cost of $7,950.

Without doubt during 1908 bonds will be placed to the amount of about $100,000 to be used for drainage purposes. This will make a total of over $200,000 that will have been expended in the improvement of Hamilton county drainage.

THRILLING CHASE AND ARREST.

Alleged Thieves Jump From Train, Robbed Man in Pursuit.

Britt.—As train No. 8 on the Milwaukee was ready to pull out of here a passenger noticed that he had been relieved of his purse and $45. He immediately accused two young men who had occupied the seat with him, and as the train was moving they started to run and jumped off with the accuser in hot pursuit. They were lost in the darkness, but were located at Garner by telephone and brought here and identified by the man who was robbed. They were taken to Garner next morning by a deputy sheriff, as the grand jury is in session there, and if an indictment is found they will be given a speedy trial, as court is now in session.

Drunks Assault Marshal.

Rockwell.—Assaulted by a number of drunks while he was trying to arrest them, Marshal Craven of this place is at his home suffering from numerous bruises and injuries. The assailants are not all known, but the Gaffeny brothers have been placed under arrest. They waived the preliminary hearing and will bring the matter to the district court. The young men, it is said, went to Sheffield, where they filled upon booze and on their return were preparing to make things lively when interfered with by Marshal Craven, whom they at once assaulted.

Iowa Girl Makes Colorado Statue.

Denver, Col.—The statue of Winfield Scott Stratton, executed by Miss Nellie V. Walker, was erected in Colorado Springs on the 19th. Miss Walker is a noted sculptress, and is an Ottumwa, Ia., girl. She received $7,000 for the statute.

Mason City Man Loses Eye.

Mason City.—A. J. Brown will probably lost an eye as a result of a collision with a wagon while riding on a bicycle. The force of the collision threw him into the spokes of the revolving wagon wheel and he was painfully bruised and crushed.

STAND AND DELIVER.

RESCUE WORK IS HALTED

CONDITIONS IN DARR MINE ARE DANGEROUS TO EXPLORERS.

Father of Victim Commits Suicide and Widowed Woman Tries to End Her Life.

Jacobs Creek, Pa.—From the Darr mine of the Pittsburg Coal company, where a terrific explosion Thursday imprisoned and almost beyond doubt killed every one of the 200 or more men who had entered the mine for the day, only six bodies had been brought to the surface up to ten o'clock Friday night.

Others have been located and lie in the entry awaiting a propitious time for their removal to the temporary morgue. Most of them, however, are still hemmed in by heavy falls of slate and other roof formation, a mile and a half and more beyond the point to which the rescuers have penetrated up to this time.

Rescue work has been halted. A vast amount of bratticing must be done before it can proceed. The rescuing parties, 7,500 feet from the main entrance, have found conditions such that to avert an additional disaster precautionary work must be done. The poisonous gases must be forced from the sections beyond and additional air and ventilation must be provided for that section. To neglect these precautions and proceed with the explorations is to risk the life of every man of the rescuing force. To provide these safeguards will require hours of time, and it is not believed that the great mass of bodies will be reached before late Saturday afternoon.

Conditions round about the mines and in this town are greatly improved. The men who began a holiday celebration by drinking and feasting have sobered up and ceased their carousing and disorder.

Conrad Schuth, 48 years old, crazed by the death in the mine of his son and other relatives, ended his own life Friday by drowning in the river near the mine. He was a widower and leaves four small children.

Mrs. Carrino Delano was restrained from committing suicide with great difficulty. She lost her husband and two sons in the disaster, and in quest of the bodies was crossing the river in the "sky ferry," a basket car suspended from a cable, when she was seized with the idea of leaping into the stream. In the frail car the efforts of three men were required to restrain her until a landing was reached.

President John Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers of America, telegraphed from Indianapolis, authorizing district officials to draw upon the national treasury for $1,000 for relief of the families of the victims.

Prison for Lindenau.

Karlsruhe, Germany.—Karl Lindenau, who was being prosecuted on a charge of complicity in the libeling of Olga Molitor and of having attempted to blackmail her, was sentenced Friday to three years' imprisonment and to five years' loss of civil rights.

Fire in Oklahoma University.

Norman, Okla.—Painters at work on the dome of the main building of the University of Oklahoma accidentally set fire to the structure Friday afternoon. Vigorous work by students confined the flames to the main building.

TROOPS TO LEAVE GOLDFIELD.

President's Order Causes Sensation in the Nevada Town.

Washington.—President Roosevelt Friday administered a stinging rebuke to Gov. Sparks of Nevada for neglect of duty by the peace officers at Goldfield.

At the same time the president ordered withdrawn on December 30 the federal troops now at the mining town, because, as he telegraphed Gov. Sparks, he saw no reason why the federal government should do ordinary police duty which local authorities are unwilling, apparently, to perform.

Goldfield, Nev.—News of the president's order removing the federal troops from Goldfield on December 30 has caused a sensation among the mine owners and the residents of the city generally. The news was received at noon Friday and during the afternoon conferences were held between Capt. Cox, the representative of Gov. Sparks in Goldfield, and Col. Reynolds, commanding the troops here, and between the mine owners and members of President Roosevelt's commission.

President McKinnon and other officials of the miners' union said that the possibility of disorder or violence of any sort will be no greater after the removal of the troops than now, and that they will use every endeavor to maintain peace and quiet.

Attorney O. N. Hilton, sent here by President Moyer of the Western Federation to assist in effecting, if possible, a compromise for the Western Federation of Miners with the Mine Owners' association, after a conference with President McKinnon said that he was assured no violence would be attempted. He said also that the position of the miners of the Western Federation is unchanged.

LORD KELVIN PASSES AWAY.

Noted Scientist Is Dead at Glasgow, Aged 83 Years.

Glasgow.—Lord Kelvin, the noted scientist, died Tuesday.

William Thornton, first lord Kelvin, was born at Belfast, Ireland, June 26, 1824. He was a celebrated mathematician and physicist and occupied the chair of natural philosophy in Glasgow university from 1846 to 1899. He was knighted in 1866 and was created Baron Kelvin in 1892.

In the domain of heat, electricity and magnetism he was one of the great investigators of the century. He invented a number of instruments used in navigation and deep sea exploration and took a prominent part in the laying of the first submarine cables in the Atlantic.

For his efforts in behalf of science Lord Kelvin had been decorated many times, having been a grand officer of the Legion of Honor of France, a member of the Prussian Order, Pour le Merite, and commander of the Order of King Leopold of Belgium. He received honors also from the Japanese and other governments.

Engineer Faithful Unto Death.

Cleveland, O.—Engineer Frank Krag, 50 years old, of Buffalo, N. Y., though ill and faint, stayed at his throttle till he had brought his fast Lake Shore train safely into Collinwood yards Thursday afternoon. Then he stepped from his cab, and in a few minutes was dead. Krag was in his usual health when he took his train out of Buffalo. His illness came after the train had left Erie. The engineer had hardly strength enough to lower himself from the cab at Collinwood.

Mr. Barnes, American

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A Sequel to Mr. Barnes of New York

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SYNOPSIS.

Burton H. Barnes, a wealthy American touring Corsica, rescues the young English lieutenant, Edward Gerard Anstruthor, and his Corsican bride, Marina, daughter of the Paolis, from the murderous vendetta, understanding that his reward is to be the hand of the girl he loves, Enid Anstruther, sister of the English lieutenant. The four fly from Ajaccio to Marseilles on board the French steamer Constantine. The vendetta pursues and as the quartet are about to board the train for London at Marseilles, Marina is handed a mysterious note which causes her to collapse and necessitates a postponement of the journey. Barnes gets part of the mysterious note and receives letters which inform him that he is marked by the vendetta. He employs an American detective and plans to beat the vendetta at their own game. For the purpose of securing the safety of the women Barnes arranges to have Lady Chartris lease a secluded villa at Nice to which the party is to be taken in a yacht. Suspicion is created that Marina is in league with the Corsicans. A man, believed to be Corregio Danella, is seen passing the house and Marina is thought to have given him a sign. Marina refuses to explain to Barnes which fact adds to his latent suspicions. Barnes' plans for the safety of the party are learned by the Corsicans. The carriage carrying their party to the local landing is followed by two men. One of the horsemen is supposed to be Corregio. They try to murder the American. The cook on the yacht—a Frenchman—is suspected of complicity in the plot. The party anchors at St. Tropez. The yacht is followed by a small boat. The cook is detected giving signals to the boat. Barnes attempts to throw him overboard, but is prevented by Marina and Enid. The cook is found to be innocent of the supposed plot and is forgiven. The party arrive at Nice and find Lady Chartris and her daughter Maud domiciled in the villa rented with Barnes' money. Barnes is amazed to find that Count Corregio is at Nice and is acting the role of admirer to Lady Chartris.

BOOK TWO.

CHAPTER VII.

Maud's Confidences.

Miss Chartris pursues him along the walk between the citron and the orange trees, asking affrightedly: "Why do you look so terrible?"

For Barnes is meditating sardonically: "If it were only the scar-faced devil, I'd kill him on sight as I would a rattlesnake. But this one who has turned up here, the real Corregio Cipriano Danella, what has he done to me that I can at present justly destroy him? Neither Emory nor myself, from the signature on his check, could say he wrote those letters. If he did, the dastard threat against my coming bride would make me send Cip to the devil in very short order. But I must have proof."

A moment later her mother sweeps affably down to him. During Barnes' perusal of Emory's letters and enjoyment of Maud's confidences, Prunella has made a toilette that seems more elaborate than would be called forth by the arrival of relatives.

"What, back again so soon?" says the widow, pleasantly, leading Barnes to her parlor.

"Yes," observes that gentleman, "I forgot to mention that the reason you could treat us en famille is that tomorrow I am about to wed—"

"Enid!" screams the lady. "Oh, you darling boy!" and gives him a sudden, whole-souled kiss. After a moment she says deprecatingly: "This sudden mating will not permit of a grand wedding." Then, her eyes growing ex- at the thought of social success, she exclaims: "Of course, the town is growing deserted, but Adelaide Carrington at the De la Mediterranee, Milly Portman of the De Rome and Lilly Vivian at the Hotel des Anglais, are three charming English girls who will be delightful bridesmaids for Enid. Besides, Edwin could invite the officers of her majesty's Opal, which is lying off Monte Carlo. Oh, it shall be the most important wedding this season in the Riviera."

"It is the most important wedding to me," remarks Barnes, solemnly, "but it will be the most private one. Enid and I are only anxious to be wed. I must beg you to say nothing about this to anyone." The gentleman's tone is deferential but imperative. "To-night I shall drive into Nice and see the pastor of the English church. Here in this parlor, to-morrow evening, he shall say, by the blessing of God, the words that will make my darling mine."

"Oh, of course, if you so desire it, Burton," answers Prunella, affably. "I suppose Enid thinks she can manage some kind of a wedding gown by tomorrow evening."

"Anyway, that's the time," observes Barnes, quietly. All the while he is studying Lady Chartris, wondering if her appearance has attracted Corregio Cipriano Danella, or whether the Corsican has in some subtle way learned this is the retreat of the pursued, and is here on account of family vengeance.

"There is slight possibility that a man of 35 can be attracted by cosmetics," muses the American. Then he suddenly asks: "Has anyone called here for me?"

"Nobody, I believe. The only person I observed in Nice who knew you was la Belle—" Lady Chartris' cheeks glow with modest blushes of an English widow as she checks herself in the mentioning the awful Blackwood.

Barnes blushes also. When a man of the world is about to wed youth and purity, the follies of his wilder youth seem shameful things. So he cuts off this mention of the great American adventuress by saying shortly: "Mr. Emory, my agent, has not been for me yet?"

"Why, no, I haven't heard of Emory since we left Marseilles," remarks his hostess.

"Ask your servants, please. This matter is important."

Lady Chartris goes out and after a few minutes returns and says that she has questioned everyone in the house and they all assert that nobody since their arrival at the villa had called and asked for Mr. Barnes. "But if you don't bring your party on shore," prattles Prunella. "they'll be late for dinner, and—my goodness! I had forgotten—I have an engagement in Nice this evening, so I'll have to be leaving immediately after."

"Are We Never Going on Shore to Dinner?"

The additional tint upon the lady's cheeks shows that it is a love tryst.

"All right, I've got to see that minister," replies Barnes, easily, "so, if you'll be so good, you can drive me in to Nice. Now I'll get our party on shore." He lights a cigar and strolls rapidly down to the little landing place between ilex trees and oleanders, the thoughts of his coming nuptials raising his spirits.

"Since the new Danella is here, I'm glad to know it," he thinks. "A discovered danger is better than a hidden one. Who the deuce is that scar-faced scoundrel?"

Emory was to be here by the 4th—this very day. It's nearly expired and no signs of the detective, a man that Barnes knows is prompt in his appointments. "What can this mean?"

This is his reflection as he is in the boat being rowed alongside of the Wildfowl, for Edwin has had the yacht warped tolerably close to the landing stage, and the little pleasure vessel, looking like a slovenly merchant schooner, is now lying not over a hundred yards away from where the soft waters flap lazily upon the grounds of Lady Chartris' villa.

Barnes climbs hastily on board, takes the lieutenant to the retirement of the stern and rapidly tells him of the appearance of the true Corregio Cipriano Danella. "This complicates matters," he whispers. "The scar-faced scoundrel we could have put out of the way without compunction, but till this new arrival does some overt act I hesitate at sending him to Kingdom Come!"

"So we have been blaming these letters on the real Count Danella, when some other land pirate has been doing the dirty business," mutters Edwin, disgustedly.

"Of that I am not absolutely sure," answers Burton; then he asks: "Has Marina yet told you what her note contained?"

"Why, I was questioning her on that only a little while ago and she simply begged me to trust her. You see, I'm getting more and more anxious about her. As the time for landing gets nearer my bride grows more pale, more nervous, more despairing," sighs the young Englishman.

"And my sweetheart becomes more resolute, more determined. Bless her pluck, she is singing in the cabin now!" whispers Mr. Barnes.

"And yet," remarks her brother, gloomily, "my bride was as brave as Enid is, before her wedding. Can Marina know of some hidden danger of which my sister doesn't dream?"

"Then you're not the man I think you," answers Barnes, almost savagely, "if you, her husband, don't get it out of her. Don't you see, you've got to know; that no sentimental reason should stand between you and everything that is in your wife's mind, Edwin?"

"All right, Marina shall tell me tonight," answers the young sailor, determinedly. "But there's one thing we've got to do first, that's to see our girls are mighty safe for the present. I've fixed it, I think, pretty well with Graham. We leave the cook and one man aboard as anchor watch, and the mate takes his Scotch tars ashore and keeps careful lookout all night about the grounds."

"You've told them I'll reward them liberally?" remarks Barnes.

"Oh, it didn't require money. Graham and the rest of the crew have kind of got it into their heads that we are being pursued by some murdering foreign gang and the honest fellows from the land o' cakes are mighty eager to meet the Corsican thugs."

Here Enid stops the interview. "Are we never going on shore to dinner?" asks that young lady, hungrily, but laughingly, as she steps lightly on deck. "I heard your boat, Burton," she adds. "Please help me down the side ladder. Marina has Edwin's sailor skill to prevent her tumbling into the water. My, isn't he tender to her!" This last is whispered as Mrs. Anstruther, having come on deck, is half carried by her husband down the yacht's side to the cutter.

"Guess I can do the ladder act as well as he," and Burton's clutch upon his coming bride as he places her in the stern sheets of the boat is as fervid as that of the English bridegroom.

As the boat draws up to the landing stage Maud comes rushing down to the landing and cries eagerly: "Bully! Everybody on shore quick! Ma's got to drive into Nice after dinner to meet her new beau."

"Her new beau! How about Von Bulow?" laughs Edwin, as he assists the ladies to the landing stage.

"Oh, Von's on the back shelf!" cries Maud, letting her tongue run away with her. "Count Corregio Cipriano Danella is now first favorite."

At the name, Marina quivers as if under a blow. Then suddenly the nervous dread seems to leave her dark eyes and the courage of devoted love flies into them. She starts from her husband's arm, to which she has been clinging.

"By heaven, Marina knows this Cipriano Danella is the real king-pin of this death feud," is Barnes' astute reflection. He notes that the bride's head is held on high; that this delicate creature steps lightly but resolutely in front of her stalwart sailor husband as if to meet and shield him from coming danger. Her impassioned eyes affright the American. "My Lord," he shudders, "this devoted girl means to sacrifice herself in some way for this husband she adores. How? Eternal powers, I must find what that letter said!"

But Enid and Maud, as they step up the path, are now joking and laughing; the latter is saying she's such a good little girl she's to come in to dessert. "Keep your nuts and raisins for me, every one of you," she entreats.

At this, Marina smiles so blithely that Edwin whispers to Barnes: "Getting ashore makes her normal again."

Then after a few words of caution to Graham and his tars, who tie up the cutter and step ashore to patrol the outside of the grounds till morning, Anstruther follows the rest of the party to the house.

A few minutes after, the ladies already dressed for evening on the yacht, have thrown off their wraps and are seated at the dinner table of Lady Chartris which, influenced by Mr. Barnes' liberal purse, has become a luxurious one.

The attempt at youth in their hostess' appearance seems to strike the party simultaneously. Enid gazes at the marvelous effects of Madame Duval's art upon her ancient subject's face and can scarce restrain a merry snicker.

Marina, despite the conflicting emotions in her heart, smiles almost sadly, and proceeds during the progress of the meal to draw from Lady Chartris information of her new cavalier and how Cipriano Danella came to visit her. "Did his brother's recent death affect him greatly?" asks the young bride, eagerly.

"Oh," remarks Prunella, "when he begged to be presented to me in Marseilles, the count was very sad, but—"

"Cipriano met you in Marseilles," ejaculates Barnes, his fork stayed in air over his salad.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HAD THE BUSINESS INSTINCT.

Negro Knew What He Was After When He Lent the Money.

Ed was a mighty bright negro belonging to a family in Columbia, Tenn. He had been a faithful servant for many years, and by saving and carefully investing his wages he had belied the usual thriftlessness attributed with more or less justice to the majority of his race. His master was an attorney, and one morning, before he had arisen, the lawyer was called upon by Ed, who said: "Say, boss, Ah wants yo' ter draw me up a mawkgidge." "A mortgage?" asked his master. "What do you want a mortgage for?" "Well, Ah's done lent Unc' Lisha five dollahs, an' Ah wants a mawkgidge on his caw an' caff." "For how long have you lent the money?" "Fo' one monf." "One month! Why, the interest on that amount for that time wouldn't pay for the paper a mortgage is written on." "Boss," said Ed, scratching his head, "Ah ain't carin' nuffin' fo' dat intrust—Ah jes' wants dat niggah's cow an' caff."—Judge.

Served a Purpose.

"Mamma, what are all those holes in that cheese for?" asked little Ethel the first time she saw Switzer case.

"Oh, those holes, my dear, are to let the smell out," replied her mother.

"Phew! mamma, I shouldn't think they'd want to let it out!"—Washington Star.

Trusts Control Burma.

Burma is controlled by trusts. There are two transportation lines which always keep in reserve 5 per cent. of the importer's last six months' business, which is liable to forfeiture if an independent shipment is received.

Daily Thought.

The preservation of health is a duty. Few seem conscious that there is such a thing as physical morality.—Herbert Spencer.

BLOWS EXCHANGED IN HOUSE

WILLIAMS AND DE ARMOND RESORT TO FISTICUFFS.

Latter Calls Former a Liar and Lively Combat Ensues for a Moment.

Washington.—The spirit of rivalry that for five years has alternately smoldered and blazed between John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, leader of the minority, and David A. De Armond of Missouri, leader of the minority opposition, culminated in a fist fight Thursday on the floor of the house of representatives.

The blows of Mr. De Armond caused blood to flow down the face of Mr. Williams, and only the forcible intervention of friends cut the combat short. Mr. De Armond bore away a scuffed nose.

The immediate cause of the fight was the passing of the lie by Mr. De Armond to Mr. Williams, resultant of a complaint by the former that the minority leader had broken faith in "burying" Mr. Booher of Missouri by recommending his assignment by Speaker Cannon to the committee on coinage, weights and measures.

According to the statements of the principals, Mr. Williams defended his action by declaring he had been told by Mr. Booher's colleague, Mr. Lloyd of Missouri, that the committee assignment would be satisfactory to Mr. Booher. Mr. De Armond bluntly questioned the truth of the statement, and after the failure of an effort on his part to transfer the scene of controversy, Mr. Williams struck Mr. De Armond a blow in the face with closed fist.

The exciting incident will not be set down in the official records of the Sixtieth congress, for the house had been some minutes adjourned when the first blow was struck.

Some representative cried out: "Look, look at the fight." Everybody looked; but so startled were they by what they saw that no one seemed for the moment to think of rushing forward and stopping it. Meantime Mr. Williams and Mr. De Armond, wedged between two rows of desks, were still exchanging blows. Blood was flowing down the face of the leader of the minority, while Mr. De Armond was endeavoring to grasp his opponent by the throat, at the same time vigorously returning blow for blow.

Then everybody awoke to the unseemliness of the scene and crowded in and made an end of it.

CIGARETTES CAN BE SOLD.

Illinois Law Doesn't Prohibit It, Says Supreme Court.

Springfield, Ill.—The supreme court Wednesday handed down an opinion declaring the anti-cigarette law passed by the legislature this year does not apply to cigarettes which contain pure tobacco, but only to those cigarettes which contain substances deleterious to health. It holds that the legislature has the right under the exercise of its police power to pass an act prohibiting the sale of cigarettes, but that it cannot prohibit the sale of cigarettes under the present act, the title of which only provides for the regulation of the sale of cigarettes.

The act of June, 1907, prohibiting the sale of theater or amusement tickets for prices greater than the amount printed on the face of the tickets, was declared invalid.

The supreme court also decided that Mayor Busse of Chicago removed without authority five members of the school board appointed by Mayor Dunne.

MANY KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

Powder Magazine in Palermo Blows Up—Whole Town Shaken.

Palermo.—A terrific explosion occurred Thursday evening in the military powder magazine, where a large quantity of dynamite was stored, and was followed by a number of lesser explosions, the whole town being badly shaken and the people thrown into a panic. Almost immediately flames shot high in th air and spread to the ruins of houses that had fallen, adding greatly to the terror of those who were in the immediate neighborhood of the disaster.

It is estimated that about 25 persons were killed and a hundred others injured. Troops were ordered out to aid the firemen in clearing away the wreck and succoring the wounded.

Buck Hinrichsen Dead.

Alexandria, Ill. — W. H. Hinrichsen, familiarly known as "Buck" Hinrichsen, formerly treasurer and secretary of the state of Illinois, died at his home here Wednesday from paralysis after a long period of declining health. Mr. Hinrichsen was about 59 years of age and was secretary of state during the administration of Gov. Altgeld. He had been a conspicuous figure in Illinois politics for many years.

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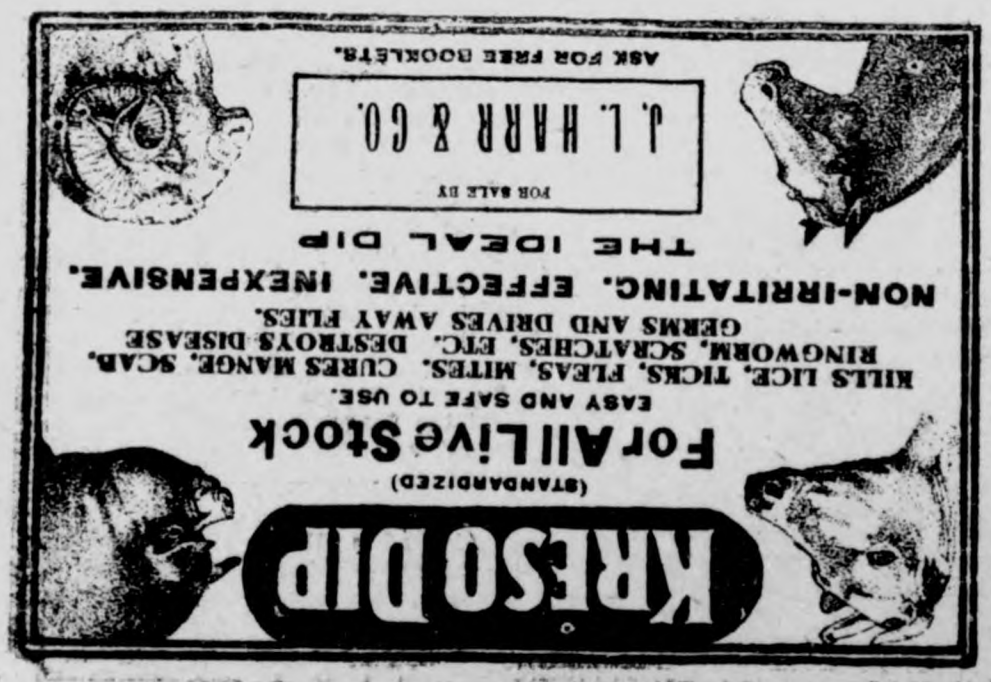
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German M. E. Church Items

A happy new New Year to all.

Mary Greffin was a Germantown caller last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Siersor of Alamakee county are visiting with Carl Greffin and family.

Bertha Reinhardt left last week for Lowell, Wis. to spend the holidays with her folks.

Edith Merten of Garner, was the guest of Mrs. F. C. Griewe and Emma Sampson over Sunday.

Martin Lau and two of his daughters are calling on their numerous friends in and around Klemme.

Geo. Gruetzmacher and his mother went to Charles City on Monday to spend Christmas with Chas. Gruetzmacher and family.

Hugo and Comilla Neff are home from college to spend their holiday vacation. Ben Lau also came home last week from Cedar Rapids.

Adolf Ridder and famil came down from Fenton last Saturday and took in the tin wedding. They spent Christmas with Mrs. Ridder's parents.

Wesley Schaper of Pearl City, Ill. is spending Christmas with his uncle G. I. Schaper and his aunt Mrs. Tanner. It is five years ago since he and parents left this community.

Fred Lenz and wife of Beltrami, Minn. arrived last week in time to attend the tin-wedding of their daughter and son-in-law. They will spend some time visiting their relatives and many friends in this vicinity.

The writer of this week's locals has had four evenings for himself in eleven weeks and would enjoy a few evenings at home around a pleasant fire or in his study. We have had as much as twelve meetings per week.

Ye scribe and family were invited to a family gathering at the home of Wm. Sampson on the second Christmas day. Eight families were present and old and young had a royal good time. Miss Emma had prepared a barbecue dinner and the good things were so abundant, that only one thing was lacking—the appetite to eat more.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Beier had invited a number of their relatives and friends last Saturday to help them celebrate their wedding anniversary. It was 10 years ago since they had started out on their matrimonial voyage. Their lot has been a pleasant one in general and they were very happy and greatful in reviewing the past. Some 40 guests were present and all had a delightful time. They received enough tin ware to do them for a long time.

The Christmas programs in both churches passed off very pleasantly. In Germantown the church was comfortably full but in Klemme it was crowded and packed and the people almost stood on each other. It is not for us to say which cantata was carried out the best, but we feel safe in saying that both were listened to by all with interest. Santa Claus made his appearance and had a part in both programs. Erick Josten and Albert Koerner acted out this part with dignity and precision and their solos were well rendered. The songs by the little folks to Santa, bear special mention. Very few know how much work it takes to get up a cantata and drill the little folks, hence so few parents appreciate the work done by those getting it up, at least few ever show their appreciation.

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Not only because her physicians are so much more skillful than the doctors usually found in towns of this size that they should hardly be mentioned in the same breath.

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LOCAL NEWS

J. L. Harr & Co. change of ad.

Art Wellemeyer has a resolution ad this week.

Don't forget the State Savings for a calendar this year.

Glasses fitted and satisfaction guaranteed at J L Harr & Co.

Mrs. J. Gruetzmacher visited with her sister Mrs. J. Schuler on Monday.

Fred Schuldt, Frank Freie and Ben Lau attended the dance at Goodell Wednesday evening.

DeWitt's carbolized witch hazel salve—don't forget the name and accept no substitute. Get DeWitt's. It's good for piles. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Lubbe Alberts of Klemme and Fred Alberts of Belmond are added on our list as new subscribers to the Times. We have room for others.

You know as well as any one when you need something to regulate your system. If you bowels are sluggish, your food distresses you, your kidneye pain take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It always relieves. 35c tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

Mr. L. Mann, father of this scribe, came down from Garner this Thursday evening and will assist us and the boys in keeping bachelors hall.

Thousands of men and women in all walks of life are suffering from kidney and bladder troubles. Don't neglect your kidneys. Delays are dangerous. DeWitt's kidney and bladder pils afford quick relief for all forms of kidney and bladder trouble. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

NOTICE—To conform with the times town calls will be reduced $1.00 and night calls extra. Country calls first mile $1.00 and each additional mile 50c, night calls extra.

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The First National Bank has a change of ad.

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Call at the State Bank for one of those beautiful calendars.

Watches and jewelry at J. L. Harr & Co. All goods warranted. tf

Chas. Stiehl and wife are visiting over the holidays with relatives at Davenport.

L A. Jensen and wife of Ft. Dodge, are visiting with Henry Freie and family.

Wallace Pavey spent Christmas day with a particular friend of his near Garner.

We can fit that sewing machine of yours with needles and shuttles at Schuler's. tf

Herman Schneider and Geo. Wellemeyer drove down from Garner Saturday evening.

I am selling childrens headwear at Cost Those pretty bear skin hoods at almost one-half price. Mrs. J. Josten.

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And enters winter with his key
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H. Troxel of Garrison, Iowa, is visiting with E. M. Pavey and family and J. W. Scott and family. He also made the Times office a pleasant call.

Just a little Cascasweet is all that is necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peevish. Cascasweed contains no opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommended by mothers everywhere. Conforms to the National Pure Food Law. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

NOTICE.—Cottage for sale, two blocks south-west of Court House two lots, good well and barn. We also offer our residence property for sale. Inquire at THE TIMES office or Mr. Mann, Garner, Iowa.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's catarrh reedy. Sold by All Dealers.

Mrs. H. Mann and daughter Lucile left on Monday for a two week's visit with her parents and relatives at Garden City, Minn. During their absence the old man and sons are keeping bachelors hall

Are you having trouble with your kidneys? There are lots of people today who wonder why they have pains across the back why they are tired and lacking in energy and ambition. your kidneys are wrong. They need relief without delay. Take DeWitt's kidney and bladder pills, they are for weak back inflammation of the bladder backache and weak kidneys. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

Christmas exercises were observed in the German M. F. church Wednesday evening. The exercises were carried out in full and every one who took part in the programme did nobly well. The attendance was very large.

Whenever you feel that your stomach has gone a little wrong or when you feel that it is not in good order as it evidenced by mean headaches nervousness bad breath and belching take something at times and especially after your meals until relief is afforded. There is nothing better offered the public today for stomach troubles dyspepsia indigestion etc. than Kodol. This is a scientific preparation of natural digestants combined with vegetable acids and it contains the same juices found in every healthy stomach. Kodol is guaranteed to give relief. It is pleasant to take, it will make you feel fine by digesting what you eat. Sold by J L Harr & Co.

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Change of ad for the State Savings Bank this week.

The Times wishes it's readers a happy and prosperous New Year.

All glass set free of charge if brought to the store of G. F. Schuler. tf

Adolph Ridder and wife of Fenton, Iowa, are visiting with his brothers and families.

Mrs. Adolph Ridder and her sister Miss Minnie Lenz were at Garner between trains Monday.

Arthur Shupp wife and daughter left Tuesday for Clear Lake where they will visit with his folks over the holidays.

NOTICE—I will have my blacksmith shop open for business all next week. Call in.

Chas. Kraus.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

John Hartwick, Giard, Iowa

Word was received that Mac Lamson had died at Wichita, Kansas His body was shipped to Garner and his funeral will take place in Garner Friday afternoon.

This is the season of decay and weakened vitality. good health is hard to retain. If you'd retain yours fortify your system with Hollister's Rocy Mountain Tea the surest way. 35 cts tea or tablets. J L Harr & Co.

John N. Day who has a good position in the head office of the Northern Lumber Co. at Estherville returned last week Saturday for his holiday vacation with his wife and relatives.

There is something about Kennedys laxative cough syrup that maes it different from others as it causes a free yet gentle action of the bowels through which the cold is forced out of the system. At the same time it heals irritation and allays inflammation of the throat and lungs. It is pleasant to take. Children like it. Contains no opiates nor narcotics. Sold by J L Larr & Co.

J. L. Harr and children left on Tuesday evening for Charlton, Iowa for a visit over the holidays with relative. During Mr. Harr's absence Mr. Arthur Gibbs will have charge of his store.

To check a cold quic get from your druggist some little candy cold tablets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing Preventics for they are not only safe but decidedly effective and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine no laxative nothing harsh nor sicening. Taken at the sneeze stage preventics will prevent pneumonia, bronchitis, lagrippe, etc. Hence the name preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 preventics 25c. Trial boxes 5 cts. Sold by All Dealers.

Harbert Dickues, cousin of the Alberts' brothers of Germany, expects to make United States his future home. He started from there Nov. 21st and should be here now. The boys are alarmed that something might have happened to him as he should have been here before this time.

A tickeling cough from any cause is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's cough cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless and safe that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to young babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountain ous shrub furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's cough cure. It calms the cough and heals the sore and sensative bronchial membranes. No opium no chloroform nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract that help to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the Doctor uses "The Sacred Herb." Always demand Dr. Shoop's cough cure. All Dealers.

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This scribe and sons spent Christman day in Garner.

F. J Wenck spent Christmas day with his parents at Garner.

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THE CHILDREN LIKE IT
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H. Kraus and children of Elkader and Chris. Lau's daughter of Elkport, Iowa, are visiting with Chas. Kraus and family.

A new lot of picture molding just received at Schuler's. Bring in those pictures you have stored away and have them framed. tf

Geo. Gruetzmacher and his mother left Monday for Charles City where they will visit over hristmas with Chas. Gruetzmacher and family.

We would be pleased to hear from those that are oweing us on both book and subscription accounts on or before January 1st. We need the money.

Ben Lau who is attending the Cedar Rapids Business College returned last week Saturday for his holiday vacation at home. Ben is making good progress.

Both the German Retormed and Eng. M. E. churches had Christmas exercises on Tuesday evening. Both churches were largely represented and their programmes were carried out with a credit to both.

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The Diamond Concert Co. who were with us for one week closed their week's engagement last week Saturday and left for Thompson on Monday. During ther stay here they gave us good entertainmant well worth the price of admission and they sold a large amount of remedies also several prizes were given away. The company as a whole were ladies and gentlemen. In their voting contest as to the most popular lady several candidates were voted for but the ladies who received the largest total of votes were Miss Selm Schroeder and Miss Fronie Freie. Miss Schroeder received a total of 25,375 votes while Miss Freie received a total of 24,580, leaving Miss Schroeder a majority of 795 votes. The prize awarded by the company was a gold watch. Miss Schroeder wishes to express many thanks to Diamond Concert Co. and especially to the people who took part in the voting contest for the gift that they presented to her.

A REAL WONDERDAND.

South Dakota with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations is a vertible wonderland. At Mound City in the home of Mrs. E D Clapp a wonderful case of healin: has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. Exhausting coughing speils occurred every five minutes, writes Mrs. Clapp when I began giving Dr. King's new discovery the great machine that saved his life and completely cured him. Guaranteed for coughs and colds throat and lung troubles by J L Harr & Co.

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THE NEW-BORN YEAR.

YESTERNIGHT the year lay dying;'
By his lowly couch we met,
Bringing ivy-leaves, and trying,
Some with smiles and some with sighing
To remember—or forget.

Now the nursling year is waking,
And we gaze into his eyes
Heedless of his sire's forsaking,
In his cradle he is taking
Gifts from earth and sea and skies.

Dawn of gold and sunset gleaming,
April eve and Junetide morn,
Things of truth and not of seeming,
These have glorified his dreaming,
He the heir, the newly born.

In his tiny grasp he treasures
Riches that may soon be ours—
Sunlight gold in brimming measures,
Meadow fragrances and pleasures,
Honeyed wine distilled of flowers.

Soon the child will frolic lightly
O'er his father's grass-green grave;
Day shall be his playmate brightly,
And his sleep be sweetened nightly
By the songs of wind and wave.

ARTHUR L. SALMON.

New Year Irresolutions

The Widow Discusses Them With the Bachelor.

By HELEN ROWLAND

ISN'T it hard, said the widow, glancing ruefully at the holly-wreathed clock on the mantel-piece, to know where to begin reforming yourself?"

"Great heavens!" exclaimed the bachelor, "you are not going to do anything like that, are you?"

The widow pointed solemnly to the hands of the clock, which indicated 11:30, and then to the calendar, on which hung one fluttering leaf marked December 31.

"It is time," she sighed, "to begin mental house-cleaning; to sweep out our collection of last year's follies and dust off our petty sins and fling away our old vices and—"

"That's the trouble!" broke in the bachelor. "It's so hard to know just what to throw away and what to keep. Making New Year's resolutions is like doing the spring housecleaning or clearing out a drawer full of old letters and sentimental rubbish. You know that there are lots of things you ought to get rid of, and that are just in the way, and that you would be better off without, but the minute you make up your mind to part with anything, even a tiny, insignificant vice, it suddenly becomes so dear and attractive that you repent and begin to take a new interest in it. The only time I ever had to be taken home in a cab was the day after I promised to sign the pledge," and the bachelor sighed reminiscently.

"And the only time I ever overdrew my bank account," declared the widow, "was the day after I had resolved to economize. I suppose," she added pensively, "that the best way to begin would be to pick out the worst vice and discard that."

"And that will leave heaps of room for the others and for a lot of new little sins, beside, won't it?" agreed the bachelor cheerfully. "Well," he added philosophically, "I'll give up murdering."

"What!" the widow started.

"Don't you want me to?" asked the bachelor plaintively, rubbing his bald spot. "Or perhaps I might resolve not to commit highway robbery any more or to stop forging or—"

"All of which is so easy!" broke in the widow sarcastically.

"There'd be some glory and some reason in giving up a big vice," sighed the bachelor, "if a fellow had one. But the trouble is that most of us men haven't any big criminal tendencies, merely a heap of little follies and weaknesses that there isn't any particular virtue in sacrificing or any particular harm in keeping."

"And which you always do keep, in spite of all your New Year's vows," remarked the widow ironically.

"I understand," interrupted the widow sympathetically.

"And, by Jove!" finished the bachelor, "I had to restrain myself to keep from going back and proposing to her!"

"How lucky you did!" commented the widow witheringly.

"But I wouldn't have," explained the bachelor ruefully, "if the girl had restrained herself."

"Nevertheless," repeated the widow. "It was lucky—for the girl."

"Which girl?" asked the bachelor. "The girl I broke off with or the girl that came afterward?"

"I suppose," mused the widow ignoring the levity and leaning over to arrange a bunch of violets at her belt, "that is why it is so difficult for a man to keep a promise or a vow—even a marriage vow."

"Oh, I don't know." The bachelor leaned back and regarded the widow's coronet braid through the smoke of his cigar. "It isn't the marriage vows that are so difficult to keep. It's the fool vows a man makes before marriage and the fool promises he makes afterward that he stumbles over and falls down on. The marriage vows are so big and vague that you can get all around them without actually breaking them, but if they should interpolate concrete questions into the service such as, 'Do you, William, promise not to growl at the coffee—'

"Or, 'Do you, Mary, promise never to put a daub of powder on your nose again?'" broke in the widow.

"Nor to look twice at your pretty stenographer," continued the bachelor.

"Nor to lie about your age, or your foot or your waist measure."

"Nor to juggle with the truth whenever you stay out after half-past ten."

"Nor to listen to things that—that anybody—except your husband may say to you in the conservatory—oh, I see how it feels!" finished the widow with a sympathetic little shudder.

"And yet," reflected the bachelor, "a woman is always exacting vows and promises from the man she loves, always putting up bars—for him to jump over; when if she would only leave him alone he would be perfectly contented to stay within bounds and graze in his own pasture. A man hates being pinned down; but a woman doesn't want anything around that she can't pin down, from her belt and her theories to her hat and her husband."

"Well," protested the widow studying the toe of her slipper, "it is a satisfaction to know you've got your husband fastened on straight by his promises and held in place by his own vows and that he loves you enough to—"

"Usually," interrupted the bachelor, "a man loves you in inverse ratio to his protestations. The lover who promises all things without reserve is too often like the fellow who doesn't question the hotel bill nor ask the price of the wine, because he doesn't intend to pay it anyway. The fellow who is prodigal with his vows and promises and poetry is generally the one to whom such things mean nothing and, being of no value, can be flung about generously to every girl he meets. The firm with the biggest front office is likely to be the one with the smallest deposit in the safe. The man who swears off loudest on New Year's is usually the one they have to carry home the morning after. And the chap who promises a girl a life of roses is the one who will let her pick all the thorns off for herself."

"Perhaps," sighed the widow, chewing the stem of a violet thoughtfully, "the best way to cure a man of a taste for anything, after all, is to let him have too much of it instead of making him swear off. If you want him to hate the smell of a pipe insist on his smoking all the time. If you want him to sign the temperance pledge, serve him wine with every course. If you want him to hate a woman, invite her to meet him every time he calls, and tell him how 'suitable' she would be."

"And if you want him to love you," finished the bachelor, "don't ask him to swear it, but tell him that he really ought not to. The best way to manage a donkey—human or otherwise—is to turn his head in the wrong direction and he'll back in the right one."

"Then," said the widow decisively, we ought to begin the New Year by making some irresolutions."

"Some—what?"

"Vows that we won't stop doing the things we ought not to do," explained the widow.

"All right," agreed the bachelor thoughtfully, "I'll make an irresolution to go on making love to you as much as I like."

"You mean, as much as I like, Mr. Travers," corrected the widow severely.

"How much do you like?" asked the bachelor, leaning over to look into the widow's eyes.

The widow kicked the corner of the rug tentatively.

"I like—all but the proposing," she said slowly. "You really ought to stop that—"

"I'm going to stop it—to-night."

The widow looked up in alarm.

"Oh, you don't have to commence keeping your resolutions until to-morrow morning," she said quickly.

"And are you going to stop refusing me—to-night," continued the bachelor firmly.

The widow studied the corner of the rug with great concern.

"And," went on the bachelor, taking something from his pocket and toying with it thoughtfully, "you are going to put on this ring"—he leaned over, caught the widow's hand and slipped the glittering thing on her third finger. "Now," he began, "you are going to say that you will—"

The widow sprang up suddenly.

"Oh, don't, don't, don't!" she cried. "In a moment we'll me making promises!"

"We don't need to," said the bachelor, leaning back nonchalantly, "we can begin by making—arrangements. Would you prefer to live in town or at Tuxedo? And do you think Europe or Bermuda the best place for the—"

"Bermuda, by all means," broke in the widow, "and I wish you'd have that hideous portico taken off your town house, Billy, and—" But the rest of her words were smothered in the bachelor's coat lapel—and something else.

"Then you do mean to marry me, after all!" cried the bachelor triumphantly.

The widow gasped for breath and patted her hair anxiously.

"I—I meant to marry you all the time!" she cried, "but I never thought you were really in earnest and—"

"Methinks," quoted the bachelor happily, "'that neither of us did protest too much.' We haven't made any promises, you know."

"Not one," rejoined the widow promptly, "as to my flirting."

"Nor as to my clubs."

"Nor as to my relatives."

"Nor my cigars."

"And we won't make any vows," cried the widow, "except marriage vows."

"And New Year's irresolutions," added the bachelor.

"Listen!" cried the widow softly, with her fingers on her lips.

A peal of a thousand silver bells rang out on the midnight air.

"The chimes!" exclaimed the widow. "They're full of promises."

"I thought it sounded like a wedding bell," said the bachelor, disappointedly.

"Maybe," said the widow, "it was only Love—ringing off."—Los Angeles Times.

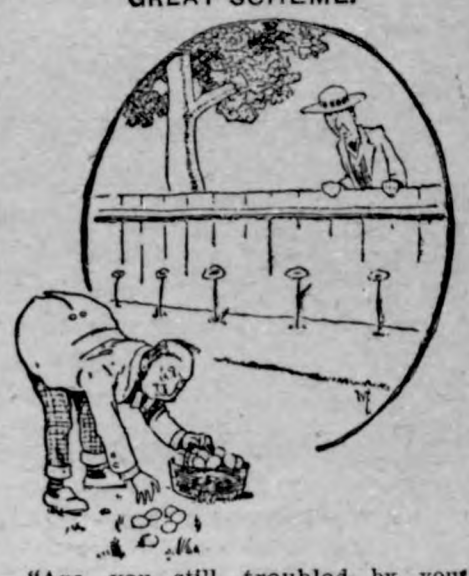
Advice.

"So you are anxious to go into public life," said the influential man.

"Yes. How would you advise me to go about it?"

"Well, if you are personally ambitious I should suggest politics. If your wife is socially ambitious I should suggest diplomacy."

GREAT SCHEME.



"Are you still troubled by your neighbor's chickens?" asked one man of another.

"Not a bit," was the answer. "They are kept shut up now."

"How did you manage it?"

"Why, every night I put a lot of eggs in the grass very carefully, and every morning, when my neighbor was looking, I went out and brought them in."

THOUGHT CHILD WOULD DIE.

Whole Body Covered with Cuban Itch—Cuticura Remedies Cured at Cost of Seventy-Five Cents.

"My little boy, when only an infant of three months, caught the Cuban Itch. Sores broke out from his head to the bottom of his feet. He would itch and claw himself and cry all the time. He could not sleep day or night, and a light dress is all he could wear. I called one of our best doctors to treat him, but he seemed to get worse. He suffered so terribly that my husband said he believed he would have to die. I had almost given up hope when a lady friend told me to try the Cuticura Remedies. I used the Cuticura Soap and applied the Cuticura Ointment and he at once fell into a sleep, and he slept with ease for the first time since two months. After three applications the sores began to dry up, and in just two weeks from the day I commenced to use the Cuticura Remedies my baby was entirely well. The treatment only cost 75c, and I would have gladly paid $100 if I could not have got it cheaper. I feel safe in saying that the Cuticura Remedies saved his life. He is now a boy of five years. Mrs. Zana Miller, Union City, R. F. D. No. 1, Branch Co., Mich., May 17, 1906."

NOT TO BE TAKEN LITERALLY.

Colored Deacon's Prayer a Wonder of Poetic Imagery.

"Between emotionalism and formalism in religion," says a Washington clergyman, "there is a golden mean—a reflection that came to me recently upon the conclusion of my remarks to a colored congregation in Richmond.

"I had invited an aged deacon to offer prayer. 'Oh, Lord,' prayed he, 'gib dis pore brudder de eye of de eagle, dat he spy out sin afar off. Glue his hands to de gospel plow. Tie his tongue to de line of truf. Nail his yere to de gospel pole. Bow his head 'way down between his knees, oh Lord, an' fix his knees 'way down in some lonesome, dark and narrer valley, where prayer is much wanted to be made. 'Noint him wif de kerosene-ile of salvashun, an' set him on fire!'"

Not for That Kind of Fire.

The Edmonton firemen are complaining about people sending in alarms from the new boxes by trying to post letters in them. A young fellow was noticed the other day gazing lovingly at a letter as he stood on the street corner. After fondling it for a moment, he went up to a fire alarm box and tried to get it inside. A passer-by, who had been watching him, however, intervened: "I know your heart's on fire," he observed, "but I think you had better use the box at the next corner."

NEW YEAR'S DAY IN CHINA.

The Breakfast Is a Poetic and Religious Rite.

Except at the Chinese New Year, which comes in February, it is very hard to catch a glimpse of children in China. Little beggars will run beside you for miles to earn one "cash," a copper coin with a square hole in the middle of it, worth the twentieth part of a cent; but children who have parents to care for them seem to be kept indoors all the time, or only allowed to play in walled yards and gardens, writes Bertha Runkle in St. Nicholas. We used to say to each other: "Why, where are the children? Haven't they got any?" But at New Year's we found out that they had.

This is the great holiday of all the year in China, when everybody hangs out flags and colored lanterns and sets off firecrackers. (We borrowed our custom of firecrackers for the Fourth of July from Chinese New Year's.) All the people put on their very best clothes, and the children the best of all, jackets and trousers of bright blue or green or yellow or purple, the boys and girls so much alike that you can only tell them apart by their hair. The boy's, of course, is braided in a pigtail, and the girl's is done up on her head with silver pins, or, if she's a very grand little girl, with gold or jade. Thus decked out, the children go walking with their proud papas and mammas, and often go to the theater, which is a rare treat for them.

Perhaps Chinese children have romping plays together, but they always look as if they were born grown up.

Caution.

"No, I've nothing for you," snapped the woman. "Why don't you look for work?"

"Madam," responded the applicant for a handout, "no later than this morning I read of a man near here who starved to death while looking for work. I do not desire to annoy this hospitable community by expiring in its midst."

MEASURE A STRINGENT ONE.

Our First Law Against the Freedom of the Press.

Under the provisions of this law, anyone who wrote, printed, uttered or published any false, scandalous or malicious matter against the government, the congress or the president of the United States, or which tended to bring them into hatred or contempt, could be punished by heavy fines and imprisonment; and the statute was so worded as to penalize not only honest criticism of the executive, but even the free expression of opinion. No legislation more fatal to the popularity of Adams' administration could possibly have been devised; but although the sole responsibility for its enactment has frequently been charged to the president, it cannot justly be laid at his door. His fussy, sensitive, conscientious, frotchety, tactless nature had doubtless been more stung by the lampoons and critical attacks of the pamphlets and newspapers than that of any other official; but the abuse of the press had been so general that scarcely a man in public life had escaped defamation, and the act had been rushed through both houses of congress by a vote which distinctly stamped it with the approval of the whole administration party.—Harper's Magazine.

New Year's Calls.

The custom of visiting and sending presents and cards on New Year's day is recorded almost as far back as history goes. The practice of using visiting cards can be traced back for thousands of years by the Chinese. Their New Year's visiting cards are curiosities. Each one sets forth not only the name, but all the titles of its owner, and, as all Chinamen who have any social position at all have about a dozen, it makes the list quite appalling. These cards are made of silk or else of fine paper backed with silk and are so large that they have to be rolled up to be carried conveniently. They are, indeed, so valuable that they are returned to their owners.

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Situation Extremely Strained—Declares General Funston Agreed on this Point.

Reno, Nev., Dec. 22.—From his bed yesterday Governor Sparks, who is very ill, made the following statement in explanation of his part in asking President Roosevelt to send troops to Goldfield:

"Throughout this whole controversy I have acted according to my best judgment. I believed from advices received from confidential agents in Goldfield that there was trouble imminent in the mining camps. I know that dynamite had been stolen from the mines, that the miners are armed and prepared for trouble, and the picketing of mines and preventing men from working was damaging property.

"I was also advised that the sheriff and other civil authorities were unable to cope with the situation. I made these facts known to the president and in the absence of any statement I advised that troops be sent to prevent trouble. I thought no good could be had from calling a special session of the legislature.

"While I was in Goldfield I investigated personally the conditions that prevailed. I found that the business men were afraid of violence and that the women were in terror. Dozens of women have left the camp because they have feared trouble. I found that there was an organized band of 'high graders' and that the sheriff is absolutely unable to secure a conviction of any ore thieves. I learned that there are over 1,000 rifles in the possession of the miners and that the spirit of many of the men is such as to warrant me believing that those rifles would be used upon small pretext.

"While General Funston was there I conferred with him frequently. After he had made a thorough investigation seeking information from all sources, he told me that it was his opinion that the troops had arrived none to soon. I think he considered the situation grave and he gave me to understand that he indorsed my action in requesting that the troops be sent. He practically stated that a portion of the troops would remain in Goldfield until winter had passed.

"President Roosevelt has evidently acted upon advice of the commission which he sent to investigate. They were there a short time and their investigations were perforce much more incomplete than those conducted by General Funston. I have always had a high regard for the president, but I believe he has made a serious mistake. I hope that no blood will stain the streets of Goldfield, but I fear before many days have passed some violent outbreak will prove the unwisdom of his act.

"I have given no thought to issuing a special call for the legislature. If I thought I could accomplish anything by so doing I would not hesitate a second. I shall do all in my power to maintain order, however."

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23—It was stated at the White house last night that telegraphic appeals sent by civic bodies, mine owners and individuals of Goldfield to President Roosevelt urging upon him the necessity for retaining a portion of the federal troops at Goldfield indefinitely had been received, but that no action had been decided upon.

Adjutant General Ainsworth stated last night that the order signed by Secretary Taft yesterday directing that General Funston withdraw all the federal troops at Goldfield Dec. 30 was forwarded yesterday.

MILK MEN INDICTED.

Grand Jury Accuses Fifteen of Them With Conspiracy.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—The grand jury yesterday returned indictments against fifteen members of the Illinois Milk Dealers' association charging conspiracy to raise the price of milk. The indictments are the result of the investigation begun by States Attorney Healey.

Among those indicted are William J. Rogers, president of the Borden Condensed Milk company; Charles A. Wright of Chicago, manager, and John R. Marsh, superintendent of the Borden company; J. R. Bowman, president of the Bowman Dairy company; C. E. Peck, of the same company; George L. Chappelle of the Kee & Chappelle Dairy company; Ira Mix, of the Ira Mix Dairy company, and Howard Wanser, Charles Wanders, Edward F. Newton and Thomas F. Gore, local dairymen.

Jury All of Women.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 22.—For the first time in Colorado's history, and perhaps in the history of the country as well, a jury composed entirely of women has been called into service and sat throughout a law suit, finally rendering a verdict. The suit was one being tried before Justice Carlon, and involved the question whether or not a garment purchased by a woman from a local merchant fitted the purchaser. The jury found that it did fit.

ONE CAUSE FOR SATISFACTION.

Drummer Found Something Good Even in Railroad Accident.

A state senator of New York says he was riding in the smoking car on a little one-track road in the northern part of the state two weeks ago, and in the seat in front of him sat a jewelry drummer. He was one of those wide-awake, never-let-anyone-get-the-better-of-him style of men. Presently the train stopped to take water and the conductor neglected to send back a flagman. A limited express, running at the rate of ten miles an hour, came along and bumped the rear end of the first train. The drummer was lifted from his seat and pitched, head first, against the seat ahead. His silk hat was jammed clear down over his ears. He picked himself up and settled back in his seat. No bones had been broken. Then he pulled off his hat, drew a long breath and, straightening up, said: "Hully gee! Well, they didn't get by us, anyway!"

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It is a strange thing that climatic conditions should have anything to do with lace making, but it is said that the damp climate of Nottingham, England, is one of the chief reasons that it is the center for the lace making industry of the world. About 6,000 people are employed in the factories and in other work necessary to the manufacture of the lace of these renowned looms about 20,000. Fully 125,000 people in the city are dependent upon the industry. F. W. Mahn, the American consul at Nottingham, estimates that the total output is about $25,000,000.

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A New York woman testified that her husband "gently threw her downstairs," which shows that the charge that modern men are lacking in consideration does not hold good in the metropolis.

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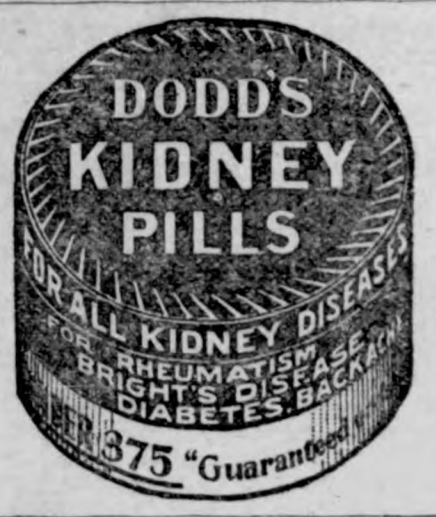

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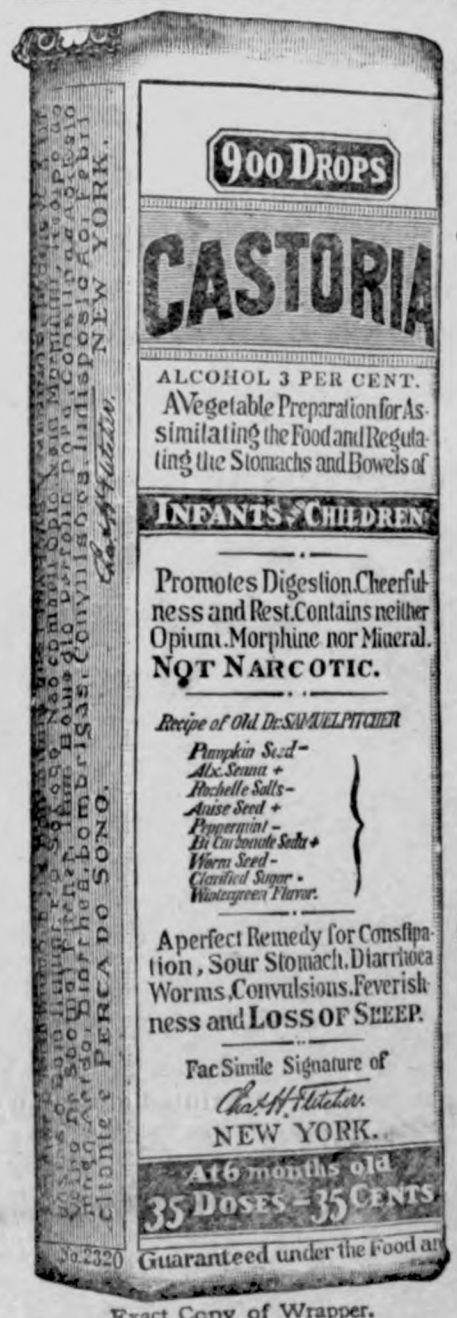
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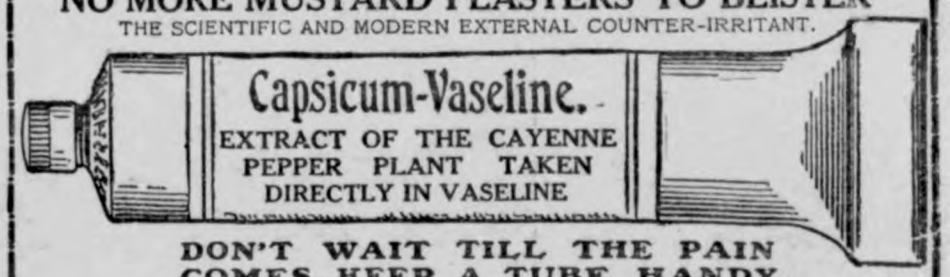

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Thornley was a lovable chap, but an inveterate practical joker. When he decided to accept the offer of the South American syndicate and go to Venezuela his friends, who had suffered much from his pranks, wondered what he would do to the gentle subjects of Cipriano Castro. There were a dozen or more of them at the pier to see him off. Among them was Rolber. Between Thornley and Rolber there was a tie stronger than ordinary friendship. They had been boys together. They had been schoolmates. They married about the same time and were neighbors for many years.

"Gus, old man," said Thornley, as they were saying good-by for the last time, "I wish I had something to give

He Had His Joke at Last.

you to remember me by, but I've been so busy lately preparing for this trip that I haven't had time to think of anything. Don't forget to write, will you?"

They shook hands again and then Thornley, reaching in his pocket, drew out three cigars.

"Smoke those, old man, and when you're smoking them remember me," he said.

Rolber took the cigars. The steamer sailed away and a few weeks later a letter from Thornley told of his safe arrival. Everything was strange, he said, but he hoped he would like the country.

Letters came at intervals and then came the news of Thornley's death. He had caught a fever and died suddenly.

The news was a great shock to Rolber. It was as if he had lost a brother.

Of the three cigars Thornley had given to him that day when he sailed away two had been smoked. Rolber preferred a pipe to a cigar, and after he heard of Thornley's death he had no desire to smoke the third. He put the cigar on his mantelpiece at home under a glass case, and every time he looked at it his thoughts turned to his dead friend.

Two years passed and still the cigar remained in its old place. Then, one night, Rolber discovered that all his smoking tobacco was gone. He searched high and low, but could not discover anything to smoke. He went at last to the mantelpiece and looked at Thornley's cigar. No, he would not think of smoking that. It would be a sacrilege. He turned away and took up a book. But there was no pleasure in reading. He was nervous and he needed a smoke. He searched again for some tobacco, although he knew there was none. Again he turned to read, but the craving of the steady smoker was too strong. He went and looked at the cigar. It had dried out, but still was in good condition. Sentiment and appetite struggled for a minute or two and sentiment won.

Rolber walked away and tried to satisfy his craving by putting his empty pipe in his mouth and drawing on it as if it were filled. That did not do. He simply had to smoke, and at last he turned back to the mantelpiece, lifted the glass case and took out Thornley's cigar. Just a moment he wavered. Then he struck a match, held the flame close to the cigar and with a sigh of satisfaction he drew in a lung full of smoke. It seemed to him that he never before had enjoyed a smoke so much. Three, four, five times he puffed contentment into his physical self and then—

There was a sudden burst of fire and sparks, a sharp report, the cigar was a wreck and Rolber was as nervous as a kitten.

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